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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
5th August 1864.*

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No. 127. Read the following Endorsement of the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, dated Simla, the 13th July 1864, No. 479C/3,167.

Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India (Public Works), to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 25th May 1864, No. 21:—

SIR,

1. I have had before me in Council your Excellency's Despatch, No. 16 of 18th March last, submitting for confirmation of the sanction which has been given to it by your Government, a project laid before you by the Government of Madras for the extension of the East Coast Canal from Doogoorazpatam to the Kistnapatam Back-water, at an estimated expense of Rupees 2,35,000

2. Whatever opinion may be entertained as to the relation between the cost and the utility of the East Coast Canal, yet now that it has been carried for a distance of more than sixty miles from Madras, there can be little question as to the expediency of extending it twenty miles further for the purpose of effecting a junction between it and the future Canal of the Irrigation Company, and of thereby placing the latter Canal in complete communication with the Presidency.

3. The sanction which you have given to the scheme is therefore confirmed.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Fort Saint George for information, in continuation of Public Works Department letter No. 1,239 of 15th March 1864.

(By Order.)

(Signed) R. STRACHEY, Colonel, R. E.,  
*Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

No. 128. ORDER THEREON, 5th August 1864, No. 2,244.

1. Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division, and to Mr. Fraser for information and guidance.

2. No provision having been made for the work in the Budget for the current year sanctioned by the Government of India, the Superintending Engineer will include the Estimate in his Budget for 1865-66.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,  
*Deputy Secretary to Government.*

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.

To W. Fraser, Esq.

To the Accountant General.

„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

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India Office  
London, 25<sup>th</sup> May 1864.

Public Works  
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To His Excellency  
The Right Honorable  
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3. The sanction which you have given to the scheme is therefore confirmed.

Have the honor to be  
(Signed) C. Wood.

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Copy forwarded to the Government of Fort Saint George for information in continuation of Public Works Department letter No 1239 of 15<sup>th</sup> March 1864.

Public Works Dept  
Simla  
the 13<sup>th</sup> July 1864

By Order  
W. Hunter, Coll. R.E.  
Secretary to the Govt of India

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1<sup>st</sup> Communicated to the Supt Engineer & Co, and to Mr. Gosses, for information and guidance.

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Chapman  
5<sup>th</sup> August 1864  
The Supt Engineer  
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