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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1406	Press
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Dated	23 5	1865.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd May 1865.*

being furnished with such a certificate. The bills accompanying the letter recorded above are returned for the purpose of being dealt with under these instructions.

2. All bills for works executed by the Civil authorities since the issue of the orders above quoted should contain dates of commencement, completion, and inspection.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineers of Divisions.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts, with two Bills and one letter.
,, Accountant General
,, Public, &c., Departments
,, Revenue do.
,, Military do.
,, Inspector General of Madras Police.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Office of the Controller
of P. W. Accounts.
Madras 11th May 1865

N^o 124

From
Captain J. F. Fischer R.E.
Controller of P. W. Accounts

To
Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P. W. D.
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to sub-
mit herewith a Bill for Rupees 64-4-
* *Expenditure in the year 1863/64* in further part of Rupees 894 advanced
to the Police Department for the constab-
lary of Police Posts in Ganjam. This Bill
was returned to the Superintending Engi-
neer 1st Division for insertion of the
dates of completion and for the certifi-
cate required to accompany Bills for
completed works. The Superintending
* *Letter N^o 2 dated 1st May 1865* Engineer states in reply that the works
could not be examined now by an
Officer of this Department as the
Chond Mahabads in which they
are situated are unhealthy at this
Season

Season

Captain Ryves further remarks that he considers the G.O. 21st October 1864 N^o 3023 in para 2 of which it is laid down that the Officer in charge of the Range in which a work may be carried out by Sub Officers should not withhold the Certificate required to be given in completion, is not applicable to works undertaken and completed previous to that date. The G.O. dated 13th March 1865 N^o 694 passed on a reference from the same officer has however allowed of no exceptions to the above rule.

The Bill itself as now submitted gives no information as to the period within which the works alluded to therein were commenced or completed and in fact gives no evidence at all of their having been built. In cases where Certificates are not procurable from Range Officers there should be some original document from the Police or other officer testifying to the completion

Completion of the work.

1941
1863/64
Spent in
the year

A bill for Rupees 250- --
Spent by the Collector's (Department in opening) Traces in the Ichond Hills Ganjam District is submitted by the Superintending Engineer 1st Division with a note at the foot intimating that the work having been executed by the Collector's (Department, the dates of inspection and completion are not obtainable. and this Bill also I forward herewith.

I request that the Government will be pleased to pass such orders on the above cases as will enable me to deal with like cases which may hereafter present themselves.

Chief of the Mint
of P.W. Accounts
Madras 11th May 1865

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt^l Servt
Captain R. S.

Colonel C. A. Carr P. S.
Secretary to Govt. P. W. D.
Controller of P. W. Accts.

Account Public Works Dept

No 1406
Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 23rd May 1865
Recd the following

From the Controller P.W. Accounts

Submitting for orders bills
for works executed by other Depts
for which the dates of commencement
and completion as well as certificates
were not furnished.

Forwarded 11th May 1865
No 124

With reference to Para 2
of this letter the Government resolve
to direct that in the case of
works undertaken ^{and completed} by the Civil
Authorities prior to the promulga-
tion of G. O. No 3023 of 21st
Oct 64, the Police or other Officer
under whose orders they may have
been carried out should certify
to their having been properly
constructed & completed in
accordance with the sanctioned
plan & estimate. The Controller
will pass the Bills for the works
on being furnished with such
a Certificate. The Bills ac-
companying the letter recorded

MD
MD
WOM

In-204 Oct/63 Rs 539-538
-284 - - - 619-620
-311 - - - 642-379-380
-137 - March/65 259-260

Recd from Controller
P.W. Accounts
10th May 1865

The Controller of P.W.

The Secretary to Government

10th May

Recd 11th May 1865

Order 3 No 104

Submitting for orders bills
for works executed by other
Departments for which the
dates of commencement and
completion as well as certificates
were not furnished.

10th May 1865

17th May 1865 O.A. 195

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Letter Sept 25th May
 Copies sufficient for R. & Co.
 to be sent on to

J. W. 1865. Dept.
Pr: of Govt for May

No 1406.
Pr: of the Madras Govt
Of 23rd May 1865

The Controller^g furnished
with certain instructions relative
to Bills for works undertaken
and completed by the Civil
authorities prior to and since
the promulgation of G.O.
3023 of 1864.

No 406. 487