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Public Works DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

10th April 1880, No. 924 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Civil Works.

Read the following papers :—

- No. 26. Endorsement in the Marine Dept., dated 20th March 1880, No. 389.
No. 26-A. Do. do. do., " 29th " " " 718.
No. 26-B. From Suptg. Engr., First Circle, " 20th " " " 823 G.L.
No. 26-C. From do., do., Second Circle, " 2nd " " " 4,856.
No. 26-D. From do., do., Third Circle, " 4th " " " 1,166.
No. 26-E. From Supt. of Works, Buckingham Canal, dated 3rd April 1880, No. 45.
No. 26-F. From Suptg. Engr., Fifth Circle, dated 1st March 1880, No. 1,457 T.N.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, 10th April 1880, No. 924 W.

UNDER the circumstances brought to notice in the papers recorded above, the Government have no objection to the repairs to the following Light-houses being carried out by the Public Works Department. The sum noted against each item is accordingly placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineers concerned from the budget grant under Imperial, Other Services, for repairs to Miscellaneous Public Improvements, Light-houses :—

Vizagapatam, repairs to Light-house at Santapilly	...	...	RS. 100
Godavari, do. do. at Hope Island	...	...	200
Kistna, do. do. at Point Divi	...	...	200
Nellore, do. do. at Armeghon	...	...	200
Chingleput, do. do. at Pulicat	...	...	200
Tinnevely, do. do. at Muttam	...	...	100
			<u>1,000</u>

2. The repairs to the Armeghon and Pulicat Light-houses will be carried out by the Superintendent of Works, Buckingham Canal.

3. Under the altered circumstances of the Department, the repairs to the Light-houses, &c., at the undermentioned stations cannot conveniently be carried out by the Public Works Department, the amount required for their repairs in 1880-81 will therefore be placed at the disposal of the Master Attendant, Madras, who will, with reference to paragraph 2 of his letter No. 2,314, dated 24th March 1880, make his own arrangements for their repairs :—

Ganjam, repairs to Flagstaff and Obelisk at Barwah	...	...	RS. 100
Do. do. at Sonapore	...	...	100
Madura, do. to Light-house at Paumbem	...	...	200
			<u>400</u>

4. The unappropriated balance of Rs. 600 out of the budget grant of Rs. 2,000 for repairs to Light-houses will be held at the disposal of Government under Reserve.

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Superintendent of Works.
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
„ Marine Department.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1880) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To
SUPERINTENDING ENGINEERS,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated April, 10th.

Issued

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Encl.

G. O., 10th April 1880, No. 924 W.

APRIL.
Nos. 26-27.

Light-houses.—Directing the repairs of certain — and sanctioning funds for carrying out the same.

Detail of estimate for repairs for the year 1880/81

Estimate 1880/81
Estimate 1879/80

Amount Total Amount Total

Rs Rs Rs Rs

Repairs to Flagstaff					
Lyngam	Obelisk Beacon	100	100	100	100
	Do Do Do	100	100	150	150
Vizagapatnam	Do to Light-house	100	100	100	100
Madras	Do Do Do	200	200	200	200
Chittoor	Do Do Do	200	200	.	.
Vellore	Do Do Do	200	200	200	200
Chingleput	Do Do Do	200	200	200	200
Madras	Do Do Do	200	200	200	200
Trimmerly	Do Do Do	100	100	100	100
Total Repairs		1400	1400	1250	1250

Marchant
Marine Office
11th September 1880

(Signed) J. H. Taylor
Master Attendant
Administrative Department

(True copy)

J. H. Taylor
Master Attendant
Administrative Department

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No 655- d/27 Feb. 80 P. h. Dept.

