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Government of Madras.

*Public Works* DEPARTMENT.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

13th October 1877, No. 1,010 W.

General.

Account.

Read the following paper:—

No. 135. Resolution of the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account-General,) dated Simla, 21st September 1877, Circular No. 52 P. W.

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(Signed) J. J. McLEOD-INNES, Lt.-Col., R.E.,  
Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Military (Marine) Department, under date Simla, the 4th June 1877, No. 9 S.

READ Financial Department Resolution No. 3,665 of the 31st October 1876, in paragraph III of which it is directed that returns should be prescribed in the Military (Marine) Department, to be submitted to the Government of India through the Local Government, in order to show periodically the nature of the service actually done by each Indian Government vessel, and the necessity for her continued employment.

RESOLUTION.—The work done and the passengers carried by certain vessels being now fully reported by letters of proceedings in accordance with Article 58 of the Marine Instructions, no further orders appear, in respect to them, necessary. In all other vessels, other than mere row boats, employed in any department of the public service, and from which letters of proceedings are not forwarded, a log or register is to be kept, in Form A attached, and forwarded quarterly to the Military (Marine) Department of the Government of India, through the local authority under whom the vessel is placed. In vessels having a competent officer on board the log or register will be kept by him, otherwise the officer using the vessel, or under whose authority she is employed, will enter the required particulars.

To further enable the Government of India to judge of the necessity for the continued employment of the different vessels, Local Governments and Departments will on the 1st of every quarter send a list in Form B attached, of all the vessels, other than row boats, employed by them, noting the changes that have taken place since the last return.

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Extracts from the quarterly returns will be forwarded by the Military (Marine) Department to the Account Departments, to enable them to check and recover the deductions from the travelling allowance of officers using Government vessels.

Officers in charge of the several offices in which marine expenditure is recorded will furnish quarterly to the Military (Marine) Department, returns, in Form C, showing the expense incurred on account of all Indian Government vessels during the quarter, with a view to the preparation, at the end of the financial year, for the information and consideration of the Government of India, of one complete return showing all vessels maintained by Imperial or Provincial funds, the actual work done by them, and their cost.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance.

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No. 17 S.

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To the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Railway Branch.

No. 136. ORDER THEREON, 13th October 1877, No. 1,010 W.

RECORDED, in continuation of G.O., No. 728 W, dated 13th September 1877.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,  
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.  
„ Superintending Engineer, Kistna.  
„ „ „ Godavery.  
„ District Engineer, Madura.  
„ Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.  
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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Enclosures to P. W. Dept. Circular No. 52 P. W. of 1877.

Form A.

INDIAN GOVERNMENT STEAMER.

Register of employment, quarter ending \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

Name and designation of officer  
under whom employed, and responsible  
or same.

Forwarded for the information of the Marine Department of the Government of India.

## INDIAN GOVERNMENT STEAMER.

*Abstract of employment during quarter ended*

Number of days actually used or moved.

" " on duty, though not actually moved.

" " not employed.

## INSTRUCTIONS.

Whenever this vessel is used or employed, the officer using her or under whose authority she is used, is to enter in this log or register the particulars of the employment according to the columns provided in the form.

The names of all Europeans, with their official designation, embarked, numbers of natives, and quantity, and general description of stores carried, must be shewn.

Private individuals and women must be included.

If the vessel is sent on duty without a European on board, the officer so sending her must enter the particulars.

This register will thus form a continuous record of the proceedings of the vessel and the work she does. At the end of each quarter it is to be forwarded to the Marine Department of the Government of India, and a new one begun in the vessel.

If this vessel is employed on ferry or such like work, it will be sufficient to give the daily totals of passengers and stores carried.

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| <p>Passengers, &amp;c., conveyed.</p> <p><i>Note.</i>—</p> <p>Name and official designation of Europeans to be here given in full.</p> <p>Numbers of Natives to be shewn.</p> <p>Description and quantity of stores to be noted.</p> | <p>Remarks.</p> |
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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 |

Form B.

| Name or description<br>of vessel. | General nature of employ-<br>ment. | Whether employed in re-<br>serve or under repair,<br>&c., &c. | Is HER RETENTION<br>DESIRABLE. |                         | Remarks as to additions<br>or decrease, changes<br>made in number or<br>employment. |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                   |                                    |                                                               | O n financial<br>grounds.      | F o r other<br>reasons. |                                                                                     |
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Form C.

(NOTE.—Omit fractions of a rupee.)

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Circular No. 52 Public Works.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.

General.

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A. G.'s No. 75, G. C. B. Press—29-9-77—723.

*To the Secy. to the Govt. of Madras  
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