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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
2nd April 1873*

No 64. Read the following endorsement of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Fort St George, 17th March 1873, No 3,046 —
From Lieutenant F. S SHEPHERD, R E, Executive Engineer in charge of Tinnevelly Range, to the District Engineer, Tinnevelly, dated Puthugudy, 4th March 1873, No 96.

I HAVE the honour to forward herewith my Inspection Reports with travelling allowance bills for January and February last

2 You will observe that I have claimed full travelling allowance for the days on which I was detained in Madras

3 As far as I am aware there is no provision made for such a case in the Travelling Allowance Rules, but I beg to bring to notice that I was obliged to hire a gharry at the rate of Rupees 3 per diem during the time that I remained in Madras, and was also obliged to keep up my horses and carriages and tents in Tinnevelly, but I cannot certify that I kept up carriage for a tent as required in order to enable me to claim the full allowance under the rules.

4 As the Controller will probably object to pass the claim without the orders of Government, I request that the question may be referred to Government for orders.

FORWARDED to the Controller of Public Works Accounts with two Inspection Reports and two bills

The undersigned thinks that Lieutenant Shepherd should have claimed only half travelling allowance for the days he halted at Madras

CAMP AT SATTUR,
7th March 1873.

(Signed) J W. RUNDALL,
District Engineer

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government

2 It is presumed that Lieutenant Shepherd's visit to Madras on duty was under the orders of Government

1 Letter, No 96, dated 4th March 1873, from Lieutenant Shepherd with endorsement by District Engineer

2 Inspection Reports.

2 Travelling Allowance Bills

* From 23rd January to 20th February 1873

† *Vide* Standing Order of the Government of India, communicated in G O, 2,635, dated 17th October 1871

3 As the period of Lieutenant Shepherd's* stay at Madras was in excess of fifteen days, that place must,† in the absence of orders to the contrary, be regarded as his temporary headquarters, and his claim to travelling allowance regulated accordingly.

(Signed) S BROCK,
Controller of Public Works Accounts

No 65

ORDER THEREON, 2nd April 1873, No 1,017

ESTABLISHMENT, No 3

As a special case Lieutenant Shepherd's residence in Madras for a period exceeding fifteen days shall not be held as constituting that place his head-quarters, and he will thus be entitled to receive half travelling allowance for the whole period of his stay. Full travelling allow-

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No 96 Sinnerelly Range Office
Puthugudy March 4th 1873

From

The Executive Engineer
in charge of Sinnerelly Range

To

The District Engineer
Sinnerelly

Sir

I have the honor
to forward, herewith,

7 forwarded to the my Inspection Reports
Controller of Works with Travelling allowance
accounts with 2 Bills for January and
Inspection Reports of February last
2 Bills

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Camp Sattur
7th March 1873

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(I have)

allowance regulated accordingly.

Office of the Controller of
P. W. Accounts

Fort St George, 17 March 1873

S. M. Hurd
Controller of P. W. Accounts

The Secretary of Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort St George.

Enclosed for the Secretary of Government
are the accounts of the Public Works Department
for the month of March 1873. The accounts
are in conformity with the instructions
of the Controller of P. W. Accounts.
Very respectfully,
S. M. Hurd

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
FORT ST. GEORGE

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case Lieutenant-Sherp-
herd's Residence in
Madras for a period
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tuting that place his
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to receive half travelling
allowance for the whole
period

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17th Nov 1873
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Mr. C. J. J. J.

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submitting a letter
from the Secretary,
with the Secretary's
indorsement, and
the Secretary's
allowance for the day
he waited at Madras

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period of his stay. Full
travelling allowance
could only have been
drawn in the event of
Lieutenant Shepherd
having been obliged to
maintain Carriage for
his Tent which was
not the case.

G.M.W.

St Eugene Limerick
Controller with four lines

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Govt. of 1873 Madras.

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To The District Commr
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G O 2nd April 1017.

Nos 64 & 65

Lieut Shepherd R.E.

Papery orders on Claim
referred by Lieut.
Shepherd for travelling
allowance.