Memorandum

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With reference to para
5 of S.O. No 3455W dated
11th December 1879, a proposal
has come before Govt.
from the Master Attendant
Marine Dept that repairs
to light houses in the
Ports marginally noted
should continue to be
carried out by the P. & W.
Dept in consideration of
distance of these localities
from the Ports in charge
of Port Officers or Conservators.
Superintending Engineers
are ^{accompanying} requested to state,
whether having in view
the present ~~condition~~

Kanjum { Barwa
Konaporo
Sigapatom. Santopilly
Kodavan. Hope Island
Kistna. Point Divi
Tellore. Arneghon
Chingleput. Pulicat
Madura. Pamban
Linnelly. Muttam.

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circumstances
of the Department,
effect can be given to
the proposal without
practical inconvenience

~~the same~~ $\frac{12}{24.2}$

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Supplies 1st 2nd 3rd & 5th Circles

$\frac{12}{24.2}$

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P.W 1880 Report

Memo: No 655 of 27-2-80.

Requesting the Supt^e
Engineers to state whether
in the present state of the
Dep^t, repairs of Light houses
may be undertaken without
practical inconvenience.

I Circ. - Ch. 2228-1-4-80.

II " " 11,93-3-3-80.

III " " 1592-6-3-80

IV " " " "

V " " 1534-4-3-80.

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Administrative Department.

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MADRAS,

No. 1129

Marine Office,

14th February 1880.

From

J. H. TAYLOR, Esq., LIUT., R.N.R.,
Master Attendant,
Administrative Department,
Madras.

To

R. Davidson Esquire C. S. I.
Chief Secretary to Government,
Marine Department,
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

With reference to G. O. No 20,
dated 15th ultimo, I have the honor to report
that as the sum under Repairs (1000) now
thence and comprise repairs to Lighthouses,
Imperial, situated at a distance from
ports in charge of Port officers or Conservators.
I would respectfully suggest that they be
allowed to be carried out by the Public
Works Department. Moreover, as the
repairs are provided in the Public Works
Budget, the adjustment of charges can be
more conveniently effected.

I have the honor to be

SIR

Your most Obedt servant

J. H. Taylor

By Master Attendant in charge
Administrative Department

No 389

Approved - and transferred to the
Public Works Department, with reference
to that department's order No. 3155. W.
of 10th Dec. 1879.

Handwritten notes in left margin.

R. Davidson,
Chief Secretary

Recommend that
repairs to works costing
under 1000 Rupees should
be at a distance from
Port in charge of Port
office and Engineer
be undertaken by
the P. W. Department.

With reference to -

- 403156. 10-12-79
- 3155. 10-12-79
- 3499. 14-4-78
- 1066. 15-7-79
- 4021. 15-10-78

At 7-4-80.

Dated 14th Feb 1880.
Received 17th Feb 1880.
No. 1129
Enclosure.

To
The Chief Secy. to Govt.,
Marine Department,
Fort Saint George.

From
The Master Attendant,
Administrative Department,
Madras.

16 FEB 80
Civil Engineering

At 10-12-79

16 FEB 80
Civil Engineering

Administrative Department.

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MADRAS,
Marine Office,
24th March 1880.

From
J. H. TAYLOR, Esq., LIEUT., R.N.R.,
Master Attendant,
Administrative Department,
Madras.

To
R. Davidson Esquire C. S. I.
Chief Secretary to Government,
Marine Department,
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your official memo. No. 654, dated 20th instant, and to forward a copy of Detail of Estimate for repairs chargeable to General Revenue for the official year 1880/81, showing the sum under Repairs (1000) and thousand required for expenditure in light houses, and respectfully to state that if the suggestion submitted in my letter of the 14th instant, No. 1129, be approved, no transfers will be required to be made from Public Works to the Marine Department.

In the event of there being

Approved to
16-2-80

no Public Works office within easy
distance of any place where a minor
work is required. I would propose to
carry it out through the agency of
the nearest Local Road Engineer.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours most Obedt. Servant.

J. W. Taylor

Master Attendant

Administrative Department

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No 823 G.L.

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From

S. Superintending Engineer
of Civil

To

S. Chief Engineer

P. W. Department
Madras.

Per Caisamaram 20 March/80.

