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## Government of Madras.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 7th January* 1873.

No. 76. Read the following Endorsement of the District Engineer, Madura, dated Madura, 17th December 1872, No. 4,213 :—

From the Executive Engineer in charge of Dindigul Range, to the District Engineer, Madura, dated Dindigul, 15th December 1872, No. 565.

I HAVE the honour to submit a Memorandum, No. 327, dated 7th December 1872, received from the Controller of Public Works Accounts, calling upon me to elect between consolidated and non-consolidated pay.

2. It is difficult for me to arrive at a decision on this question until I know for certain whether Majors of Engineers in India are to receive Major's pay like they do in England.

3. I shall be obliged by your obtaining the opinion of Government on this question, which contains most important results to myself.

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FORWARDED to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, for the favour of the instructions of Government as to whether with the assimilation of rank to that of Royal Engineer Officers on the Imperial Establishment, the pay of Majors of Royal Engineers on the Madras Establishment will also be assimilated.

(Signed) R. A. ROBERTS, Lieut.-Colonel, R. E.,
*District Engineer.*

No. 77. ORDER THEREON, 7th January 1873, No. 39.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 9.

THE District Engineer will observe from the Notification of the Government of India, published at page 161 of the General Orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, dated 15th August 1872, that the Indian pay and allowances of Regimental Majors of Engineers will be the exact amount drawn by first Captains of the corps. The Government are not in receipt of any information as to revision of this decision.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
*Secretary to Government.*

To the District Engineer, Madura.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Dindigul 24

No 565. 15th December 1872.

From,

The Executive Engineer

in charge of Dindigul Range

To

The District Engineer of

Madura,

Sir,

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Enclosure: 1
1. Memo

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I have &c.

(Signed) W. Cunningham Capt. R.E.

Executive Engineer in charge

of Dindigul Range.—

(True Copy)

No 4213

Forwarded to the Secretary to Government P.W.D. for the favor of the instructions of Government as to whether with the assimilation of ranks to that of Royal Engineer Officers on the Imperial Establishment, the pay of Majors of Royal Engineers on the Madras Establishment will also be assimilated.— Enclosure 1

Madura
17th December 1875

(Signed) Richd Roberts Lieut. Colo. R.E.
District Engineer.

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P. W. 1872 No 4213
From No 6395
The District Engineer
Madura

To
The Secretary to
Government P.W.D.

Dated 17th December 1872
Received 23——a——m

Encl: 1.

Forwarded for instruction
of Government copy
of Captain Fearnyhough's
letter requesting to be informed
Majors of Engineers in
India are to become
Majors Pay.

Write an order

Put
to Pensions

No 39

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from the Notification of the Govt of India
published at page 161 of the General Orders
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of 15th August 1872 that the Indian pay
and allowances of Regimental Majors
of Engineers will be the exact amount
drawn by first Captains of the Corps

The Government are not in receipt
of any information as to pension
Post-Script of this decision.——
7th January 1873

To the Dy Engr Secretary
by C. dated 7/1/73.
P C —— 20/1/73.

C/2 6395

Govt. of {1873} Madras.

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To The District Engr
Madura

Dated

Recd. Encl. 1

G. O. 7th Jany 1873, No. 9

Nos. 76 & 77

Pay and allowances. The

Dist Engr., Madura,
informed of the Rules
Pay & allowances
drawn by Regimental
Majors of Engineers