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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2017

21-22

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Dated 1-8-18.

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No. 21. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 12th July 1871, No. 1,206:—

ADVERTING to Item No. 79 of the Provincial and Local Budget, I have the honour to observe that the estimate for this work was submitted with my letter of the 4th February 1871, No. 3,709, but no orders thereon have yet been received.

2. I beg to add that, in consequence of both the dredge boilers being unserviceable at present, we can do no work till the new ones from England are received, and I request therefore that this sum of Rupees 15,000 be now transferred to Tools and Plant to meet expenses of maintaining the harbour plant as noted in G. O. of the 29th June 1871, No. 1,739.

3. There will be a balance of Rupees 5,140, and this sum I beg may be granted for the construction of a new sea-punt, in lieu of the one ordered to be written off to profit and loss in G. O. of the 21st January 1871, No. 177.

4. When Mr. Robertson, the Harbour Engineer, was here, I spoke to that gentleman about this Cocanada river, and he quite agreed in opinion with me that there was nothing for it but to dredge out such a place and to keep the plant always available for this duty, as the work must be constantly attended to.

5. Under these circumstances, I am anxious to complete the number of punts required for the dredges so as to be ready for work as soon as the boilers arrive.

No. 22. ORDER THEREON, 1st August 1871, No. 2,017.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 4.

G. O., No. 1,738, dated 29th June 1871.

„ „ 1,739, „ „ „

the Reserve under Agricultural “Ordinary” to meet the cost of repairs to the river and harbour plant in the Godavery District, and, as this amount is now

	RS.
*Proposed transfer to Tools and Plant...	15,000
Deduct for constructing sea-punt ...	5,140
Balance for repairs to plant ...	9,860*

available for expenditure, the further transfer of Rupees 9,860* from Item 79 in the Provincial Budget, proposed in paragraph 2, is not needed. The question of the diversion of Rupees 5,140 represented to be urgently required for the construction of a new sea-punt to be employed in dredging operations will be referred for consideration in the Marine Department, to which department the estimate for the work of “constructing south groyne to Cocanada river” (B. I. 79) has been transferred.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,

Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Marine Department.

„ Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

No 1206

Superior Landing, Cochin Office 1187
Coastal Survey 2 July 1871

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Dear Sir,

Major J. Fisher R.E.
As Superintending Engineer P.W.D.
Colonel J. Carpenter R.E.
Secretary Government P.W.D.
Madras.

Sir,

I directing to item No 9 of the
Provinciaal and Local Budget. I have the
honour to observe that the Estimate for this work
was submitted with my letter of the 4th February
1871 No 3709 but no orders thereon have yet
been received -

2. I beg to add that in consequence
of both the dredge boilers being unserviceable
at present, we can do no work till the new ones
from England are received and I request therefore
that this sum of Rupees 15,000 be now transferred
to Tools and Plant, to meet the expenses of
maintaining the Harbour Plant as noted in G.O.
of the 29th June 1871 No 1739 -

3. There will be balance of Rupees 5140
and this sum, I beg may be granted for the
construction

construction of a new sea pump in lieu of the
one ordered to be written off to Profit and Loss
on G.O. of the 21st January 1871 No 177 -

16. When Mr Robertson the Harbour
Engineer was here, I spoke to that gentleman
about this Coanadab river and he quite
agreed in opinion with me there was nothing
for it but to dredge out such a place and
to keep the Plant always available for this
duty as the work must be constantly attend-
ed to.

5. Under these circumstances I am
anxious to complete the number of pumps required
for the dredges so as to be ready for work as
soon as the boilers arrive.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Yours Most Obedt Servt

Wm L. Tucker Major R.E.

Asst. Superintendent Engineer R.E.

Pt 21 Jan 1871 Rs 361 365
 - 24 June " 508 509.
 Rs 600/71

P. W. 1871
 From the Engineer
 1st Division

To
 The Secretary to Govt.
 P. W. D.

Madras
 Dated 12 July 1871
 Recd 18 —
 No 1206

Request that the sum
 of Rs. 15,000 of the item 1879
 of the Provincial Local
 Budget may be transferred
 to "Tools & Plant" for main-
 -taining the Harbour plant
 and the balance for construct-
 -ing a new Sea Pump in lieu
 of the one ordered to be
 sold off

No 2017-1 Aug 1/71.

No 21

P. W. D.
 No 2017
 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Read the following

From

The Supr. Engr. 1st Div. H. C. No 1206 of 12th July/71.

G. O. No 1738 of 29th June/71.
 - 1739 of -

The Superintending
 Engineer of the 1st Division
 with observe from the orders
 quoted in the margin
 that a sum of Rs 10,000 has
 been sanctioned from the
 Reserve under Agricul-
 -tural, "Ordinary" to meet
 the cost of repairs to the
 river and harbour plant
 in the Godavery District,
 and, as this amount is
 now available for expen-
 -diture, the further transfer
 of Rs 9860 from Item 79 in
 the

Proposed transfer to
 "Tools & Plant" Rs 15,000
 Deduct for construct-
 -ing Sea Pump 51140
 Bal. for repairs to Plant 9860

the Provincial Budget,
proposed in paragraph 2,
is not needed. The question
of the diversion of Rs 5,400.,
represented to be urgently
required for the construc-
tion of a new Sea Bunt to
be employed in dredging
operations will be referred
for consideration in the
Marine Dept. to which
Dept. the estimate for
the work of "Constructing
South Coyne to Coconada
River" (B.S. 79) has been
transferred.

Of July 27th

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To
The Marine Dept.
Supt. Engrs. J. A.
Cont. P. W. A.

Desd 2/8/71

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Govt of 1871 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

to the Marine Department

Date

Recd.

11 Aug 2017.

Nos. 2/122

Harbour plan. Machinery.
Transfer of funds proposed
for the repair of Harbour
plan and machinery. The
question of painting funds
for the same. For a
new sea wall referred to the
Marine Dept.