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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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No. 101. Read the following letter from Captain L. CONWAY-GORDON, R.E.,
Examiner of Public Works Accounts, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George,
5th September 1876, No. 203 W:—

I VENTURE respectfully to request that I may be favored with definite instructions
as to the intentions of Government with regard to the work now being carried out in
connection with the Cumbum tank in Kurnool district.

2. The points on which I have need of information are—

(a.) The agency by which the work is to be executed.

(b.) The head of service, fund, and class to which it is debitable.

(c.) The limit up to which the executive officer or other agent is authorized
to incur expenditure.

3. With regard to the agency I may point out that the arrangements sanctioned
in G.O., No. 1,885, dated 25th July 1876, is that the work shall be carried out by the
Revenue Department from funds supplied by the Public Works Department; whilst
on the other hand the arrangement communicated in G.O., No. 168, dated 29th July
1876, is that the work shall be carried out by the Public Works Department from funds
supplied by the Revenue Department.

4. The work appears to have been undertaken as a 'Famine Relief Work' but
in the absence of definite orders I do not feel justified in treating it as such.

5. The District Engineer, Kurnool, has applied to me for instructions on some
points connected with this work; but in the absence of definite orders of Government
I am unable to give him any information.

No. 102. ORDER THEREON, 6th October 1876, No. 2,696.

IRRIGATION, No. 13.

Account.

THE Examiner of Public Works Ac-
counts will be informed that—

1st.—The agency by which work in
connection with the Cumbum tank and its
channels is to be executed has been or will be settled between the Assistant Collector
and the Assistant Engineer on special duty.

2ndly.—The head of service, fund and class to which expenditure may be
debitable will appear from the accounts submitted by the Assistant Engineer on
special duty, and if the propriety of the debit appears to be doubtful a reference
regarding specific items can be made by the Examiner to Government. The clearance
of channels on which the principal part of the expenditure has been incurred will be
chargeable to Irrigation, Ordinary Agricultural, Repairs. G.O., No. 168, of the 29th
July 1876, contains all the information available on this point and is sufficient for a
general guide.

No. 2037

From

THE CONTROLLER,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE, 5th September 1876.

Sir

I venture respectfully to request that I may be favoured with definite instructions as to the intentions of Government with regard to the work now being carried out in connection with the Namam Tank, in Kurnool District.

2. The points on which I have need of information are

- (a) The agency by which the work is to be executed.
- (b) The Head of Service Fund and Chap to which it is debitable.
- (c) The limit up to which the Executive Officer or other agent is authorized to incur expenditure.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
6th October 1876. No. 2,696.

3rdly.—The executive officer has been authorized to incur any necessary expenditure for emergent work, and the estimates or bills for such work can be disposed of by the District Engineer.

(True Extract.)

Colonel,
Offg. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" District Engineer, Kurnool.
" Special Officer, Cumbum.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

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3. With regard to the agency I may point out that the arrangements sanctioned in Government Order 1885 dated 25th July 1876 is that the work shall be carried out by the Revenue Department from funds supplied by the Public Works Department; whilst on the other hand the arrangement communicated in Government Order 168 dated 29th July 1876 is that the work shall be carried out by the Public Works Department from funds supplied by the Revenue Department.

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5. The District Engineer, Murnool has applied to me for instructions on some points connected with this work, but in the absence of definite orders of Government, I am unable to give him any information.

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

Loway-Jordon.

Examiner, P. W. Accounts

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8.1 May 76. No 1074
 3 June 76. 1072
 3 July 76. 1075
 28 July 76. 1885
 29 July 76. 108.

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From

The Engineer
 P. W. D.

To.

The Secy. to Govt.
 P. W. D.

Dated 5th Sept 76
 P. W. D.

No 203 W.
 Request to be
 favored with the definite instructions
 as to the intention of Govt.
 with regard to works in connection
 with Kambam Tank.

Form No. 22.

No 2696

Public Works Department.

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Read the following:-

From Engineer of
P. W. D.

No 203 W. 5 Sept. 1876

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July 2/10

G.O. No. 1652 - 20 June 1876

Ex. P. L. H. ✓
S. E. H. M. ✓
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C. E. H. M. ✓
Dated 20/10/76

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Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Engineer of P. W. D.

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G. O., 5th October 1876, No.

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Works connected with
the Cumbum Tank &c

Memorandum Affording
information on certain points
raised by the G. O. of 1876
as regards the Agency by which
the work is to be executed &
the classification of the
expenditure incurred of