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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

19th March 1878, No. 1,407 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Civil Works.

Read the following paper:—

No. 289. From Major H. R. MEAD, R.E., District Engineer, South Arcot, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Camp, Runganadapuram, 2nd March 1878, No. 325.

I HAVE the honor to submit for the sanction of Government a revised estimate in the form of a comparative statement, amounting to Rupees 1,860, for altering the District Engineer's office and workshop at Cuddalore, so as to provide accommodation for the Range and Overseers' offices.

2. For this work an estimate of Rupees 1,520 was sanctioned in G.O., No. 202, dated 23rd January 1875; in this which was prepared by the late Mr. Sage in December 1874, there are some omissions and inaccuracies in the measurements as may be observed from the comparative statement, and moreover the rate allowed therein for brick-in-chunam work has been now found quite inadequate; hence the excess of Rupees 340 over the sanctioned estimate.

3. The items of excess that require notice are—

I.—*Brick-in-chunam*—Excess Rupees 148-13-3. In the original estimate 4,305 cubic feet, at Rupees 11-7-4 per unit, was allowed; the quantity has been found incorrect and the rate quite inadequate being less than that now prevailing.

II.—*Doors and Windows*—Omission Rupees 97-14-4. In the sanctioned estimate only two doors, at a cost of Rupees 90, were provided for, in addition to Rupees 23 for "altering and fitting doors and windows in hand which are to be used;" but the value of these doors and windows were not charged in that estimate. It is observed that several of these were originally prepared for, and charged to, the improvements to the Cuddalore Jail, but that subsequently on the completion of the work the surplus doors, &c., were transferred to the stock account, crediting their value to that work. The value of the doors, &c., taken from the stock is now included in the present estimate together with the cost of altering and fitting the same and others.

III.—*Rupees 57-0-9—Repairs to the tiled and Bengal roofs of the work-shed.*—This is an omission in the original estimate; the repairs were urgent and have been carried out.

IV.—*Rupees 35-8-10—Sundries and Superintendence.*—The excess in this has been only in proportion to the total and requires no special remark.

4. Rupees 182 were laid out on the work in the last year, and Rupees 1,392 have been spent up to January last out of the grant of Rupees 1,330 sanctioned in G.O., No. 431 W, dated 17th July 1877; the balance, Rupees 348, of the revised estimate is now required for the completion of the work.

2 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, 19TH MARCH 1878, No. 1,407 W.

No. 290. ORDER THEREON, 19th March 1878, No. 1,407 W.

UNDER the explanation afforded the revised estimate of Rupees 1,800 for alterations to the District Engineer's Office at Cuddalore is sanctioned.

2. Rupees 182 were spent on the work up to end of 1876-77, and Rupees 1,330 appropriated for it in G.O., No. 431 W, of 17th July 1877, leaving a balance of Rupees 318 which is now appropriated from the Provincial Reserve of 1877-78.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 310 B of 1877-78.

(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, South Arcot.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts, with estimate.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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District Engineer's Office at Chicago,
S. & W. District. - Sanctions revised
October for alterations to the —.

Comparative
statements.

I have the honor to submit, for the sanction of Government, a revised estimate, in the form of Comparative Statement, amounting to Rs 1860 for altering the District Engineer's office and work-shed at Buddalore so as to provide accommodation for the Range and Overseers' offices.

2 For this work an estimate of Rs 1520 was sanctioned in G.O. No. 202 dated 23rd January 1915; in the which was prepared by the late Mr. Sage, in December 1914, there are some omissions and inaccuracies in the measurements, as may be observed from the Comparative Statement, and

and moreover the rate allowed therein for Brick in chumam work has been now found ^{quite} inadequate. Hence the excess of Rs 340 over the sanctioned estimate.

3 The Items of excess that require notice are:-

I Brick in chumam - Excess Rs 148 .. 13 .. 3

In the original estimate 4305 c. ft. at Rs 11.7.4 per unit was allowed; the quantity has been found incorrect and the rate quite inadequate being less than that now prevailing.

II Doors and Windows - Omission Rs 97 .. 14 .. 4

In the sanctioned estimate only 2 doors at a cost of Rs 90 were provided for in addition to Rs 23 for "altering and fitting doors and windows in hand which are to be used", but the value of these doors and windows were not charged in that estimate. It is observed that several of these were originally prepared for, and charged to, the Improvements to the Cuddalore Jail, but that subsequently on the completion of the work the surplus doors ~~for~~ were transferred to the stock account, crediting their value to that

that work. The value of the Doors ~~for~~ taken from the stock is now included in the present estimate, together with the cost of altering and fitting the same and others.

57 .. 0 .. 9

III Repair to the tiled and Bengal roofs of the work shed. This is an omission in the original estimate; the repairs were urgent and have been carried out.

35 .. 8 .. 10

II Sundries and Superintendence. The excess in this has been only in proportion to the total, and requires no special remark.

4. Papers 182 was laid out on the work in the last year and Rs 1254 have been spent up to Decr last out of the grant of Rs 1330 sanctioned in G.O. No 431 W dated 17 July 17; the balance Rs 348 of the revised estimate is now required for the completion of the work.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

M. M. M. Major R.E.
District Engineer

Roads & Buildings

FROM DISTRICT ENGINEER,
SOUTH ARCOT.

No. 325

Dated

Despatched

Received

No. of Enclosures

1 sent to S.P.
District Engineer's Office
and work shed. — For-
warding for the sanction of
Government a revised estimate
in the form of Comparative
Statement amounting to Rs.
1860 for altering the — road
to provide accommodation
for the Range and Revenue
Offices

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B. & R.
Works

No. 1407 W Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the

19th March 1878

Read the following:—

From the Dist. Engineer
South Arcot.

N. h. No 325 dated 2^d Mar/78.

Under the explanation —
afforded the revised estimate
of Rs 1860 for alterations
to the District Engineer's
Office at Condamore is sanc-
-tioned.

Rupers 182 were spent on
the work up to end of 1877
and Rs 1230 appropriated
for it in G.O. No 431 W
of 17th July 1877, leaving a
balance Rs 348 which is
now appropriated from the
Provincial Reserve of 1877/78

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This sanction has been

registered as Provincial No. 310 B
Dist. Engr. South Arcot
Rev. P. W. Account with Estimate

R. P. Dr/26.3.78

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PUBLIC WORKS

To *The D. G. South Arcot*

Dated

Issued

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Encl.

19 Mar 1878, No. *14074*

Nos.

District Engineer's Office
at Cuddalore, S. Arcot Dist.
Functious revised estimate
for alterations to the —

Encl. in Reg.