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Public Works

DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
24th June 1874.*

No. 518. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. ROBERTS, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Kodicanal, 26th May 1874, No. 721 :—

I HAVE the honour to report that my attention is called by the District Magistrate to the necessity of providing a punkah to the "octagon dome room" in the Tiroomala Naick's Palace, Madura, and which is now in occupation as the Magistrate's Court, Madura.

2. I have accordingly prepared an estimate of Rupees 51 for the service in question, and I have obtained the Magistrate's countersignature to the same in token of his approval; but when I was about to submit the estimate to Government, G. O., No. 1,032, dated 22nd ultimo, has been received by me, to the effect that pending the submission of a complete set of plans and estimates embracing all the work that has to be provided for securing, restoring, and decorating the palace and utilizing it for public purposes, no papers relating to detached portions of work will be attended to.

3. Under these circumstances, the submission of the estimate for the sanction of Government has been deferred. But as it is urged that the work abovementioned is of an emergent nature, and as the provision of punkahs is clearly a charge against the item for office furniture on the department requiring the same, I solicit the early orders of Government on the subject.

No. 519. ORDER THEREON, 24th June 1874, No. 1,699.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 32.

G. O., No. 64, dated 10th September 1870.

THE provision of punkahs, as of all fixtures, is a charge against the Public Works Department; and the work in question is not of sufficient cost to have called for the orders of Government, or to have been mixed up with the subject of preparing complete plans and estimates for the work of restoring Tiroomala Naick's Palace at Madura.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madura.

District Engineer's Office
No 721 And Circuit Rodicanal 26 May 1874
From

Vicent. Colonel R. A. Roberts A.C.
District Engineer, Madurai,

To

Colonel G. W. Walker A.C.
Secretary to Government S.W.

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Your Most Obedt Servant
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District Engineer,

Public Works Department
 Proceedings of the Madras Govt.
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From

The District Engineer, Madras, to the Secy. to Govt. dated
 26 May 1874

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G.O. by d/10 Sep. 1870

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1874, 1875, 1876
 The District Engineer
 Madras

to the Secy. to Govt.
 Madras

Received 26 May 1874
 Dated 28 May 1874
 Received 1 June
 G.O. No. 1639, 24-6-74

Solicitor early orders
 of Government on the
 subject of providing
 a few racks to the
 Ceylon (some from
 in the Government
 Palace at Madras)

1874, 1875, 1876

preparing complete
Plans and Estimates
for the work of restoring
Srioomal Naick's Palace
at Madurai.

G.M.

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To the A. E. Madurai ✓
S. Capins despt. 6/7/74.

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preparing complete
Plans & Estimates

3231 ✓

Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The Dist. Engr.
Madras.

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

24th Jan. 1879

No. 518-519.

Punkah to the Octagon
Dome in Serampore Palace
Palace - Madras District.

Observing that the
~~cost of the work of providing~~
a Punkah to the Octagon
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Plans & Estimates for the restoration
of the Palace Works.