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**Government of Madras**

*Public Works*

DEPARTMENT

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| G.O. No. | 1447      | Press |
| B.P. No. |           | Mis.  |
| Dated    | 26-5-1955 |       |

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
26th May 1875.*

No. 468. Read the following letter from J. H. LATHAM, Esq., Manager, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Coonoor, 20th April 1875, No. 47:—

In reference to the papers marginally noted, I have the honor to submit the following explanation as to why the decision of His Excellency in this case has not been acted upon. It is an extract

G. O., No. 1,127, of 30th April 1874.  
Your letter No. 7 of 29th January 1875.

from the Secretary's letter, dated London, 12th March 1875:—

"*Mr. Browning.*—This gentleman absolutely refused to refund the amount retrenched by the Government. He has been away, and is now at the Cape of Good Hope.

"(Signed) JOHN WESTWOOD,  
"Secretary."

2. Under the circumstances, I have the honor to ask that the sanction of Government be solicited to charge the amount (*viz.*, Rupees 1,600, disallowed in G. O., No. 1,379, of 17th May 1873,) as an irrecoverable overpayment to the head under which it was originally paid.

3. Should His Excellency in Council see reason to decline to do this, I beg to suggest that the amount be placed under the head "Items disallowed by Government."

No. 469. ORDER THEREON, 26th May 1875, No. 1,447.

IRRIGATION, No. 56.

*Establishment.*

THE Honorable the Governor in Council observes that the Board of Directors of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company was bound to carry out the leave rules in force, and to adjust Mr. Browning's salary in accordance therewith. The sum of Rupees 1,600 improperly paid to Mr. Browning, which the Board appear to be unable to recover, will be shown in the accounts under "Items disallowed by Government."

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,  
*Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.*

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

" " " and Manager, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.  
" Examiner of Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.  
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*Genl. P. B. Lept*

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Read the following:-

From the Chief Mgr & Managers }  
in. I & Co. } (C.R. No. 47 of 20 April 1955)

G.O. No. 1447 of 25th May 1955

The Honble. the

Governor in Council observes  
that the Board of Directors  
of the Madras Irrigation  
and Canal Company was  
bound to carry out the  
leave rules in force, and  
to adjust Mr. Brownings  
salary in accordance therewith.  
The sum of Rs. 1030  
improperly paid to  
Mr. Browning, which the  
Board appear to be unable  
to

to recover will be shown  
in the accounts under Items  
disallowed by Government.

by 10/5/75  
G.M.W.

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To The Chief Clerk for Single  
by Chief Clerk & Managers M.S. & Co.  
Examination of Accounts.  
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From  
The Chief Engineer &  
Manager M. J. C. Co.

No. 47  
No: 3219

Dated 20<sup>th</sup> Apr 1875  
Recd. 6<sup>th</sup> May 1875  
Recd. 13<sup>th</sup> May

Requests that a sum  
of Rs 1600 disallowed  
by Govt from Mr Brown  
ing's salary & which he  
refuses to refund may  
be written off as an  
irrecoverable overpayment.

26 No: 1447. 26-5-75.

No. 458

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Govt. of 1875 Madras.  
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Chief Engineer  
Irrigation

Dated

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G. O. 26 May 1875, No. 1447

Nos. 468-469

Mr. Browning (Madras  
Irrigation and Canal Company)

The sum of Rs: 1,000 improperly  
paid to ———, which the  
Board appear to be  
unable to recover, will be  
shown in the Accounts  
under "Items disallowed  
by Government."