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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
18th April 1864.

No. 429.

Read the following :—

No. 2,938.
List of Bill received from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, submitted for the sanction of Government, which exceeds its
Estimate by more than 5 per cent.

Audit No.	Date of Bill.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Amount of Bill.	Excess.	Per centage.	To what year expenditure appertains.	Date when Bill received.	Remarks.
1,062	1863. Oct. 7th	Constructing a Taluq Cutcherry at Usur in the Salem District.	Rs. 6,940	Rs. A. P. 7,713 13 9	Rs. A. P. 773 13 9	11 2 5	1863-64.	4th April 1864.	The work was commenced in November 1859, and it was stopped in April 1861 owing to the misconduct of the Contractor, and was re-commenced in September 1862 and completed in September 1863. The total excess on the sanctioned Estimate is Rupees 773-13-9, of this Rupees 305-1-10 represents the cost of pulling down and re-building 81 cubic yards of brick work in chunam condemned by the late District Engineer after payment had been made to the Contractor, and the balance of excess is due to the loss on materials, &c., caused by the stoppage of the work between April 1861 and September 1862. It appears from letter No. 2,310 of the 2nd instant, that the Superintending Engineer has applied to Government for sanction for the transfer of the excess (viz., Rupees 773-13-9) from the allotment sanctioned for expenditure in 1863-64 on the road between Sooramangalam and Taramangalam.

Madras,
7th April 1864.

(Signed) C. V. WILKIESON, Lieut.-Colonel,
Controller and Auditor of P. W. Accounts.

No. 430. ORDER THEREON, 18th April 1864, No. 1,101.

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ORDER THEREON, 18th April 1864, No. 1,101.

1. The Bill is sanctioned.
2. The proposal for meeting the expenditure incurred on the Taluq Cutcherry at Ossoor in excess of the Estimate, has been approved of in a separate Proceeding.
3. It is observed from the report submitted on the subject by Captain Gahagan, that the probability of the outlay exceeding the estimated cost was duly brought to the notice of the Superintending Engineer before the excess had actually been incurred, but that this intimation had somehow been withheld from the Government.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.

- „ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
- „ Accountant General.

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 Dist of Bill received from the Superintendent Engineer's Office submitted for the direction of Genl.
 which exceeds its estimate by about \$7500. -

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The Bill is sanctioned.

The proposal for making the expenditure incurred on the Salt Customs at 10 p.m. in excess of the estimate, has been approved in a separate Proceeding.

It is observed from the report submitted on the subject by Captain Graham, that the probability of the outlay exceeding the estimated cost was duly brought to the notice of the Superintending Engineer before the works had actually commenced, but that the intimation had some how been withheld from the Government.

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