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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

## Government of Madras

*Public Works*

DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
21st July 1876. No. 1,849.*

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No. 354. Read the following endorsement of the Officiating District Engineer, dated Tripatore, 4th July 1876, No. 49 :—

From R. J. LOWRY, Esq., Executive Engineer in charge of Oosoor Range, Salem District, to R. E. NORFOR, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, Salem, dated Oosoor, 29th June 1876, No. 419.

REFERRING to G.O., No. 1,404, of the 6th June 1876, sanctioning the estimate, amounting to Rupees 5,800, for the construction of a residence for the Range Officer at this station (Oosoor) and regretting that owing to want of funds the work must be postponed, I have the honor to state that a merchant at this place has expressed his willingness to build the house according to plan and estimate, and wait for payment for one year if he be allowed to draw the rent after the house is occupied until he is paid in full.

2. As by this arrangement no loss or inconvenience will accrue, and as it meets the objection as regards want of funds, and will ensure the house being built within say six months, I request you will be good enough to submit the proposal for the consideration of Government, as the contractor requires that the sanction of the authorities be obtained.

SUBMITTED to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, for favorable consideration and orders of Government.

2. The want of a residence for the Range Officer has long been a cause of considerable inconvenience.

(Signed) R. E. NORFOR,  
Officiating District Engineer.

Nos. 355.

ORDER THEREON, 21st July 1876, No. 1,849.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 31.

THE District Engineer is authorized to assure the merchant of the intention of Government, to purchase the building provided its construction is supervised by the Range Officer in the same manner as public works are dealt with.

(True Extract.)

To the District Engineer, Salem.

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

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

Spare Copies

Letter from the District Engineer, Salem No. 49 dated 4<sup>th</sup> July 1876.

FOR ORDERS.

Circulated for Orders.

There seems no objection to the proposal provided the Range Officer supervise the execution of the work in the same way as he would a Public building, which it will eventually become.

Which this might be done. The matter is in hand in person of a contractor who is willing to wait for payment.

9/7 M. J. [Signature] Major Genl. R. B.  
Secretary to Government D. P. M.  
M. J. [Signature] 14/7  
11/7

FOR ORDERS.

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Ch 6798  
Salem

No 419  
Dessau Range Office  
Dessau, 29<sup>th</sup> June 1876  
The Officer in charge of  
Dessau Range,  
Salem District.  
The District Engineer,  
Salem.  
Referring to G. O. No 1404 of  
the 6<sup>th</sup> June 1876, sanctioning the  
estimate amounting to Rs 5800 for the  
construction of a residence for the Range  
officer at this station (Dessau) and  
regretting that, owing to want of  
funds, the work must be postponed,  
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after

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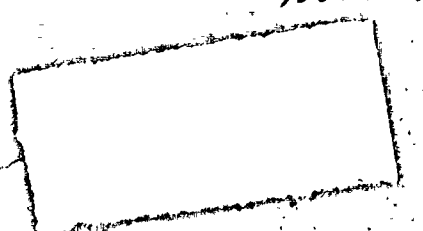
I have the honour to be,  
Sir, your obedient servant.

(Signed) R. J. Lowry,  
Executive Engineer.

No. 49 District Engineer's Office,  
Tripatore 4 July 1876.

Submitted to the Secretary  
to Government for favourable con-  
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ence.



*Allofn*

Offg District Engineer.

The Secretary to Government,

*D. P. W.*

1896 Dept. No. 4798

*[Handwritten signature]*

1896  
 14th July 1896  
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 No. 49  
 Submitting for consideration  
 copy of letter from  
 Range Officer  
 stating that a subject  
 is willing to construct  
 the house for the  
 Range Officer and  
 wait a year for payment.

From  
 The District Engineer  
 Salem  
 To  
 The Secretary to Govt.  
 P.W.

N3574

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 Desps to Secy 6-7-76.

Public Works Department.  
 No. 1049  
 PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 21<sup>st</sup> July/76.  
 Read the following:—

From  
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 Public Works are dealt  
 with.

District Engineer.  
 Salem  
 21/7  
 Secy 31/7/76

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Ct 4798  
Govt. of 1876 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The R. G. Laloo.

Date

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G. O., 21 July 1876, No. 1049

Nos. 354-355

Building  
Residence for a Range  
Officer at Coosur - Salem  
District - Authorizing the District Officer  
to assure the merchant who  
is willing to undertake the  
erection of the — that the  
Govt will purchase if it  
provides its construction  
is supervised by a Range  
Officer in the same manner  
as P.W. are dealt with.