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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1410

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th April 1869.*

No. 730. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 13th April 1869, No. 298 :—

1 Plan.
1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Specification.

1. Agreeably to the Orders of Government, No. 3,785, dated 4th December 1868, I have the honour to submit a revised plan, specification, and

estimate, amounting to Rupees 7,300, for erecting a European Guard-room, with Wash-house, Urinary, and Latrine, at the Reserve Powder Magazine, Saint Thomas Mount.

2. Under the instructions conveyed in paragraph 2, and taking into consideration paragraphs 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, dated 7th November 1868, No. 1,126M, the Officers Commanding the Division and Saint Thomas' Mount were communicated with in reference to the nature and strength of the Guards required at the Magazine, and the views, on this subject, of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief were solicited.

3. His Excellency, concurring in the opinion of the Officer Commanding the Artillery, considers that at present no accommodation is required for a Native guard, and the plan herewith submitted has his approval. It has been much reduced in proportions; is designed for a single story; and has verandahs ten feet wide from wall to pillar, as required by the Government of India. The area also per man in the Guard-room accords with the standard allotment of 90 superficial and 1,800 cubic feet, allowing a strength of twelve Non-Commissioned Officers and men, out of whom three will be always on sentry duty.

4. In the Budget of 1869-70, Rupees 5,000 was the amount of computed expenditure in 1868-69, and Rupees 19,900 the balance allotted of the estimate, on the assumption that the outlay for the out-houses would amount to Rupees 25,570. The estimate for the Guard-room, however, is now reduced from Rupees 18,500 to Rupees 7,300, and the whole amount for the out-buildings requiring sanction, including the sum of Rupees 7,075 approved by the Government of India in the above order, is Rupees 14,375. The allotment for this year should be reduced from Rupees 19,900 to Rupees 9,375.

No. 731.

ORDER THEREON, 29th April 1869, No. 1,410.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 34.

1. Ordered that the revised plan and estimate for the guard-room, with out-offices, proposed to be built in con-

nection with the Reserve Powder Magazine at Saint Thomas' Mount be forwarded to the Government of India with reference to their letter of the 7th November 1868, No. 1,126 M.

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2. Under the circumstances stated in paragraph 4, the sum of Rupees 10,525 provided in the Budget for 1869-70 in excess of the amount required to complete the auxiliary and subsidiary buildings for the Reserve Powder Magazine, will be held at the disposal of Government.—

(Here enter No. 1,411, 29th April 1869.)

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
.. Controller of Public Works Accounts.
.. Accountant General.
.. Military Department.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 29th April 1869.

No. 732.

No. 1,411.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

MILITARY WORKS, No. 35.

1. With reference to your letter of the 7th November 1868, No. 1,126M, I am directed herewith to forward a letter

from the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division, giving cover to a revised plan, with estimate of Rupees 7,300, for a Guard-room, with out-offices, for Europeans in connection with the Reserve Powder Magazine at Saint Thomas' Mount.

2. It will be observed that the design for the proposed building has been prepared in accordance with the instructions of the Government of India, and that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief does not consider it necessary at present to provide accommodation for a Native Guard.

3. I am accordingly to request the sanction of the Government of India to the revised estimate.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

N^o 298.

Sup. J. Engr. Office S. D. P.
Madras 13th April 1869.

From,

Lieut. Colonel J. Bean R. E.

A. J. Superintending Engineer S. D. P.

To,

Colonel C. A. Orr R. E.

Secretary to Government P. M. D.
Fort Saint George

Sir,

Agreeably to the Orders of Government
No. 3785 dated 14th December 1868, I have the honor
to submit a revised plan specification and
estimate, amounting to Rupees 7,300, for erecting
a European Guard Room with Wash house,
Urinary and Latrine, at the Reserve Powder
Magazine Saint Thomas' Mount.

2 Under the instructions conveyed
in paragraph 2, and taking into consideration
paragraphs 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the letter from
the Secretary to the Government of India
Public Works Department dated 7th November
1868 No. 1126 M, the Officers Commanding
the Division and Saint Thomas' Mount
were communicated with in reference
to

to the nature and strength of the guards required at the Magazine, and the views on this subject of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief were solicited.

