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Government of Madras

Public Works

DEPARTMENT

G.O. No.
B.P.—No.

3180

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Dated

28—11—1956

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23th November 1876. No. 3,180.*

No. 488. Read the following letter from Colonel J. J. McLEOD INNES, R.E., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account—Irrigation,) to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, (Irrigation Branch,) dated Simla, 31st October 1876, No. 388 A—I:—

I AM directed to acknowledge receipt of your letters* quoted in the margin, forwarding certain papers, from which it is observed that the revised estimate of the Survapully project is expected to amount to Rupees 5½ lakhs, and that the estimate is likely to be submitted by the District Engineer during the current month.

* No. 2,240, dated 24th August 1876.
„ 2,386-A, dated 7th September 1876.

2. In reply I am to say that, until the estimate is received and sanctioned by the Government of India, the President in Council cannot allow any further expenditure to be incurred on the project from the Extraordinary Grant. The allotment allowed for the purpose for the current official year, amounting to Rupees 26,500, is therefore cancelled, and, if the money cannot be spent on any sanctioned Irrigation Extraordinary project, it will be resumed by the Government of India.

3. The orders thus issued leave no alternative but to require that any outlay that may be incurred on the project during 1876-77 should be debited to the Ordinary Grant. I am therefore to ask that, if any such outlay has taken place, it may at once be provided for by a re-appropriation of budget credits, as the Government of India considers that risk of excess outlay over the Ordinary Grant for the current official year cannot be too carefully avoided.

4. I am to take this opportunity to point out that, from information received from the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, it would appear that the outlay on certain minor works not provided for in the sanctioned estimate of the Survapully project has been debited to the Extraordinary Grant on the authority of the District and Superintending Engineers. The President in Council considers that this unwarrantable debit must be cancelled, and I am therefore to ask that full particulars of the amount involved, and of the circumstances under which the charge was made, may be furnished to the Government of India, when further orders will be issued on the subject.

No. 489. ORDER THEREON, 28th November 1876, No. 3,180.

IRRIGATION, No. 40.
Account.

COMMUNICATED to the District Engineer, Nellore, who will at once stop all expenditure on the Survapully project from the Extraordinary Grant, and will report the

outlay incurred since the 1st April last thereupon.

2. The District Engineer will also furnish the information required by paragraph 4 of the foregoing letter from the Government of India.

3. The District Engineer will explain why the revised estimate for this project, which was promised at the beginning of October, has not yet been submitted.

No 3180

Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 28 Decr 1876

Read the following:—

From Govt of India L. E. N. 300 A. J. d. 31 Oct 1876

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4. It is observed that the figures given in paragraph 2 of the letter from the Government of India are taken from the Budget Preliminary Issue, and that in the Final Issue they are—

	RS.
Works	21,000
Establishment	5,766
Tools and Plant	250
Total ...	27,016

(True Extract.)

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

of India.

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To Mr. N. E. Bellus

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G. D. 28th Nov 1876, No. 3180

Dec. 4th 1876

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Respectfully Received Notice
from the
Govt of India directing the
transfer of further expenditure
from the Public Works Grant
to the Public Works Grant
— Under the receipt
and sanction of the Public
Communications Grant
under the Public Works

Dec 21-11-76.