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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.
General.

Simla, July 7, 1876.

Transfer of Light-houses from Provincial Services to Imperial Funds.

Read again the following papers:—

Note by Accountant General, Public Works Department, No. 705, dated 14th March 1876.

Financial Department Resolution No. 912, dated 16th February 1876.

Read also the following:—

No. 446, dated 26th May 1876.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Financial Dept.

Read again—

Resolution in this Department, No. 912, dated 16th February 1876, directing the re-transfer of all receipts and charges on account of light-houses and light-ships from Provincial to Imperial, with effect from the beginning of 1875-76, and the reduction of the Provincial assignments accordingly.

RESOLUTION.—By the Resolution now read again, the amounts transferred from Marine to Provincial funds for the service of light-houses and light-ships were withdrawn. It now appears that, besides the amounts transferred from Marine, the Provincial assignments included provision for outlay on light-houses in the Public Works Department which, under the Resolution of 16th February 1876, will be Imperial. The Governor General in Council accordingly directs that the Provincial assignments be further reduced with effect from the beginning of 1875-76, to the extent of Rs. 22,725 as noted in the margin.

	Average outlay per annum for five years ending with 1870-71. Rs.
Madras	610
Bombay	2,202
Bengal	1,769
British Burmah	18,144
	22,725

No. 912, dated 16th February 1876.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Financial Dept.

Read again—

Financial Resolution No. 3296, dated 5th September 1871, ruling that light-houses required wholly or chiefly for local trade shall be Provincial, while those essential to the general trade of a large portion of the empire shall be Imperial.

Financial Resolution No. 2125, dated 7th November 1872, directing the transfer to Provincial revenues of all receipts and charges of light-houses, light-ships and pilot services which had been treated as Imperial.

RESOLUTION.—Experience has shown that the provision and maintenance of light-houses cannot conveniently be treated as a Provincial service. His Excellency in Council accordingly directs, in supersession of all previous orders, that all receipts and charges of light-houses and light-ships which have been made Provincial be re-transferred to the Imperial estimates and accounts, with effect from the beginning of 1875-76, and that Provincial allotments be reduced, in consequence of this re-transfer, to the extent noted in the margin.

	£.
Bombay	806
Madras	997
Burmah	5,550

RESOLUTION.—Under the orders contained in the foregoing Resolution, the outlay in the Public Works Department during 1875-76 on construction and

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repair of light-houses should be debited to Imperial funds. In making such debit the usual percentage to meet charges for establishment should be added. And if the debit causes any excess over the Imperial allotment for Public Works, the amount of such excess may be considered as properly authorised under authority of this Resolution.

2. In order to provide funds to meet the outlay on light-houses in the Public Works Department during 1876-77, the Local Governments and Administrations concerned are requested to submit an application for such additional grant as may be necessary for the purpose. Full details should be furnished in the form of the budget-estimate showing the items making up the demand, and the demand for the year should be restricted only to absolutely urgent and necessary requirements.

3. It should be understood that these orders have no reference to light-houses, the construction and the maintenance of which have to be provided for by Port or other special funds.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the Local Governments and Administrations noted on the margin for information and guidance, and to the Financial Department and Accountant General, Public Works Department, for information.

The Governments of Madras, Bombay and Bengal, in the Public Works Department.
The Chief Commissioner of British Burmah.
The Superintendent of Port Blair, and Chief Commissioner, Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.
General.

To

The Governments of Madras, Bombay, and Bengal, in the Public Works Department.
The Chief Commissioner of British Burmah.
The Superintendent of Port Blair.
The Financial Department.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.

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Dated SIMLA, July 7, 1876.

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Transfer of light-houses from Provincial Services to Imperial Funds.

No 40

District Engineer's Office. (5)
Camp Sarvahalli 7th June 1876.

From. J. O'Shaughnessy Esquire.
District Engineer of Nellore.

To, Major General G.H. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government
P.W. Department.
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will be good enough to grant an allotment of Rs. 897 from Imperial Funds for repairing the Armaghaum Light-house ordered to be carried out in G.O. No 410 of 15th February 1876.

I regret that owing to an oversight in my Office that this application was not made in the statement of incomplete works forwarded on the 27th April 1876 as I think it should have been.

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Please the honourable the
Secretary
to Government
Public Works Department

Your Most Obedient Servant
W. Thuillier
Colonel R.E.
Chief Engineer

Memo: 1027 & 32 July 1876

The District Engineer
Nellore is requested to be fur-
nished with a statement as speci-
fied in margin for funds required
for repairing the Armingham
Light House in the form
laid down
for in complete
work.

Sd/- G. H. W.
Colonel
C.E.
22 July 1876

Supplemental

Nellore District

Statement Showing the works in progress or not completed on the 31st March 1876 and for which no provision has been made in the Budget for 1876-77.

Works	Amount of Estimate	Date of Sanction	Past Expenditure	Balance of Estimate	Amount required for 1876-77	Remarks
Imperial						
Repairs						
Miscellaneous Public Improvements						
B. Aids to Marine Navigation						
ii Light-houses.						
Repairing Light House at Nonsapalem	900	20 Nov 1875	3	897	897	Vide Chief Engineer's Memo No 1027 of 3 July 1876

District Engineer's Office
Nellore 7th July 1876

G. H. W.
District Engineer

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From

The District Engineer

Hallow

To

The Chief Engineer

&c &c

Madras

Dated 7th July 1876

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Supplemental Statement
showing the works in
Progress or not completed
on the 31st March 1876 &
for which no provision
has been made in the
Budget for 1876-77.

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" 13-9-75 - 2645 & 2646
- 2-11-75 - 3103.
- 14-12-75 - 3533.
- 11-3-76 - 71
- 10-4-76 - 952
- 25-4-76 - 171.

L. H. 1876 Department
No. H 153

From Sub District Engineer
Holyhead

To Lieut. Col. Lloyd to Govt.
I. B. Hospitals
Fort St. George

Dated 7th June 1876
Rec'd 10th — Do —

Encl. V.P.
" Sp. 40
" Penmaenbach Light House
Requesting to reimburse
allotments of £8 897 from
Imperial Funds for 1876/77
for Repairing —

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29-11-72 .. 287 } Marine Dept.
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11-3-76 - 71 - 10-4-76 .. No 942
14-6-76 - 100. 22-6-76 - 166. 15-2-76 - 440.
25-4-76 - 171 No 1801 D 25 July
Communicated to the Officers concerned for information and guidance in continuation of P.C. No 100 dated 14th June 1876.

The Examiner will make the necessary adjustments in the Accounts of 1875-76 and the Master Attendant (Administrative Department) Madras will be called on in the Marine Department for a schedule in the budget form, of requirements under Imperial for 1876-77.

Dy. P.W. Accounts
Dist. Engineers Concerned
Marine Department

Dated 8-8-76

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Dated SIMLA, July 7, 1876.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.
General.

To

The Governments of Madras, Bombay, and Bengal, in the Public Works Department.
The Chief Commissioner of British Burmah.
The Superintendent of Port Blair.
The Financial Department.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.

Transfer of light-houses from Provincial Services to Imperial Funds.

With Order

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Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Examiner of P. W. A.

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Dated

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Read

Entd

G. O. 25th July 1876, No. 1841

No. 415/417 &c.

Ent. P. W. A. Pkg. 15-8-76

Light Houses

Proceedings of the Govt of India communicating certain remarks Resolution directing the transfer of ——— from Provincial services to Imperial Funds, Comm the Officers concerned with certain instructions