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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

19th July 1879, No. 1,896 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following paper:—

No. 108. From Major L. CONWAY-GORDON, R.E., Examiner of Public Works Accounts, to the Joint Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Buildings and Roads Branch, dated Chepauk, 11th June 1879, No. 16 B.

In forwarding herewith the Completion Certificate for the work "repairing damages done to the Cocnoor new ghaut road during the last monsoon" submitted by the Executive Engineer, Nilgiri Division, I have the honor to report that the work in question was proceeded with in the absence of a sanctioned estimate, and to request that early orders may be passed to admit the charge.

2. The G.O., No. 751 W., of the 12th March 1879, quoted in the Completion Report as the authority sanctioning the estimate simply provides an additional appropriation of Rupees 450 and states nothing about the estimate.

3. I beg to state that the outlay on the work was treated objectionable and included in the statement to Government for March 1879.

No. 109. ORDER THEREON, 19th July 1879, No. 1,896 W.

THE Examiner is authorised to pass the charge shown by the Completion Report. The issue of the revised Public Works Code will prevent the future occurrence of irregularities of the kind.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle.
,, Examiner of Public Works Accounts, with Completion Report.

Exd. E. C. Shunkar.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1879) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FOURTH CIRCLE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated July 19th.

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G. O., 19th July 1879, No. 1,398 W.

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Nos. 108-109.

New Coonoor Ghaut Road.—The Examiner
authorised to pass the charge shown by the
Completion Certificate for repairing damages
done to the —.

1896
FROM THE EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS,

MADRAS.

TO THE JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH.

NO. 16.B.

CHEPAK, 11TH JUNE 1879.

SIR,

1. IN FORWARDING HERewith THE COMPLETION CERTIFICATE FOR
THE WORK 'REPAIRING DAMAGES DONE TO THE COONOR NEW GHAUT
ROAD DURING THE LAST MONSOON' SUBMITTED BY THE EXECUTIVE
ENGINEER, NILGIRI DIVISION, I HAVE THE HONOR TO REPORT THAT
THE WORK IN QUESTION WAS PROCEEDED WITH, IN THE ABSENCE OF
A SANCTIONED ESTIMATE AND TO REQUEST THAT EARLY ORDERS MAY
BE PASSED TO ADMIT THE CHARGE.

2. THE G. O. NO. 751. W. OF THE 12TH. MARCH 1879 QUOTED IN
THE COMPLETION REPORT AS THE AUTHORITY SANCTIONING THE
ESTIMATE SIMPLY PROVIDES AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF RS.
450 AND STATES NOTHING ABOUT THE ESTIMATE.

3. I BEG TO STATE THAT THE OUTLAY ON THE WORK WAS
TREATED OBJECTIONABLE AND INCLUDED IN THE STATEMENT TO
GOVERNMENT FOR MARCH 1879.

I HAVE

I HAVE THE HONOR TO BE,

SIR,

YOUR MOST OBEDIENT SERVANT,

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS AND MAJOR R. E.

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The sanction of Govt is not necessary in this case. The work being classed under "Repairs", the S.E. can himself sanction the Estimate - vide P.W. Code III. II.
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dy W

W.D.
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B.

FROM THE EXAMINER, P.W. ACCOUNTS,
MADRAS.

TO THE JOINT SECY. TO GOVT. P.W.D.
BLDGs. & RES. BRANCH.

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NO. 16. B.

DATED 11TH. JUNE 1879.

RECD.

ENCLOSURE I.

REQUESTS TO OBTAIN THE SANCTION
TO PASS THE OUTLAY ON THE WORK 'RE-
PAIRING DAMAGES DONE TO THE NEW
COONOR GHAT ROAD'.

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Handwritten note: 10th Nov. 1879

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(Exr. Wks. Form No. 111.)

GOVT.
OF MADRAS.

1879.

P. W.
DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, July 5th. 1879

OFFICE NOTE No. 19

To

B.

If this was be taken of the matter, it would be better if you were to ask the Supg. Engineer to sanction the Estimate and thus legitimise the expenditure -

At present, the expend^e is held on my books as discretionary in the absence of an Estimate, and I may remark that your reply leaves me in exactly the same position as before, for the Supg. Engineer evidently thinks that

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L. 12 July

The matter ought to be
disposed of in accordance
with (new) India Code VII. 31,
and I think that the Supg.
Engineer is correct, and that
Estimator(?) should not be
sanctioned after work is
completed.

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Hand W. Halliday
For order 2/5

This is one of the many
cases in which reference
to Govt. business necessary
in the absence of a
responsible officer

Here a request amounting
to Rs 1450 has been
presented and up to
an estimate and up to
legitimise the matter

Of course there can be
no such thing as an
estimate after work
has been done and the
only course left is for
Govt. to authorise the
Department to pass the
charge shown by the
Completion Report

The rule for all
unsettled cases is distinct
- Ch 14 para 30 of
new G.O. P.W. Code
and that while the
Department may
authorise commitment

After work in
Anticipation - "An
Approximate Date must
be fixed to the super-
intendent in whole or in part
in proportionally direct, and
the Superintendent will be
responsible but the
regular estimate is
submitted at the earliest
possible date"

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Mem. No. 1896 Wd 19th July 79.

Order thereon :-

The Examiner is authorized
to pass the charge
shown by the Com-
pletion report

~~It is hoped that~~

The issue of the
raised Public Works
Act will prevent
the future occurrence
of irregularities
of the kind.

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S.E. IV Arch. 8

to S.W. 9 with completion
report

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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

21-7-79

To

Dated

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Encl.

G. O. 19 July 1879, No. 1176 W

Nos. 108-109

Mrs. Coonoor Khan Rao

The Sec. authorized to pass
the charge shown by the
Completion Certificate for
repairs damages done to
the road