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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
4th February 1869.*

No. 121. Read the following Circular from the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, (Account,) dated Fort William, 31st November 1868, No. 110:—

Charges for compensation for Chapel accommodation to be debited to the Public Works Budget grant.

Read the following papers:—

Financial Department Resolution No. 438 A, dated 22nd September 1862.

Public Works Department Office Memorandum to Military Department, No. 81, dated 15th July 1868.

Office Memorandum from Military to Financial Department, No. 527, dated 29th Sept. 1868.

Read also the following:—

RESOLUTION.—By the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 15th October 1868, No. 2,983.

Read an Office Memorandum from the Military Department, No. 527, dated 29th September 1868, intimating that the charge should be provided from Public Works allotment.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council agrees in the opinion expressed by the Military Department that the compensation should be met out of the Public Works grant.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the foregoing be sent to the Military Department, and that the original papers received therefrom be returned, copies being kept for record.

Ordered also, that a copy of the Resolution be sent to the Public Works Department.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to decide that, in future, all duly authorized charges for sitting accommodation provided for soldiers in Roman Catholic Chapels shall be disbursed by the Executive Engineer of the Division in which the Chapel is situated, on presentation of bills signed by the Roman Catholic Chaplain, and countersigned by the Officer Commanding the Station. The charges will be debited to the ordinary Public Works grant, and accounted for under the head Repairs, "Civil Buildings."

2. The bills should show clearly the number of men of each arm of the service for whom sittings are provided, and the authority under which the charge is made.

3. Where compensation for sittings may have already been sanctioned no further authority will be required, but no new charge on this account will in future be admitted without the previous sanction of the Government of India in the Public Works Department. A statement of all such charges already existing, together with copies of the orders bearing on each case, should be submitted for the information of the Government of India in this Department as soon as possible.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance.

Ordered also, that a copy be forwarded to the Military Department for information, with a request that this Department may be furnished with a statement showing the charges for Chapel accommodation now provided for in the Budget-

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Estimate of the Military Department, and which, under these orders, will hereafter be included in the Public Works Budget grant.

(Signed) C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 122.

ORDER THEREON, 4th February 1869, No. 360.

ACCOUNT, No. 5.

Communicated to the Military Department, and to the Superintending Engineers for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To Superintending Engineers.
To Captain R. B. Kennedy.
To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Military Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

CIRCULAR No. 110 PUBLIC WORKS.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
ACCOUNT.

FORT WILLIAM, DECEMBER 31, 1868.

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Public Works Budget grant.*

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Financial Department Resolution No. 438 A, dated 22nd September 1862.

Public Works Department Office Memorandum to Military Department, No. 81, dated 15th July 1868.

Office Memorandum from Military to Financial Department, No. 527, dated 29th September 1868.

Read also the following:—

No. 2983, dated 15th October, 1868.

RESOLUTION,—By the Government of India, Financial Dept.

Read an Office Memorandum from the Military Department, No. 527, dated 29th September 1868, intimating that the charge should be provided from Public Works allotment.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council agrees in the opinion expressed by the Military Department that the compensation should be met out of the Public Works grant.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the foregoing be sent to the Military Department, and that the original papers received therefrom be returned, copies being kept for record.

Ordered also, that a copy of the Resolution be sent to the Public Works Department.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to decide that, in future, all duly authorized charges for sitting accommodation provided for soldiers in Roman Catholic Chapels shall be disbursed by the Executive Engineer of the Division in which the Chapel is situated, on presentation of bills signed by the Roman Catholic Chaplain, and countersigned by the Officer Commanding the Station. The charges will be debited to the ordinary Public Works grant, and accounted for under the head Repairs, "Civil Buildings."

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Wickham Colonel, R. A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

*To the Secy to the Govt of Madras,
P.W. Department.*

P.W. 1869 Dept.
 (3) *Proclamation No. 161.*
 GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
 ACCOUNT.

To

CIRCULAR No. 110 PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated December 31, 1868.

Received *Jan 15/69.*

Copy requires for information & guidance.

Communicated to the Secretary Dept. & to the

No 360. 6 Feb 1869

Charges for compensation for Chapel accommodation to be debited to the Public Works Budget grant.

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 to Capt. Kennedy
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 to - Works Dept
 to - Works Dept*

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To The Superintending Engineer

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