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MISCELLANEOUS CIRCULAR, No. XVI.

Board No. 1,145.

No. 136. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd February 1864 :—

Read the following Memorandum from the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Chepauk, 4th February 1864, No. 31.

1. In returning the Local (District Conservancy) Fund Budget for 1864-65, submitted with the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th January 1864, the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, has the honor to request that Part I may be prepared in the form given in the margin, and that the proposed expenditure on current and special repairs may be shown separately in Part II. This is necessary to enable the Government Office to prepare the General Local Fund Budget in the forms required by the Government of India.

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3. With the Estimates now called for, Collectors will also furnish a Memorandum in the annexed form, showing the Estimate of unexpended balance on the 30th April 1864, and the Estimate of Income and Charges during 1864-65 :—

			Amount.
Unexpended balance on the 30th April 1864	0,000		
Receipts expected to be realized in 1864-65	0,000		
	Total...		0,000
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE PROPOSED IN 1864-65			
Original works as per Part I in the Budget.			
Balance available out of last year's grant...	0,000		
Further amount required in 1864-65...	0,000		
		0,000	
Special ... *Repairs as per Part II in the Budget.*			
Current...	0,000		
... ...	0,000		
		0,000	
			0,000
Balance expected on 30th April 1865...			0,000

4. It should be remembered that the estimated expenditure on original works in the above Memorandum should be the total of the two* columns in Part I of the Budget as the Collectors will see that the balance available of last or rather this year's grant will also be available in 1864-65, in addition to any sum which may be estimated for that year.

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Amount required in 1864-65.

DISTRICTS.	Amount of Estimate.	Deduct charges of Establishments.	Remainder.
	Rs	RS.	Rs.
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Total...	4,20 472	75,000	3,45,472

5. It will be observed from paragraph 2 of the Memorandum recorded at the head of these Proceedings that a sum of Rupees 75,000 ought to be specially provided in the Budget on account of the Public Works Establishment employed for carrying out the works proposed out of the District Conservancy Fund; this sum being proportionately deducted from the Estimate of Charges proposed for each District, there remain the sums noted in the margin within which limit original works as well as repairs should be proposed by Collectors. Should any Collector find it necessary to alter the Receipts and Charges estimated in Memorandum No. 1 above adverted to on any better data, he is at liberty to do so. If the amount of the proposed charge is altered, the proportion to be set apart on account of Establishment should also undergo alteration.

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(True Extracts.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. M. C. KELLY, *Acting First Assistant.*

No. 137. ORDER THEREON, 5th March 1864, No. 674.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Acting First Assistant.

To All Collectors.

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