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Supg: Engrs Office 6<sup>th</sup> Division.  
Tanjore, 15<sup>th</sup> June 1863.

From,

Captain E. A. Ford R. E.

Supg: Engr: 6<sup>th</sup> Division.

To,

Colonel W. J. Birdwood R. E.

Secretary to Government  
P. W. D.

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government  
N<sup>o</sup> 1374, dated 29<sup>th</sup> May 1863, I have the honor  
to report that the District Engineers of Trichinopoly and  
Tanjore replied to the Chief Engineers Miscellaneous  
Circular N<sup>o</sup> XL I. dated 19<sup>th</sup> February, on the 12<sup>th</sup>  
and 17<sup>th</sup> March 1863 respectively.

2. The District Engineer of Trichinopoly stated  
that works were carried on without advances. The  
District Engineer of Tanjore stated that in consequence  
of but few new works being in progress, the advances  
for stock were inconsiderable, but that if more  
new works were sanctioned, he was of opinion that  
they could not be carried out properly without a  
considerable amount of stock.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedient servant -

Ed Ford Captain. R. E.  
Supg: Engineer 6<sup>th</sup> Division -

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