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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
15th September 1876. *No* 2,465

No 239. Read the following Circular from the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Establishment—General,) to the Governments of Madras and Bombay, in the Public Works Department, General, Irrigation and Railway Branches, the Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab, in the Public Works Department, General and Irrigation Branches, the Chief Commissioners of Oudh, Central Provinces, British Burmah, Mysore and Coorg, and Assam, the Resident at Hyderabad, the Agents of the Governor-General for Central India and Rajpootana, the Superintendent of Port Blair, and Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, the Inspector-General of Military Works, the Director of State Railways, the Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Calcutta, Lahore, and Lucknow, dated Simla, 15th August 1876, No 49 —

SEVERAL Officers of Royal Engineers in the Public Works Department, who elected for the new scale of consolidated salaries under the operation of Public Works Department Notification No 341 of 7th October 1870, have represented to the Government of India that their position has since been materially altered by the restoration to the Ordnance Corps of the rank of Major which was not in existence at the time they made their choice between the old and new scale of salaries They have alleged that had they elected for Staff salary in addition to Military pay and allowances, they would have been, in point of salary, gainers to a much greater extent by the introduction of the rank of Major than they have been under the consolidated rates of pay

2 The Governor-General in Council has been led to reconsider the decision published in Circular No 16, dated 4th February 1875, and, with the concurrence of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, is now pleased to rule that all Royal Engineer Officers who, being at the time below the Regimental rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, elected for the consolidated rates of pay between the 7th October 1870 and the 1st April 1875, the date from which the increased Major's pay was drawn, may have the option of re-electing on the distinct understanding that those Officers who re-elect will have to refund any difference to their advantage which they may have received under the consolidated scale of salaries, as compared with what they would have received had they in the first instance elected for Staff salary and Military pay and allowances In the case of Officers in India the election is to be made within one month from date of Circular, and in that of Officers on furlough within one month of date of receipt of Circular, copies of which should be sent to them by Heads of Departments.

3 In case the sum to be refunded should in any case prove to be large, Local Governments and Administrations may direct the Controller to retrench it in suitable instalments.

(Signed) A B SAMPSON,
Under Secy to the Govt. of India

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No 240 ORDER THEREON, 15th September 1876, No. 2,465.

ESTABLISHMENT, No A

COMMUNICATED to all District Engineers in continuation of G O, No 789, dated 20th March 1875. The Officers concerned will submit their replies to this Circular through the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, who will note on the elections made, especially with reference to any sum that may have to be refunded.

2. Officers on furlough will be supplied with the Circular direct.

3 The time allowed for re-election will be one month from the date of those orders in the case of Officers in India, and one month from the date of receipt in the case of Officers on furlough

(True Extract)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Major-General, R.E,
Secretary to Government.

New scale of salaries 27/10/70.
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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The Resident at Hyderabad

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The Superintendent of Port Blair and Chief Commissioner, Andaman and Nicobar Islands

The Accountant General, Public Works Department

The Inspector General of Military Works.

The Director of State Railways

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Circular No. 49 Public Works.

Dated SIMLA, August 15, 1876.

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Communicated to all Royal Engineer Officers concerned ~~of the Public Works Department~~

All R.E. Concerned 29.8.76.

Permission granted to Royal Engineer Officers below rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to re-elect the old or new scale of salaries under certain conditions.

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