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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

29th September 1879, No. 2,448 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following papers :—

No. 71. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th July 1879, No. 2,114.

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No. 72. From the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, dated 12th September 1879, No. 1,343 T. J.

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No. 73. ORDER THEREON, 29th September 1879, No. 2,448 W.

THE revised estimate, amounting to Rupees 8,900, for improving road No. 63, from Pamani to Kallimodu, in the Negapatam Division, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction has been registered as Local No. 33 B of 1879-80.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, with Specification.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts, with Estimate.
" Revenue Department.
" Board of Revenue.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1879) Madras
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To
The SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FIFTH CIRCLE.

Dated September 28th 1879.

Issued

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G. O., 29th September 1879, No. 2,448 W.

SEPTEMBER

Nos. 71-73.

Road No. 63, from Pamani to Kallimodu
Tanjore District. Sanctions revised
note for improving

No. 2,114.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 25th July 1879.

Read the following letter from E. F. WEBSTER, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vallum, 7th July 1879, No. 2,563:—

WITH reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 596, dated 5th March last, and the official memorandum of 20th ultimo, No. 855, I have the honor to forward herewith the specification and the estimate, amounting to Rs. 8,900, for the improvement of Road No. 63 from Pamani to Kallimodu, with a copy of the Superintending Engineer's letter, No. 610-T.J., of 21st ultimo, on the subject.

2. The estimate is only one hundred rupees above the moiety of the sanctioned amount, viz., Rs. 17,600 (G.O., No. 1,859, dated 20th November 1878), and is stated to be sufficient for keeping the road in fair order for the present.

3. The Superintending Engineer says in his letter, No. 687-T.J. (also copy enclosed) that Rs. 150 may be fixed as the cost of maintaining the road and turfings on its slopes as an experimental measure. This sum may be met from the Canal and Ferry Fund of this district.

4. The allotment of Rs. 22,000 (including charges on account of departmental supervision) sanctioned in the last year's budget having lapsed at the close of the year (*vide* Board's Proceedings, No. 3,270, dated 5th December 1878), I request that fresh sanction for an allotment of Rs. 8,900 for the improvement of the road and the further cost for maintaining the turfed slopes may be accorded from the unappropriated balance of the Canal and Ferry Fund during the current year.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From J. W. RUNDALL, Esq., Acting Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, to E. F. WEBSTER, Esq., Collector and President of the Local Fund Boards, Tanjore District, dated Trichinopoly, 21st June 1879, No. 610-T. J.

WITH reference to your letter, No. 65, of the 11th January 1879, and subsequent correspondence, I have the honor to forward herewith an estimate, amounting to Rs. 8,900, for improving Road No. 63 from Pamani to Kallimodu in lieu of that amounting to Rs. 17,600 previously submitted.

2. The reduction has been effected by allowing for slopes of 2 to 1 instead of 4 to 1 as provided in Lieutenant Romilly's estimate. The Executive Engineer, however, reports turving the slopes to be necessary and that he has allowed for this work. As a river runs alongside the road the cost of maintaining the turving will not be excessive; but the maintenance allowance to be fixed for this road should be such as will permit the turving being kept alive, otherwise the slopes will again cut up and the road become impassable.

3. As the revised estimate is Rs. 8,700 less than the former one, and as Rs. 10,000 are provided in the budget, I have directed the Executive Engineer to push on the work in accordance with the present estimate, and trust my action in this respect may be approved.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) E. F. WEBSTER,
Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

From the Same Officer, dated Trichinopoly, 28th June 1879, No. 687-T. J.

IN reply to your letter, No. 2,366, of the 26th instant, I have the honor to state that any maintenance allowance to be fixed for Road No. 63, Pamani to Kallimodu, must be tentative.

2. I have never seen the road, but it is clear that exceptional treatment is required in this case. I am generally opposed to turving both on account of the difficulty of keeping it in good order and watered during the dry months and the difficulty of preventing damage by cattle when it is in good order. If the turving can be kept alive the result will be more satisfactory than slopes of 4 to 1.

3. I should say that an allowance of Rs. 150 per mile should be granted experimentally.
 1. It was only on Mr. Hannan's representation that water to keep up the turfing was procurable from the river alongside the road that I allowed the item for turfing to stand.
 5. I will instruct Mr. Hannan to try the effect of planting the slopes of a portion of the road with, bind weed the goat's-foot creeper.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) E. F. WEBSTER,
Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Estimate.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Specification.

