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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

24th September 1880, No. 2,244 W.

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Civil Works.

Read the following paper:—

No. 139. From Captain W. P. TOMKINS, R.E., Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Civil Works—Miscellaneous), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 11th September 1880, No. 215 M.

REFERRING to the despatch from the Secretary of State to the address of His Excellency the Governor of Madras, No. 13 P.W., dated the 29th July 1880, requesting that arrangements may be made to meet the cost of the supply of the mooring apparatus for the Madras Harbour Works during the current official year, I am directed to request that every effort may be made by the Madras Government to provide for this outlay by reappropriation of budget credits already allotted. An early report on this matter is requested.

No. 140. ORDER THEREON, 24th September 1880, No. 2,244 W.

ORDERED that the following letter be addressed to the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 2,245 W., dated 24th September 1880.)

(True Extract.)

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

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Moorings for the Madras Harbour Works
—Ordered that the Government of India be addressed on the inability to provide funds for — in current official year.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 2,245 W.

No. 141.

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
Public Works Department,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Public Works Department.

SIR,—In answer to your letter of the 11th September, No. 215 M., I am directed to say that no such reappropriations as those suggested, with a view to provide for the outlay on the moorings for the Madras Harbour, can be made.

2. In the despatch from this Government, No. 29, of the 12th June last, copy of which was forwarded under cover of docket, No. 1,316 W., of the 4th idem, and in telegram of the 2nd July, it was intimated to the Secretary of State that no provision had been made on account of the moorings, and that there would be no funds at the disposal of this Government for the purpose during the current official year.

3. These remarks still hold good. Arrangements have been made for the expenditure of the whole of the current year's grant for the Harbour Works. To reduce the expenditure on works in order to meet the cost of the moorings, would, I am to say, be injudicious in the extreme; so much of the expenditure is independent of the rate of progress that it is the best economy to push on the works as fast as possible, to utilise the plant to the fullest extent, and to accelerate as much as possible the approach of the period when the Harbour will begin to produce a return for its cost.

4. Nor can this Government consent to reduce the expenditure from the ordinary Provincial grant in order to find the two lakhs of rupees needed for the moorings. To do so would be prejudicial to the interests alike of the country and the Public Works Department. The whole establishment would be dislocated by such an arrangement.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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

FORT ST. GEORGE,
24th September 1880.

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To

THE SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

Dated September, 24th.

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G. O., 24th September 1880, No. 2,245 W.

SEPTEMBER.

No. 141.

Status inability to provide funds in current official year for moorings for the Madras Harbour Works.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary.

No. 215 M.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

~~GENERAL~~
Civil Works
Miscellaneous.

To, The Secy: to the Govt: of Madras.
P. W. Deptt

Simla, 11th September 1880.

Sir,

Referring to the Despatch from the Secretary of State to the address of His Excellency the Governor of Madras, No. 15 P. W. dated the 29th July 1880, requesting that arrangements may be made to meet the cost of the supply of the mooring apparatus for the Madras Harbour Works during the current official year, I am directed to request that every effort may be made by the Madras Govt.

to

to provide for this outlay by reappropriation of Budget credits already allotted. - An early report on this matter is requested

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servt.

W. Tomkins Captn R.E.
Asstt Secy: to the Govt: of India

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G.O. 30-8-79 No 20484 to C/S
Mis No 15 28W 3) 2-7-80
Letter 3) 12-6-80 No 37 to the Secy of State
G.O. 4-6-80 No 1316 W
" 10-8-80 No 1720 to Wr. & M.W.
Letter No 19 M 3) 20-4-80 to the Secy of State
G.O. 2-4-80 No 8554 W, & 8824
" 8-9-79 No 22644.
" 22-3-79 No 862 W.

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+ Yes - Say it is in pursuance of Mr. Ripon's letter of 12th June 80 No 37

Mr

Two lakhs of Rupees will be drawn from the Treasury at Ootacamund and remitted to Madras by Bullock Train. An advance of Rupees 2 lakhs will be required from the Madras Treasury to meet the Ootacamund drawings. Rupees 2 lakhs will be required from the Madras Treasury to meet the Ootacamund drawings.

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For orders

In submitting the demand from the C/S I beg to forward an Agent note by Surgeon Pennycuick on the observations contained in which I entirely agree — Nothing could well be worse for the working of this Dept. than again to draw on Madras to cover the 2 lakhs needed for the morning. We should have available Rupees 2 lakhs on the 25th inst. and if funds are wanted could obtain the required from the Treasury Officer at Coimbatore by Bullock Train in 3 days.

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OFFICE NOTE.

To

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It would be better to say simply that no Encouragement can be made -

Arrangements have been made for the expenditure of the State of the current year, and none could have been expended with advantage -

To reduce the expenditure on works in order to meet the cut of the Revenue would be in

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jurisdiction in the extreme;
so much of the expenditure
is independent of the
rate of Journey that it
is the best economy to
push on as fast as possible,
to retire the Talent to
the fullest extent and
to accelerate as much
as possible the approach
of the period when
the Railway begins to
produce a return for its
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT,

UNDER date the 24th Septr 1850.

Read the following:-

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From

The Govt of India (Fin. No. 215 Mo. of 11th Septr /50)

Ordered that the
following letter be addressed
to the Govt of India -

Fin. No. 2245 of 24th Septr /50.

To,
The Secy: to the Govt of Ind.
P.W. Dept.

Sir,

In answer to your
letter of the 11th Septr No. 215
M. I am directed to say
that no such reappropriation
as those suggested, with a
view to provide for the

outlay on the moorings for the Madras Harbour, can be made.

2. In the despatch from this Govt., No. 29 of the 12th June last, copy of which was forwarded under cover of docket No. 1316 W of the 4th idem, and in telegram of the 2d July, it was intimated to the Secretary of State that no provision had been made on account of the moorings, and that there would be no funds at the disposal of this Govt. for the purpose during the current official year.

3. These remarks still hold good. Arrangements have been made for the expenditure of the whole of the current year's grant

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for the Harbour Works. To reduce the expenditure on works in order to meet the cost of the moorings would, I am to say, be injudicious in the extreme; so much of the expenditure is independent of the rate of progress that it is the best economy to push on the works as fast as possible, to utilise the plant to the fullest extent, and to accelerate as much as possible the approach of the period when the Harbour will begin to produce a return for its cost.

4. Nor can this Govt. consent to reduce the expenditure from the ordinary Provincial grant in order to find the two lakhs

of Rupees needed for the moorings - To do so would be prejudicial to the interests, alike of the country and the S.W. Dept.ⁿ - The whole Estabt.ⁿ would be dislocated by such an arrangement.

5. If funds cannot otherwise be raised, I am to suggest that there would be ready means of obtaining them in the market.

Attd
22/9/80

A.J.P.
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Letter to India dep.ᵗ 24/9/80.
S C Desd 1-10-80

Cir 22-9-80. Attd 24-9-80.
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To

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Nos. 139-140

Stating inability to provide funds in current F.Y. for incurring charges for the Madras Harbour works.

Proceedings for the Madras Harbour works.

Ordered that the papers be arranged on the inability to provide funds for ___ in current F.Y. year.

Verified

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