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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
16th November 1876. No. 3,065.*

No. 271. Read the following letter from Colonel H. DRUMMOND, R.E., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Railway,) to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, (Railway,) dated Simla, 4th November 1876, No. 3,072 R:—

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2,489, dated the 18th September 1876, and in reply to convey the confirmation of the Government of India to the sanction accorded by the Madras Government to an estimate, amounting to Rupees 30,820, for the provision of fourteen additional brake vans on the South Indian Railway. I am also to sanction the expenditure of Rupees 7,000 applied for in paragraph 2 of your letter for fitting a brake to each engine working over the steep gradients of the southern extension of the line.

2. At the same time I am to communicate the following remarks:—In your letter it is said that the fourteen brake vans, for which sanction is applied for, are in addition to the sanctioned number of fifty-six. In the revised estimate however of metre gauge stock for the line, submitted with your letter, No. 433, dated 17th February 1876, provision has been made for fifty-three brake vans only, viz., thirty-seven passenger and sixteen goods. This estimate has not yet been sanctioned by the Government of India. A revision of it was requested in Public Works Department No. 1,638 R, dated the 30th June 1876, to which no reply has been received. I am to request that the revised estimate, including the sums now sanctioned by the Government of India, may be submitted at an early date.

3. I am further to point out that the average cost of the passenger brake vans as per estimate submitted—

	RS.
in February 1876 is	3,316
of goods brake vans	1,639
of the brake vans now sanctioned	2,201

and to request that some explanation concerning these variations may be submitted with the revised estimate.

4. The sanctions accorded in paragraph 1 of this letter have been registered as No. 14 M.R., of 1876-77, and will be superseded by the sanction to the revised estimate when it shall have been received and orders passed on it.

No. 272. ORDER THEREON, 16th November 1876, No. 3,065.

RAILWAY, No. 43.

COMMUNICATED to the Consulting Engineer for Railways for information and guidance with reference to the under-mentioned orders:—

G.O., No. 432, dated 17th February 1876.
 " " 1,777, " 12th July "
 " " 2,488, " 18th September "

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2. The sanction accorded by the Government of India has been registered as
Railway No. 19 W of 1876-77.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.
Examiner of Railway Accounts.

P.W.D.

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No. 3192

No 3065 of 16 Nov 76
Communicated
to the Consulting Engineer
for Railways for infor-
-mation and guidance
with reference to the
undermentioned orders
G.O. 432 of 17th Feb 1876
" 1777 of 12 July 1876
" 2488 of 18 Sept. 1876

From

The Government of India

Dated 4th November 1876

No 3072 B.

AMM
The sanction accorded
by the Govt of India
has been registered as
Railway No 19 W of
1876-77-

No 271/72

Consdng for Rs
Exam. Exp. Account D.

drpd 23-11-76

Confirms (with remarks) the
sanction of Rs 30,820 for 14
additional brake vans on the
S.I. Ry, also sanctions the
expenditure of Rs 7000 for fitting
a brake to each engine working
over the steep gradients of the
Southern Extension.

With order.

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Govt. of 1876 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

17/11

Dated

Issued

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Encl.

G. O., 1876, No. 3005

Nos. 27/77

Additional Gravel
for the S. I. Dy. —
Letter from the Fort of India
confirming the sanction ac-
— corded by His Fort to an
Expenditure of Rs 80,820
for constructing — Comd.
to the C. Eng. — for Rs 80 —