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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government. Public Works Department,
11th March 1871.*

No. 295. Read the following letter from the Consulting Engineer for Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 20th February 1871, No. 121 :—

REFERRING to the 9th paragraph of Government Order, No. 2,963, 7th December 1870, (misquoted by the Board of Directors of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company as 18th November 1870,) I have the honour to submit a letter from the

No. 77, 16th February 1871.

Agent and Manager communicating
extract from the Board's Proceedings

authorizing the Agent to arrange with the Chief Engineer for completing the distribution works gradually, as land may be taken up for irrigation under the approval of, and subject to, the sanction of Government. It will be incumbent on the Agent to retain *unexpended* for this purpose all such amounts as have been or may be sanctioned for expenditure from Capital, and which may not be utilized before the 30th June 1871.

From the Agent and Manager of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, dated Madras, 16th February 1871, No. 77.

I HAVE the honour to forward herewith copy of a Resolution passed by the Board of Directors, who have considered the views expressed by the Government regarding the construction of the distribution channels, and fully concur therein, and I am directed to lose no time in arranging with the Government that the channels in question shall be constructed only to the extent and as they shall be really required for the irrigation of land.

2. The Directors observe that the course is so full of common sense and so prudent that there can be no difficulty in its immediate adoption by the Company.

At a Meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company, held at the Offices, 8 and 9, Queen Street Place, London, on Tuesday the 17th January 1871, the following Minute was recorded, namely :—

Referring to the construction at once of all the distribution channels required for the maximum irrigation from the Company's canal, which, as pointed out by the Consulting Engineer of Government, and which view is concurred in by the Local Government itself, as clearly explained in their Minute of Proceedings, of date 18th November 1870, it would not be for the interest of Government or the country to proceed with more rapidly than they may be utilized, the Board entirely approving with this recommendation authorize the Manager, in communication with the Chief Engineer, to arrange for these distribution channels being executed as the circumstances of the case render expedient under the approval of, and subject to, the sanction of the Government.

No. 296.

ORDER THEREON, 11th March 1871, No. 738.

IRRIGATION, No. 18.

THE Government having sanctioned the estimates submitted by the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company

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for distribution works as part of the contract between the Company and the Secretary of State, are not prepared to prescribe the manner in which these works are to be carried out.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
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Exd. E. C. Shunker.

Consulting Engineer's office
Irrigation and Canal Company
Madras, 20 Feb/71.

No 121.
To, Colonel, R.E.,
Consulting Engineer for I.C.C.
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Referring to the 9th paragraph of Government Order No. 2963-7th December 1870 (repeated by the Board of Directors of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company as 18th November 1870) I have the honor to submit a letter from the Agent and Manager communicating extract from the Board's Proceedings authorizing the Agent to arrange with the Chief Engineer for completing the distribution works gradually as land may be taken up for irrigation under the approval of and subject to the sanction of Government. It will be incumbent on the Agent to retain unexpended for this purpose all such amounts as have been or may be sanctioned for expenditure from Capital, and which may not be utilized before the 30 June 1871.—

Have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
J. G. S. S. S.
Consulting Engineer for I.C.C.

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From The Cons. Engr. I. & C. Co. / H. E. N: 1217/20th February 1871)

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The Consulting Engrs for
the Madras Irrigation
and Canal Company

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G. O. of March 738.

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Distribution Works. Intimating
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