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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 344-348.	2265-66	Press / Mis.
Dated	24-9-1872.	

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 24th September 1872.

No. 344. Read the following letter from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 10th September 1872, No. 483:—

With reference to the Proceedings of the Government of India, No. 284-A. R., dated 5th March, and 798-A. R., dated 17th June 1872, I have the honour to submit a letter* from the Agent of the Carnatic Railway Company furnishing, for the approval of Government, proposals as to the per-centages to be applied to the Revenue expenditure to represent the amount to be debited to Revenue by credit to Capital for general charges.

No. 732, dated 14th March 1872.
No. 1,626, dated 5th July ,,
* No. 550, dated 7th September ,,

2. The plan pursued has been to find out the per-centage which the total cost of direction bears to the total expenditure. This has worked out to 2½ per cent; the divisible agency and home establishment being Rupees 44,155 per annum, and the expenditure about Rupees 18,14,448.

3. The Examiner of Railway Accounts suggested the above manner of working out the per-centages, and I beg to recommend it for approval.

From the Agent and Manager of the Carnatic Railway Company, to the Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated Madras, 7th September 1872, No. 550.

With reference to your letter No. 220,* I have the honour to state that, in communication with the Government Examiner, I have agreed to adopt the per-centage recommended by him, as stated in paragraph 2 of your letter under reply, namely, that 2½ per cent. of Indian expenditure for agency and stores establishments, including Agency Office contingencies and of English expenditure for direction, be debited to general charges, Revenue account, and the remainder to the proper capital head.

* Dated 4th September 1872.

2. In this arrangement it was understood in our conversation upon the subject yesterday, when you were present, that the rent for these offices was to continue to be divided in moieties to the Engineering and Agency Departments as previously sanctioned, the agency portion being subject to sub-division at the above per-centage.

3. I shall feel obliged by your authorizing the carrying out of this arrangement, when entries to adjust the accounts, as from the 1st April last, shall be made in accordance with the G. O., No. 732, dated 12th March 1872, forwarded in your letter No. 62, dated 16th idem.

No. 345. Order thereon, 24th September 1872, No. 2,265.

RAILWAY, No. 65.

Ordered that these papers be forwarded to the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 2,266, dated 24th September 1872.)

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.
,, Examiner of Railway Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
OOTACAMUND, 24*th September* 1872.

No. 346.

No. 2,266.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY, No. 66.

SIR,—In continuation of my letter No. 2,264, dated 24th September 1872, forwarding, for the sanction of the Government of India, proposals in regard to the per-centages to be allowed to Revenue to represent general charges on the Madras Railway, I am directed to submit the accompanying letter showing the per-centages which are considered equitable on the Carnatic Railway. It will be observed that the method of arriving at these rates has the approval of the Examiner of Railway Accounts.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Railway Deptt

Cons: Engineer Office

No 483

From

Lieutt Colo J. A. M. Shaw Stewart R.E.
Cons: Engineer for Railways

To

Colonel G. G. W. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government
P. W. Department
Fort Saint George

Sir

With reference to the
Proceedings of the Government of
India No 284 P.W., dated 5th March
1892
No 1626 P
5th July 1892.
and No 284 P.W. dated 19th June 1892, I
have the honour to submit a letter
No 5508/1 Sept/92 from the Agents of the Carnatic
Railway Company, furnishing, for the
approval of Government, proposals
as to the percentages to be applied
to the Revised expenditure to
represent the amount to be debited
to

to Revenue by credit to Capital for General charges.

2. The plan pursued has been to find out the percentage which the total cost of direction bears to the total expenditure. This has worked out to 2½ per cent, the admissible Agency and Stores establishment being Rupees 44,765 per annum, and the expenditure Rupees 18,14,448.

3. The Examiner of Railway Accounts suggested the above mode of working out the percentage, and I beg to recommend it for approval.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obt Servant
Madras 10th Sept 1872
Lieut Col R.E.
Cons: Engineer for Railways

Carnatic Railway Company, Limited,

AGENT'S AND MANAGER'S OFFICE,

No. 550. MADRAS, 7th September 1872

From
J. J. Fisher Esqre
Agent & Manager
Carnatic Railway Co.

To
Lieut. Col. I. H. M. Shaw Stewart R.E.
Cons: Engineer for Railways.

Sir,

× J. 4th Sept. 1872

With reference to your letter No. 220.× I have the honor to state that in communication with the Govt. Examiner I have agreed to adopt the per centage recommended by him, as stated in para 2 of your letter under reply viz: that 2½ per cent of Indian expenditure for Agency and Stores establishments including Agency Office contingencies of English expenditure for direction be debited to General charges revenue account, and the remainder to the proper Capital head.

2. In this arrangement it was understood in our conversation upon the subject yesterday when you were present that the Rent for these offices was to continue to be ~~[illegible]~~ in moieties to the Engineering and Agency Departments as previously sanctioned, the Agency portion being subject to subdivision at the above per centage.

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=cordance with the G. O. No. 732 dated 12th
March 1872 forwarded in your letter No. 62
dated 16th idem.

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your most Obet. Servant.
Jos. T. Fisher
Agent & Manager.

for

O. N. 4458/72

Procd. Sept. 72 Ex. B. No. 344.

From.

The Agent Armstrong
Lancaster Ry. Co. Liverpool
London.

To

The Secretary Emp.
Sp Railways

Dated. 7th Sept. 1872
Rec. 9.

No. 550

States that he agrees to the proposition to take charge to Caernarvon on account of Sudanese upholstering for Army & Stores establishments &c. with remarks on the proportion of office work. Chargeable to be determined.

P. W. 1872 Dept
Rec'd Govt Sec Graduates
Regd No. 4458

The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
Madras

Sir Secretary to Govt
P W Depart
Fort St George

Dated 10th September 1872
Received 12th

No. 488

Enclosure 1 Submitting letter No
5508 of Sept 1872. forwarding
proposals as to the percentages
to be applied to the Revenue
expenditure.

No. 344

No. 2265-2266-24-9-72

Copied to Collr 13 Sept 72

Public Works Dept

Proceedings of the Madras Government

No. 2265 Read the following

From the Consulting Engineer for Railways } (R.C. No. 488 & 10th Sept 1872)

Ordered that

these papers be forwarded

to the Government of

India.

To Govt. Engineer

Dated 30/9/72

H.E. No. 7.

2266.

To

The Secretary to the

Government of India.

Sir,

In continuation

of my letter No 7

forwarding

for

for the sanction of the Government of India proposals in regard to the per centages to be allowed to Revenue to represent general charges on the Madras Railway, I am directed to submit the accompanying letter showing the per centages which are considered equitable on the Carnatic Railway. It will be observed that the method of arriving at these rates had the approval of the Examiner of Railway Accounts.

C.T.S.

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GMW.

Dc/62 30/9/72 Letter J Cdr
J Govt 2265/1872

No 4458

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Consulting Engineer
for Railways

&

The Secretary to the Govt. of
India

Dated

Recd. Encl.

G. O. 24 Sept. No 2265-2266.

Nos. 311 - 345

Carnatic Railway. Passing orders on letter from the Engrs. Reporting the percentage to be allowed to Revenue to represent General charges on the Carnatic Railway.

Submitting letter from the Engrs. Reporting the per centages to be allowed to Revenue to represent General charges on the Carnatic Railway.

Recd to Govt 13 Sept 72