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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
12th June 1875.*

No. 272. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Kodicanal, 26th May 1875, No. 696 :—

In acknowledging the receipt of G. O., No. 1,208, of 30th ultimo, I have the honor to state that the explanation therein called for have already been furnished in my letter No. 167, of 13th idem, recorded in G. O., No. 1,209, of 30th April 1875.

2. I beg further to add both works belong to one Budget head of expenditure *viz.*, "Civil Buildings," and transfers from one to the other could not possibly interfere with sanctioned Budget grants.

3. Having already brought to notice Mr. Hawksworth's proceedings in connection with the Pulney Cutcherry on several occasions, and the difficulties I have had to contend with to get any progress made with this work at all, and having had to make monthly inspections of it to ensure the work being properly done, I regret very much to find the Government consider I have totally failed to attend to these matters. As regards the slow progress with the Pereacolum Cutcherry, I beg very respectfully to refer to the orders of the Government, No. 1,191, dated 29th April 1875, in connection with Soobroya Iyer's leaving the Department, as he was specially sent to Pereacolum to attend to the works of that Taluq, but as soon as he found himself recommended for another appointment without my knowledge or consent he has been of little use to the district.

No. 273. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1875, No. 1,655.

ACCOUNT, No. 8.

RECORDED, with the remark that the District Engineer will understand that the debit to one work of expenditure incurred on another is absolutely prohibited.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,

*Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.*

To the District Engineer, Madura.  
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.  
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No 696.  
From

To,  
Lieut. Coll. J. H. Frischel R.E.  
District Engineer Madras.

Colonel G. W. Walker R.E.  
Secretary to Government  
P. W. D.  
Madras.

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of  
G. O. No 1208 of 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo, I have the honor to  
state that the explanations therein called for  
have already been furnished in my letter No 167  
of 13<sup>th</sup> Idem, recorded in G. O. No 1209 of 30<sup>th</sup> April/75.

2. I beg further to add both works  
belong to one Budget head of expenditure viz  
"Civil Buildings" and transfers from one  
to the other could not possibly interfere  
with sanctioned Budget grants.

3. Having already brought to notice  
Mr. Hawksworth's proceedings in connection  
with the Pulney Catchery on several occasions  
and the difficulties I have had to contend  
with to get any progress made with this work  
at all and having had to make monthly  
inspections of it to ensure the work being

properly done I regret very much to find the  
Government consider I have totally failed to  
attend to these matters: as regards the slow  
progress with the Peracolum Outchery I  
beg very respectfully to refer to the orders  
of the Government No. 1191 dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept 1875  
in connexion with Soobroya Dyer's leaving  
the Department as he was specially sent to  
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Taluk but as soon as he found himself  
recommended for another appointment  
without ~~my~~ <sup>my</sup> knowledge or consent <sup>the</sup> ~~his~~  
of little use to the District.

I have the honor to be

Yours <sup>Sir</sup> most obed<sup>t</sup> serv<sup>t</sup>

W. T. Turner M.A. B.L.S.  
District Engineer of Madras.

Q. 6. 30. et al. / 175 no 7304931  
 " 29. do do do 6884689  
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 Memo no 266 of 8 hours 1876  
 Q. 6. 23 July 174 no 5244525

P. W. 1895 Sept.  
 From  
 No. 2534  
 The District Engineer  
 To  
 General  
 The Secretary to Govt.  
 C. W. D.  
 Madras.

Dated 26. Decr. 1895  
 Recd. 31. Decr. 1895  
 No. 696.

I have the honor to acknowledge  
 the receipt of your letter of the 26th inst.  
 regarding the transfer of  
 certain funds to  
 some of the works  
 in this District  
 With Order

It is noted that the amount of Rs. 1000/-  
 will be paid to the credit of the  
 of the District Engineer on account of the  
 prohibited.

The District Engineer  
 C. W. D.  
 Madras.

No. 272/3  
 No. 10. 6. 75  
 C. W. D.  
 Madras.

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*Transfer of funds - Transfer  
Letter of Mr. District Officer  
forwarding explanation  
regarding certain  
recorded with the result  
that the debit to one  
work, of expenditure  
incurred on another  
is absolutely prohibited*