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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1651 (W)	Press <u>Mis.</u>
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

14th November 1877, No. 1,651 W.

General
Establishment.

Read the following papers:—

No. 147. From District Engineer, Presidency, 16th March 1876, No. 5,427.

No. 147-A. From do., do., 9th Nov. 1877, No. 4,577.

No. 148. ORDER THEREON, 14th November 1877, No. 1,651 W.

CHUCKRAVURTHY MOODELLIAR should be required to pass the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examination, exemption from which cannot be sanctioned on the grounds advanced.

2. Doubtless, if he cannot qualify, there will be no difficulty in replacing him.

(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, Presidency.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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C^o 1817. Public Works Workshop,
Chepauk, 30th October 1873.

To
The General Superintendent
Public Works Workshop and Store
Co
The District Engineer
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Sir,
In compliance with your letter, C^o 1817, dated 28th October 1873, I have
1. Resolved to forward the Enrolled Regular
2. Certificates of P. Chickravetty, whom I have
1. Recommended for promotion to the
post of Assistant Book Keeper in
the Workshop establishment.
Chickravetty was entertained as
Clerk on the 17th August 1867 by my
predecessor on a Salary of Rupees 125/-,
and in September 1868 was promoted
to Rupees 30/-; but under the operation
of G. O. 123rd October 1866, C^o 209,
he was not allowed to draw more
than Rupees 19/8/- as Salary, and
on the re-classification of the Office
in August 1869 he was put down
to Rupees 20/-, but still under the
provisions of the above G. O., drew
only Rupees 19/8/-, which amount
is

is still drawn on Abstract. He
 was first employed as Clerk, and
 subsequently promoted to Assistant
 Bookkeeper on Repe 30%, but while
 he continued to discharge efficiently
 the duties required of him, he was
 not allowed to draw the emolument
 of his grade, but from the date
 of certification to the present, drew
 only Repe 19 1/8% per month. Chas R
 recently was employed in the
 Madison Railway Store and workshop
 from May 1857 to 11th May 1867,
 where he drew a salary of Repe 40%,
 and his services were disburse
 with out an deduction of statement.
 I enclose two copies of Testimonials of
 Character given him by the Railway
 Officials, and I cordially endorse
 all that is said of him by them.
 I have found him painstaking,
 patient, and honest in his
 accounts, and therefore see no
 hesitation in recommending him
 to fill the Post of Assistant Book-
 keeper, the duties of which are
 very arduous, and require a
 painstaking and patient man
 to work up the accounts. The
 Division of S. C. dated 23rd October
 1866, ex. 309 above quoted.

Howard

However militate against his
 advancement to grade above Repe
 20%, and, considering that Chas R
 recently has served six years and
 three months in the office without
 any increase to his salary, I beg
 that his case may be viewed
 with indulgent consideration.
 If, under the above circum-
 stances, Chas R recently is considered
 worthy of promotion, I respectfully
 request that Government not be
 reluctant to exempt him from the
 W. C. C. examination, so long as
 he remains in the Western office.
 I have the honor to be
 Sir,

Your most obedient servant,
 J. H. Minger
 Genl. Super. No. Western.

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No.
The Stationary
Residing

Nov. 30. Oct. 73.
Recd.

Lynchburg,
Va. 1874.

Thomas David
Hester of P.
Shaver's Mills,
and Sept. au)
his character, and
Qualification —

No. 4954

From

THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,

PUBLIC WORKS, WORKSHOPS AND STORES.

To

THE

District Engineer
Presidency
Fort Saint George

SIR,

Enclosures

With reference to your kind communication No 5297 dated 8th March 1876. Communicating G. O. 3rd March 1876 No 580, I have the honor to report that P. Chuchranthy Moodellian is the only individual in the Public Works Stores and Workshop establishment who comes under the purview of the above G. O. He is substantive pay as Clerk in the Workshop Office is Rupees 20, but he draws Rupees 19.8.0.

