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Office of the Contr.r & Audr. of P. W. Accounts
Madras 13th January 1864

No. 2252

From,

Lieut.t Colonel C. D. Wilkieson R. E.
Controller and Auditor of P. W. Accounts

To,

Colonel C. A. Orr R. E.
Secretary to Government P. W. D.

Sir,

With reference to para 2 of G. O. 8th January 1864 No. 79, I have the honor to state that the expenditure entered in the Kellare Reports of Progress anterior to August 1863 on account of the Ongole and Kotapatam Road was passed on the authority of G. O. 21st May 1863 No. 1292, in which a grant of Rupees 19,000 is made for this Road before sanction is accorded to an Estimate. This Office would not have been authorized to notice the outlay on an unsanctioned Estimate after a special grant for the same is accorded under the exceptional circumstances stated by the Superintending Engineer.

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2. When on the examination of the Progress Report for August 1863, a discrepancy was discovered between the amount entered therein and in the previous Reports as the Estimated sum, an explanation of the same was called for, and the Superintending Engineer's reply thereto was communicated to Government with reference to the enquiry in para 5 of G.O. 25th November 1863 No. 3465.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant

Office of the Contr. & Audr. of P.W. Accounts
Madras 13th Janry 1864.

J. W. Wilson - Lt. Coll. R.E.

Controller & Auditor of P.W. Accounts

To,

Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Compd. Marshall

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From
Lt. Col. C. V. Weitzel R.E.
Controller & Audr. of Wr. Accounts

To
Colonel C. A. Orr R. E.
Secy. to Govt. P. W. D.

Dated 18th
Rec.d 16th } January 1864

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Submits explanation with reference to the Estimate for the Cuyoke and Kotapatam Roads proceeded with by the Supt. Engr. before being sanctioned.

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18th January 64
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