THE revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 8,900, for improving Road No. 63 from Pamani to Kallimodu is submitted for the sanction of Government with reference to their order, Revenue Department, dated 29th November 1878, No. 2,918.

2. The present estimate, which is in lieu of the one for Rs. 17,600 sanctioned in G.O., Revenue Department, dated 20th November 1878, No. 1,859, is stated to be sufficient for keeping the road in fair order for the present.

3. It is proposed to meet the amount of the estimate from the Canal and Ferry Fund balance of the district. The Board observe that the work in question appears as Item No. 5 in Part I of the current year's budget of the Negapatam Circle with an allotment of Rs. 10,000, which will be cancelled on the estimate being sanctioned for execution from the Canal and Ferry Fund.

4. The Board note that the estimate does not bear the countersignature of the Collector.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Chatter
For Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department,
Collector of Tanjore, with two enclosures, to be returned.

" Superintendent Engineer, Fifth Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Edw. G. Freeman.

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Road—from Pamani to Kallimodu in Tanjore District.—Submitting for the sanction of Government revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 8,900, for improving —

No. 2,114.

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PROCEEDINGS, 25th JULY 1879, No. 2,114.

Received

Printed August 6th.

Dated July 25th.

1879.
BOARD OF REVENUE,
MADRAS.

THE SECT. TO GOVERNMENT,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

cc., cc., cc.

No 1343 T.J. Supg Engrs' Office 5th Circle.
Spickins & Co. 12th Sept 1879.
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J. W. Randall Esq.
Ag Supg Engineer 5th Circle

To, Colonel R. H. Laurie R.E.
Chief Engineer P. W. D.
Madras.

Road & Buildings

Encls: 2. Sir,

With reference to your Memo-
randum No. 2789 of 20th Alhums, I
have the honor to return the Abstract
Estimate and Specification for
Improving Road No. 63 from Pama-
ni to Kallimodu in Tanjore District
duly signed by the Collector (not
President Local Fund Board) as re-
quested in Revenue Board Proceed-
ings No. 2,114 of 25th July 1879.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Yours Most Obedt. Servt.

G. W. Manson.
for Ag Supg Engineer
5th Circle

Min. No. 531 H. dated 27th Nov 1898

P.O.D.
Road or Buildings
16 SEP 79

No. 5686

From

The Supt Engineer
522 miles

To
The Chief Engineer
P.O.D.
Madras

No. 1343 J.G.

Dated 12th Sept 1879

Recd,

G.O. 27-9-79 No 24482

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Road No. 63 from
Pamuni to Kallimodu
Returns the Abstract
Estimate for — amount
— Rs. 8900. — counter-
— signed by the Collector.

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to P.O. 17-9
to P.O. 17-9

Chs. 5937.

Memos: No.
Bound of Road
25th July & 2

Note of Remarks.

The Abstract Est.
for the improvement
of Road No. 63 from
Pamuni to Kallimodu
in the Tanjore Dist.
Does not bear the
counter signature of the
Collector.

The Est. has been
examined & found correct.

J. W. L.

16-8-79.

Proc. No. 531 H. dated 27th Nov/78

Memo: No 2789 d/ 20 Aug: 79.

The Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Nos: 2114
of 1889 d/ respectively 25th July & 28th Nov. /79.

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The Abstract Est.
Specification for the
improvement of Road
No: 63 from Panamni
to Kallimodur in the
Sangre Dist., received
with the Proceedings above
quoted are returned
to the Supr. Engr. with
a view to the approval
of the signature of
the ^{Presdt. L.T. Board} ~~Collector~~ being
obtained to the same
18/8/79

(By order)

(By J.P.)

By Dy. Ch.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Dated 29th Sept. 1879. 6
Read the following

Reys: Board of Revenue (H.C. No. 2114 of 25th July 1879)
Capt. Engineer 5th Circle (H.C. No. 1343 of 12th Sept. 1879)

The revised
estimate amounting
to Rs. 8900 for improving
road No. 63 from
Pamani to Kallir-
modur in the Nagar-
patnam Division
is sanctioned.

2. This sanction has been registered
as Local No. 33 of 1879.

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Sd/- 5th Circle with specification
By: P. W. K. Pillai etc. 1879-80.
Rev. Secy. 1879-80.
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Nos. 79-80

Road No 63 from Nana
to Kollimochu. Lampre
Or. Sanctions revised
estimate for improving