The inconvenience and delay in closing the accounts of the shop for the current Official year, which this man's dismissal would involve would be incalculable, as he prepares the detailed statements from which the closing entries are made for each month by the Book-keeper. The details are collected from

from the workbooks and time table,
and comprises expenditure on materials
and labor, a knowledge of which requires
long experience in the system of Workshop
Accounts; and is not easily or readily
acquired, and unless these detailed
statements are carefully and correctly
prepared, the closing entries for each
month would be proneous; and the
discrepancies would not be discovered
until the end of the year, when the
Balance sheet is prepared. The slightest
error in these statements would involve
a searching examination of the whole
year's accounts. Chuekraworthy is
also employed in checking and preparing
Bills, before passing them on for final
check to the Bookkeeper; so that a
double check is here used on all money
transactions in connection with the
Workshops; the loss therefore of his
services would indeed be great, as
his intimate knowledge of the work
above describes, from long experience
(first, in the Railway Workshops; where
he was thrown out on reduction of
establishment, and afterwards in
this Office for more than eight years)
enables him to execute it accurately

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and expeditiously. Chuekraworthy
is 52 years of age, and quite incapable
of passing any examination, but as
he is peculiarly fitted for Workshop
Account branch, I beg that the Govern-
ment may be moved to make a con-
cession in his favor, and exempt him
from passing the Unconquanted Civil
Service Examination, so long as he is
employed in the Public Works Workshop
Office.

For further particulars about
Chuekraworthy, I beg to invite attention
to my letter No. 1817 of the 30th October 1873.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt Servant.

J. H. W. M. S. P.
Produce & Workshop & other

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PRESIDENCY DISTRICT ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

Fort Saint George,

No. 5427.

16th March 1876.

From

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,

PRESIDENCY,

To

THE Chief Engineer, and
Secretary to Government
D.D.

Sir,

Encl.
2. Original letters.

I have the honor to enclose letters No. 1954
of 14th March 1876, and 1817 of 30th October 1873
from the General Superintendent P.W. Stores
and Workshops, and most earnestly and
respectfully beg that you will make the
Government to favorably consider the case of
Chuckravathy Modethan, and exempt him
from the operation of S.O. No. 580 of March 3rd
1876.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

[Signature]
District Engineer
Presidency

From

The General Superintendent,

P. W. Workshops,

To

The District Engineer

Presidency

Fort St George

Dated 14th

March 1876.

Received

No. 4954.

ENCLOSURES.

Respect to more from

and that Chackravathy's

may be accepted from having

the U.C.S. Government as long

as he is employed in the

Presidency Works.

Co. 3-3-76 No 580

Respectfully
Submitted
for the
operation of
No. 580
of 3rd March 1876

Recd 16th March 1876

No. 5427

Respectfully
Submitted

Recd 18th March 1876
The District Engineer
Presidency

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Charges No 513
dated 20th March 1876
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Presidency D. Engr's Office
Dated 9th November 1877

From The District Engineer
Presidency

To The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department

Sir,

I have the honor to request
your kind attention to my letter
No. 5427 dated 16th March 1877, and
to recommend that the man therein
referred to may be exempted from the
operation of G. O. No. 580 of March 3rd
1876.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your Most obedient servt.

 Major R. E.
District Engineer Prescy.

General

From
The District Engineer
Presidency

Dated 9th }
Recd. } November 1877

No. 4577

P. Chukkravathy Moodely
- Recommends that - may
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3rd March 1876.

G.O. 14th Mar 77 I.B.D. 147 A

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 14th Nov 77 -
Read the following :-

From the Dist Engr
Presidency.

N. E. No. 5427 dated
16th March 1876.

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N. E. No. 1577 dated
9th November 1877 -

[Faint handwritten notes in Tamil script, likely a translation or commentary on the official order.]

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culty in replacing him.

To
The Dist Engr
Presidency -

By order of the
Dist Engr. Dated 19-11-77

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Encl.

G. O. 14 Nov 1877, No. 1657 W

Nos. 147-148

Chuck Braverting, Woodville
of the W. & S. Steers Presidency
required to pass the Uncon-
anted Civil Service Exam-
ation, failing which he
shall be replaced by a
qualified person.

Chas. W. Briggs