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Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

11th June 1877, No. 222 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper:—

No. 90. Endorsement of the Chief Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, dated Fort St. George, 7th June 1877, No. 1,214.

From E. H. PRINGLE, Esq., District Engineer, South Canara, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Mangalore, 21st May 1877, No. 17.

I HAVE the honor to state that the Government Pleader (*vide* the enclosed copy of letter) does not wish to name his fee for prosecuting the case against M. C. Fernandez, the late Head Accountant, and requests me to state the amount of remuneration.

2. Taking into consideration the importance of the case, the length of time which it took, and the amount of evidence that was gone through, and looking to the fact that the Pleader appeared both before the Magistrate in the original case and the Judge in appeal and obtained conviction in the one instance and the confirmation of the conviction in the other, and moreover lost a considerable number of minor cases. I consider that a sum of Rupees 300 is not too large a fee for his services.

3. I have therefore the honor to request sanction of Government to the disbursal of that amount.

From A. BABU RAO, Government Pleader, to E. H. PRINGLE, Esq., District Engineer, South Canara, dated Mangalore, 4th March 1877.

WITH reference to the extract from the memorandum from the Chief Engineer, No. 284, dated February last, sent to me with your endorsement No. 194, I beg to state that I feel it rather too delicate that I should submit my own claims for my services in the case therein referred to. I would feel it a greater obligation if you could speak for me on the subject, for I think you are the best judge of the case. And you are aware that that case occupied me almost a fortnight and compelled me to give up four of my Sessions cases besides other private practice. You also know that the accused was supported by a Barrister and a Vakil of the District Court at, according to report, a very high cost. You are also aware of the importance of the case, in that the offence is one of a class of offences which are numerous committed, but rarely detected with success. You also know the position of the accused, both as regards service and as regards his connections in Native Christian Society. You may also know how his position weighed even with the District Court in inducing a reduction of the punishment awarded to him by the Magistrate. If you wish to have a precedent to look to, you can refer to Mr. B. C. Leggatt, the Deputy Magistrate, who has very lately obtained the sanction of Government for the payment, I believe, of Rupees 400 to my colleague, Mr. M. Rama Rao, who had been employed, owing to my absence in Sessions, to prosecute a Gumasta of the Principal Sudr Amin's Court for defalcation of stamps.

2. I have been paid a similar fee when I prosecuted Narainasawmy Iyer before the Head Assistant Magistrate for bribe-taking, and appeared in support of the conviction before the Sessions Court of Tellicherry.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, 11TH JUNE 1877, No. 222 W.

3. In conclusion, I beg to assure you that any amount which you may think adequate for my services will be quite acceptable to me.

No. 1,408.

REFERRED to the Judicial Department for consideration.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
29th May 1877.

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

A FEE of Rupees 350 appears suitable in this case.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

No. 91.

ORDER THEREON, 11th June 1877, No. 222 W.

A FEE of Rupees 350 will be paid by the District Engineer to the Government Pleader.
(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, South Canara.
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Mineral
to the District Engineer
South Canara
29th May 1877
I beg to refer to the Extract from
the Order from the Chief Engineer of 28th
dated 28th May last sent to me with your
endorsement of 29th May. I beg to state that I
feel it rather to delicate that I should
submit my own claims for my services
in the case therein referred to. I would
feel it a greater obligation if you can
speak for me on the subject. You I
think you are the best Judge of the
case. And you are aware that that
case occupied me almost a fortnight
and compelled me to give up four
of my best service cases besides other
private practices. You also know that
the assessment was supported by a Bar-
nister and a Valuer of the District
Court at a considerable expense a very
high cost. You are also aware of the
importance of the case, in that the issue

is one of a class of offences which are
numerously committed, but rarely
detected with success. You will know
the position of the accused both as
regards service and as regards his con-
nections in native Christian society.
You may also know how his position
weighed even with the District Court
in inducing a reduction of the
fine which was awarded to him by
the Magistrate. If you wish to
have a precedent to look to you
can refer to Mr. D. C. Sengupta the
Deputy Magistrate who has very
lately obtained the sanction of
Government for the payment of
a bribe of Rs 400 to my colleague Mr. M. C. Sengupta
who had been employed acting as
magistrate in Deoria to prevent a
renewal of the Principal Sarda's
Court for registration of Stamps.

I have been paid a similar fee when
I prosecuted Kramia Singh before
the Head Assistant Magistrate for
false taking, and appeared in support
of the conviction before the Sessions

Court of Tellicherry.

In conclusion I beg to say
that any amount which you
may think adequate for my services
will be quite acceptable to me.

I beg to say
Yours faithfully
M. C. Sengupta
Government Pleader
[Enc Copy]

Subscribed
District Engineer
South Canara

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P.W.D.
P.W.D. 24 JUN 77
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NR 5010

(b.17) District Engineer's Office
Krugersburg 24 July 1877

From: The District Engineer
South Carolina

To: The Chief Engineer
S. R. M. & Co.

Sir, I have the honor to state that the Government of the District of Columbia does not wish to make a copy of letter (does not wish to make a copy of letter) for presenting the case against the late Mr. [Name] and requests me to state the amount of remuneration.

Taking into consideration the importance of the case, the length of time which it took, and the amount of evidence that was gone through, and looking to the fact that the pleader appeared both before the District Judge in the original case & the Judge on appeal and obtained conviction in the one instance & the confirmation

G. A. M. June 77 S. R. M. & Co.

to J. R. 17501-7

of the construction in the other and
were over but a considerable number
of minor cases I consider that a
sum of \$8300 is not too large a
fee for his services.

I have therefore the honor
to request sanction of Government
to the disbursal of that amount.

I have the honor to be
Your most obedt Servt

Edinburgh
District Engineer,
South America

Gl. N. 3561 of 28th Decr/76
21st March 1873-1877. Sub

No 1214.

A fee of 350 Rs appears
entitled in his case

Edinburgh
4/1/77

To
The P.W. Dept

No 222 Wd/11th June

A fee of Rs 350
will be paid by
the District Engineer
to the Sub Engineer

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4th 11th June/77. P.W. Dept
D. E. In the Canada
P.W. Dept - 1967
M. S. Dept - 12-6-77
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June 11th 1877
P.W.D.
June 77 5215
The District Engineer

The Chief Engineer
P.W. Dept

21st March 1877

Re 230 May/77 No 1752

Government Plea in
the case against the
- requesting sanction to
disbursal of Rs 300 to the
to 1400. The
Referred to the
Judicial Department for
consideration.

Edinburgh
Fort George Secy. & Sub.
29 May 1877 J. Moorely
Colonel, P.W.D.

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11th June 1901 222W

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Late
Mr. M. C. Fernandez, Head
Accountant, Mangalore
Range, Malabar District

Sum of Rs. 350 ordered to be
paid by the District Judge.
To the Dist. Pleader for
conducting the case of—

Settled in Reg.