Sir,

With reference to your memorandum no 655 dated 27 Feb 1880. I have the honor to inform you that in the Vizagapatam, Godavari, and Krishna Districts the repairs of light houses, can, I consider be undertaken and carried out by this Department but

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How much to the Public Works Department with reference to order in that department No. 3155. dt. 10. Dec 1879. Marine Department endorsement No. 389. dt. 20. February 1880.

H. S. Jeyaraj
29 March 1880.

P.W.D. S. Davidson
Chief Secretary

By 20-11-1-00 M.L.

Per Caisamaram 20 March/80.

From (Project Officer)

The Master Attendant,
Administrative Department,
Madras,

To
The Chief Secy. to Govt.,
Marine Department,
Fort Saint George.

Dated 24 March 1880.
Received at

No. 2314
Enclosure. 11/15/8

Enclosed copy of detail of estimate for repairs for the year 1880/81 with remarks.

Per Caisamaram

but not those in the
Ganjam District.

I have to honor the
Yours most obedt Servt

By: Supy Engr: H. J. ...

Camp ...

From
The Superintending Engineer
P.W.D. 1st Circle
The Chief Engineer
Public Works
Madras

Dated 20th }
Recd. } March 1880
No 823 Gd
Encls.

Light houses. the
repairs of. Informs that
the Vizagapatnam Godavari
& Krishna Districts can
undertaken and carried
out by this Department
but those in the Ganjam
District cannot.

Confide.

No 4056
Superintending Engrs Office
Bellary 2nd March 1880
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From: The Superintending Engineer
2nd Circle
To: The Chief Engineer
P.W. Department
Madras

Sir, I reply to your Memo No 655
dated 20th ultimo. I have the honor
to report that I consider the P.W. Dept
can continue to carry out repairs to
the light-house at Arneghon in the
Koller District.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedt Servt
W. S. ...
Superintg Engineer
2nd Circle

P.W.D.
CHARGE

From
The Deputy Engineer
2nd Circle.

To
The Chief Engineer
P.W.D.
Madras.

Dated 27th March 1880
P.W.D.

No. 4856.

Light House at Kone.
ghon Vellam District.

Reporting that the P.W.D.
may continue to carry out
repairs to the —

No. 1166

3RD CIRCLE, SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

Camp Mangalore, 4th March 1880.

Sept 5th — do —

FROM

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

3RD CIRCLE,

TO

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department.

SIR,

With reference to your Memorandum
No. 655, dated 27th February 1880, I have the
honor to inform you that repairs to the
Public Light House can be carried out
by the Divisional officer Chingleput
without much practical inconvenience.
The duty might perhaps be transferred
with advantage to the Superintendent
of Works Buckingham Canal Division.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

Henry Stewart Major R.E.

Ag. Sup. Engineer 3rd Circle.

P.W.D.
CHAS 80

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From

The Superintending Engineer
3^d Circle

No 1166

Dated 4th
Sept 5th
Received

March
1880

Rep. on to the Pulicat
Light-house — Informing
that repair to the Light-house
might be transferred to the
Supt of Works Buckingham Canal

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS,

Buckingham Canal,

Camp, Madras 3 April 1880.

From

The Superintendent of Works,

Buckingham Canal,

To

The

Chief Engineer

SIR,

Enclosure. /

Public Works Department
Chennai

I have the honor to return Major
Vibart's letter No 1166 dated 4th ultimo,
received in your memo No 989 dated 2^d instant,
and to inform you that I have no objection
to undertake repairs to the Pulicat
Light-house when necessary.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

William Caplan
Superintendent of Works
Buckingham Canal

From
The Superintendent of Works,
P.W.D.
Buckingham Canal.

To No. 235
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department

Dated 3rd April 1880.

No. 45

ENCLOSURE. /.

Publicate and Armugum
Light Houses—

Informs that there is
no objection to undertake
repairs to the—

Buildings +
Roads.

No. 1457 T.M. Superintg Engineer's Office
Inchmully 1st March 1880
Despatch 22

From
J. W. Randall Esquire
Ag. Superintg Engineer
To
Colonel R. H. Sankey M.B. R.E.
Chief Engineer P.W.D. Madras
Set.

