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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
7th April 1864.*

No. 177. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel O. W. S. CHAMBERS, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to
Government, Department Public Works, dated Camp at Dowlaishweram, 28th March
1864, No. 2,447:—

SIR,

Date of sanction 6th September 1861,
No 1669. Amount Rupees 2,660.
Total expenditure up to 1st instant, Ru-
pees 2,551.
Allotment for present year Rupees 1,073.
Expenditure of present year up to 1st ins-
tant, Rupees 970.

1. I beg to report, for the information of Government,
that the Estimate for the construction of the Chedicada
works in the Golconda Range of the Vizagapatam District
will in all likelihood be exceeded : this will be due to the
impossibility of procuring labor in the unhealthy part of the
country where the work lies without paying extra for it, and

to the hardness of the cut stone used, making the usual rates for this item insufficient.

2. The excess may amount to 10 per cent. on the Estimate.

3. Mr. Supervisor Bevan has once or twice addressed me on the subject of the difficulties
of establishing these works and of the certainty of the Estimate being exceeded.

4. On the receipt of the accounts for the current month I will again address Government
on this subject and state the exact amount of the excess anticipated.

No. 178. ORDER THEREON, 7th April 1864, No. 978.

The Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, will be informed that in the event of the
amount sanctioned for the work referred to in this letter being likely to be exceeded by more
than 5 per cent., a supplemental Estimate should be submitted for the orders of Government
with full explanation of the causes of the excess.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Superintending Engineer's Office
No 2447 Division Camp at Dewlaishwar
28th March 1864

From Lieutenant Colonel Chambers R.E.
Superintending Engineer, D.
To Colonel C. A. Barr R.E.
Secretary to Government
Dept. Public Works.
Sir

Date of sanction
6 September 1861
No 1669.

Amount
Rs 2660

Total expenditure
upto instant
Rs 2551

allotment for
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Rs 1078

Expenditure of
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Your most obedient servant

W. B. Chambers *Wm. B. Chambers*
Superintending Engineer St.

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