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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

3rd March 1879, No. 627 W.

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Govt. of (1878) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The SUPERINTENDENT
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Dated March 3rd.

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G. O., 3rd March 1879, No. 627 W

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The SUPERINTENDENT,
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To
Colonel E. A. Foord R. E.
Secretary to Government P. W. D.
Fort St. George

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I have the honour to be
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Your most obedient Servant

Nathl. B. Beardmore
Asst. Superintendent
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Approved and submitted for the favourable consideration of Government

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Engineer in Chief
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To

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Pro 9 3-3-79 No 627 to

12.12.75 No 3438
23.11.75 " 3358

Requests may be permitted to continue service on Works on an increase of salary.

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Letter from the Asst. Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works No. 10 dated 14th Feb/79

FOR ORDERS.

Beaumont's engagement is terminated – & we have no right to retain his services –
He seems to me to have worked steadily – hard & efficiently – He has not had the experience as yet qualifying him for the place probably but

[illegible]
I.S.I. 18/2

[illegible]

18/2 –
Col R.E.

Secy to Govt. P.W.D.

The Secy of S. sanctioned his employt. on a salary of Rs. 500 monthly. I don't think we can sanction a higher rate. Tho' [illegible] recommended. If approved. The increase [illegible] asked & recomd. is nearly 50%. Whether it is reasonable compared with P.W. salaries generally or with the [illegible]

R. 15000 per annum

inspectorship is a point on which the Ch. Engr. shd. express an opinion. L.H.

FOR ORDERS.

He has acquired very valuable experience for us — & a material increase would be fully compensated by that knowledge — while he would naturally remain some increase after 3 years —

I so recommend his being retained at increased salary — amount being subject to any recommendation by C.E. —

it most of current date from the 28. [illegible] 27/2

Note.

Mr. Thorowgood's engagement is at the rate of R 15,000 per annum, or R 1,250 per mensem. It is to last until the completion of the Harbour Works.

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He now requests that his services may be continued at an increased salary of R 700 per mensem.

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The salary which he now solicits lies between an Exec: Engineer's of the 2nd grade, R 800, — and of the 3rd grade, R 650.

Recommend the increased salary to Sec. of S. for sanction

L.H.

Yes

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When it is remembered that the employment is only temporary, carrying no claim to pension, the proposed salary for Mr. Beardmore does not appear to be in any way unreasonable.

If Mr. Beardmore's ~~was~~ services were worth R 500 per mensem in 1875, the experience he has gained makes them worth fully R 700 per mensem now.

The arrangements for salaries in connection with the Harbour Works, — in Mr. May's case, Mr. Thorowgood's, and Mr. Beardmore's, — have all been made by the Sec: of State; and it is submitted for consideration whether the proposal to renew Mr. Beardmore's agreement, at increased salary, should not be forwarded to the Sec: of

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No. 627 W

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Under date the 3rd March /79

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From
The Asstt. Supdt. M. H. Works (K. C. No. 1 W d/ 14th Feby. 1879)

Ordered that the Secretary of State be addressed.

Supt. M. H. Works

Desp 12-3-79

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P. W. D.
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To,
The Right Hon'ble the
Secretary of State for India

My Lord,

Mr. Beardsmore, Assistant Engineer on the Madras Harbour Works, has requested that he may be permitted to continue service on the Works on the same general conditions as before, but at an increased salary of Rs 700 per mensem, such increase having retrospective effect from the 28th October 1878.

This application has been made with the

S.P. 1/3

knowledge and approval of Mr Parkes.

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4. Mr Beardsmore in his three and a half years' service has acquired much valuable experience on the works, and fully deserves the proposed increase of salary.

We have therefore the honor to recommend his

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application to your Lordship's favorable consideration.

Exᵒ. hd. S.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

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G. O. 3 Mar 1879. No. 629W

Nos. 13-14

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