3 His Excellency, concurring in the opinion of the Officer Commanding the Artillery, considers that at present no accommodation is required for a native guard, and the plan herewith submitted has his approval. It has been much reduced in proportions, is designed for a single story, and has verandahs 10 feet wide from wall to pillar, as required by the Government of India. The area, also, per man in the guard room accords with the standard allotment of 90 superficial and 1000 cubic feet, allowing a strength of twelve non-commissioned officers and men, out of whom three will be always on sentry duty.

4 In the budget of 1869/70 Rupees 5,000 was the amount of computed expenditure in 1868/69, and Rupees 19,900 the balance allotted of the estimate on the assumption that

that the outlay for the out-houses would amount to Rupees 25,570. The estimate for the Guard Room however is now reduced from Rupees 10,500 to Rupees 7,300, and the whole amount for the out buildings requiring sanction, including the sum of Rupees 7,075 approved by the Government of India in the above Order, is Rupees 14,375. The allotment for this year should be reduced from Rupees 19,900 to Rupees 9,375.-

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant
Rear Lt Col
A. J. S. B. Esq. Lt Col

Public Works Dept

No 1410

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 29th April 1869

Read the following

From the Supg. Secy } (Here enter No 298 of 13th April 1869)
Secy. Genl.

Ordered that the re-
vised Plan and estimate
for the guard room, with
out offices, proposed to be
built in connection with
the Reserve Powder Magazine
at St. Thomas' Mount be
forwarded to the Govt. of
India with reference to their
letter of the 7th November 1868
No 1126 M.

Under the circum-
stances stated in Para 4,
the sum of Rs. 10,525 pro-
vided in the Budget for
1869-70 in excess of the amount

re-

15th 1869
From the Supg. Secy
No 43 of 13th April 1869
15th 1869

The Secy. to Government
P. W. Department

Dated 13th April 1869
No 298.

Submitting with
reference to a revised plan
of specification and estimate
amounting to Rs. 10,525

for erecting a Guard

Room with

black powder, Magazine

and Office at the

Reserve Powder Magazine
St. Thomas' Mount
15th 1869-70

21st 1869

1869

C. 1700/100 1889/1200

Small Thomas Mount
1889/1200-1890/1200

required to complete the
auxiliary and subsidiary
buildings for the Reserve
Powder Magazine, will be
held at the disposal of
Govt.

No 1411
The Secy. to the Govt.
of India.

Sir,
With reference to
your letter of the 7th Novr.
1888, No 1126 M. I am di-
rected to forward herewith
a letter from the Supg.
Engineer of the 4th Divn.,
giving cover to a revised
plan with estimate of
Rs. 7,300 for a guard room,
with out offices for Europeans
in connection with the
Reserve Powder Magazine
at St. Thomas' Mount.

To Supg. Engr. 4th Divn. ✓
" Comdr. M. P. Acc't. ✓
" Acct. Genl. ✓
" Mil. Dept. ✓
Recd 20/4/89.

It will be observed
that the design for the
proposed building has
been prepared in ac-
cordance with the in-
structions of the Govt.
of India, and that His
Excellency the Commander
in-Chief does not consider
it necessary at present
to provide accommoda-
tion for a native guard.

I am accordingly to
request the sanction
of the Govt. of India to
the revised estimate.

W.D.

Recd 20/4/89 with Copy of
G.O. No 1410 & with a plan, Estimate
to specification.

No 1495

Govt. of Madras

PUBLIC WORKS

The Superintending Engineer
4th Division

29th April 1881

No. 730-731/732

Reserve Powder Magazine at
S. Thomas' Island. Passing
orders on the revised Estimate
of Rs 7300 for a guard room, &c,
at the Reserve Powder Magazine
at S. Thomas' Island; Madras &c.

Reserve Powder Magazine at S. Thomas'
Island. Revised Estimate of Rs 7300
for a guard room &c at the Reserve
Powder Magazine at S. Thomas' Island,
Madras &c, forwarded this 29th
April 1881.