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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
30th April 1875.*

No. 749. Read the following endorsement of the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 22nd April 1875 :—

From Captain L. CONWAY-GORDON, R.E., Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 20th April 1875, No. 334.

With reference to paragraph 6 of G. O., No. 879, dated April 2nd, 1875, I have the honor to request that, should you approve of the proposal, you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of the Madras Government to my applying to the Superintendent of Government Printing, Calcutta, for a sufficient number of complete copies of the Public Works Code to circulate to all the District Engineers and Range Officers in the Madras Presidency.

2. You will remember that under G. O., No. 133, dated May 5th, 1874, Part I. of the forms of the Public Works Code were circulated to Range Officers. Since that date Government has decided on the introduction into this Presidency of the Government of India system of accounts. Before taking any practical step in this direction, I feel certain it would be useful to give every officer in the department the means of ascertaining in every detail what the system is which it is proposed to introduce.

On proposals for changes being brought forward, officers would then be in a position to bring their past experience immediately to bear on the questions at issue. Valuable opinions would thus be found ready which otherwise may take months to form.

3. It is understood that the circulation of these codes would not lead to any changes of system. These will be brought forward in a connected form when thoroughly thought over and discussed with officers of mature experience in the department.

4. In conclusion, I may remark that if the supply of Public Works Codes is sanctioned by the Government of India no payment therefore will be necessary.

SUBMITTED for the sanction of Government.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,  
*Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.*

No. 750. ORDER THEREON, 30th April 1875, No. 1,217.

ACCOUNT, No. 36.

SANCTIONED.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. W. J. Lewis.  
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Office of the Controller of  
Public Works Accounts  
No 384  
Madras 20 April 1875

From

The Controller of  
Public Works Accounts  
To

The Chief Engineer,  
Public Works Department,  
Fort Saint George

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4. In conclusion, I may remark that if the supply of Public Works books is sanctioned by the Government of India, no payment therefore will be necessary.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Stonway-London.

Controller of  
Public Works Accounts

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(Mr. 1875) Dehl  
From 15 22 2603.  
The Controller of  
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To The Chief Engineer  
Public Works Department  
Fort Saint George.

Dated 20 April 1875  
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Submitted for the sanction  
of the Government.  
Chief Eng. R. R. D.  
Chief Eng. R. R. D.

Mr. 1875 sent  
No 2838.

From  
Chief Engineer  
P.M. J.

Date 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1875.  
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some copies of the Public  
Works Code to Circulate  
to all Civil Engineers &  
Range officers.

No. 1217. 30-4-75.

With order  
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By Geo. 1217 of 30<sup>th</sup> April 1875—  
Sanctioned

Wm. J.

No 749-750

of Mr. Wm. W. W. W. W.

Ms. 30-4-75

P.C. 10-5-75

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To  
The Controller of  
P.W. Works.

Dated

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G. O., 30<sup>th</sup> April, No. 1217

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