With reference to your Memo
No. 655 of the 27th Instant, I have
the honor to state that as all P.W.
establishment is to be withdrawn
from the Madras District, it will
be impossible for us at any reason-
able cost to supervise the repairs of
the Light House at Parumben, the
point most difficult of access in all
Madras. Moreover as there is a
Port Officer at Parumben, who is
already in charge of all the operations
hitherto undertaken by the P.W.D.,
there can I believe be no difficulty
in this officer carrying out such
ordinary repairs as may be required
to the Light House—

2. As regards Muttum, if a
P.W. Overseer is retained in the Van
quamen Salub, there will be no dif-
ficulty in sending him once or
twice a year to Muttum to see
about the repairs of the temporary
Buildings there. Whether an Overseer
is to be retained in this Salub,
has not yet been decided; vide my
No 2579 & of the 12th ultimo para
13 and your reply No 548 of the 13th
idem para 3.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt^t Servt

J. W. Pinnate

Aty Supy Engineer

Buildings and Roads

P.W.D.

4th 80

From No. 1534
The Supt Engineer
5th Circle

To The Chief Engineer
P.W.D.
Madras

No. 1457 S.S.
Dated 1st March 1880
Per

Light houses at
Pamban & Mattam
States about the
impossibility of carrying
out repairs to light houses
at Pamban by P.W.D.

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Proceedings of the Madras Local Board

Under date the 10th April 80.

Read the following:-

Endorsement in the
Marine Department } (Pl. No. 389 of 20th March 80)
do do } (" " 418 " 29th do)
Supergrange 1st Circle } (" " 820 S.L. of 20th do)
do — 2nd — do — } (" " 4856 of 2nd do)
do — 3rd — do — } (" " 1166 " 4th do)
Supt of Works } (" " 45 " 3rd April)
Buckingham Canal }
Supergrange 5th Circle } (" " 1457 S.L. " 1st Mar 80)

Under the circumstances
brought to notice in the
papers recorded above, the
Government have no
objection to the repairs
to the following light

houses

houses being carried out by
the Public Works Department.

The sum noted against each
item is accordingly placed at
the disposal of the Super-

Engineers concerned from the
Budget grant under Im-

-perial, other services, for
repairs to miscellaneous

Public Improvements.

Light Houses.

Vizagapatam. Repairs to Light House at

Santapilly . . . Rs 100

Kodavari — do — to do at Naga Island — 200

Rishta — do — to do at Point Diu — 200

Nellore — do — to do at Arneghow — 200

Chingleput — do — to do at Pulicat — 200

Linnevelly — do — to do at Mutham — 100

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2. The repairs to the
Arneghow and Pulicat

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Light Houses will be
carried out by the Super-
intendent of Works
Buckingham Canal.

3. Under the altered
circumstances of the
Department, the repairs
to the Light Houses &c
at the undermentioned
stations cannot con-
veniently be carried
out by the Public
Works Department, the
amount required for
their repairs in 1880/81
will therefore be placed
at the disposal of the
Master Attendant,
Madras, who will,

South India

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with reference to para-
graph 2 of his letter
No. 2314, dated 24 March
1880, make his own
arrangements for their
repairs.

Ganjam. Repairs to flagstaff and obelisk
at Barwah — Rs. 100
do do at Sandapore — " 100

Madras — do — to Light House at Pamban — 200
400

4. The unappropriated
balance of Rs 600 out of
the Budget grant of
Rs 2,000 for Repairs to
Light Houses will be
held at the disposal
of Govt under Reserve.

Budget Section
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Supdt of Works 9.6.4.5
Ex. P. J. A. 7
Marine Department
R.P.
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Govt. of (1880) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

Dated

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Encl.

G. O. 10th April 1880, No. 724 W.

No. 26-27

Right Honours.

Dismissing the reports
of certain — and
sanctioning funds
for carrying out the
same.

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