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By order

M. M. M. M.

Under Secretary to the Engineering Division

Public Works Department

Encl.

The 23rd May 1881

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(c).—An Officer who is unmarried, or a widower, having a mother or an adult sister wholly dependent on him and residing with him, may charge for her as for a wife.

II.—MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCES.

The Family and Special Maintenance Allowances prescribed in the 4th Edition of the Simla Allowance Rules may be granted under the conditions of those Rules.

III.—HOUSE-RENT.

House-rent in accordance with Rules 21, 22, 23, and 24 of the 4th Edition of the Simla Allowance Rules may be granted to the Officers therein named.

2. As regards the Travelling and other Allowances of Inferior Servants employed otherwise than in the Government Press Establishment at Simla, and as regards "Advances of Pay," &c., and "Deputation Allowances," the Rules in the 5th Edition of the Simla Allowance Rules will continue to be in force.

3. As regards all other matters, the 5th Edition of the Simla Allowance Rules is withdrawn, and a fresh edition of the Rules will be issued shortly. But any Officer who, having elected the Rules in the 5th Edition, is at present drawing allowances under those Rules, may, at his option, continue to be subject to those Rules for the remainder of the present Season.

4. The Governor General in Council further directs that, in supersession of all Rules now in force on the subject, the Rules herein laid down for the Officers of the Government of India be, from the year 1881, applied, with such modifications as local circumstances may render advisable, to Officers who are required to accompany the several Local Governments to Hill Stations or other Sanitaria, including Poona; and that all Local Rules be revised accordingly.

5. The Rules laid down in this Resolution are liable to alteration, should such a course be deemed necessary in consequence of changes in the circumstances of the yearly move to Hill Stations or other Sanitaria and the conditions of residence there.

ORDERED, that this Resolution be communicated to—

the several Departments of the Government of India;
the Private Secretary to the Viceroy;
the Military Secretary to the Viceroy;
the Surgeon General with the Government of India;
the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India;
the Accountant General, Public Works Department;
the Accountant General, Military Department;
the Consulting Engineer for State Railways;
the Inspector General of Ordnance, Bengal;
the Commissary General, Bengal;
the several Local Governments;
the Comptroller General;
the several Accountants General;
the several Comptrollers;
the Superintendent of Government Printing; and
the Superintendent of the Government Central Branch Press, Simla.

STEPHEN JACOB,

Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 680.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SIMLA, the 19th May 1881.

Read again—

Resolution in the Department of Finance, No. 1079, dated 1st March 1880, regarding allowances to public officers required to accompany the Head-Quarters of the Government of India to and from Simla.

Read—

Resolution in the Department of Finance, No. 2934, dated 22nd September 1880, by which the Committee appointed in 1879 to consider the question of the Allowances referred to was reappointed with a view to consider afresh the Rules in the Resolution of the 1st March 1880.

Report of the Committee, dated 1st March 1881.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council has decided that, from the beginning of the season 1881, Allowances to Officers of all grades, excepting Inferior Servants not employed in the Government Press, who are required to accompany the Head-Quarters of the Government of India to and from Simla, shall be granted in accordance with the following Rules:—

I.—TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE.

(Personal Travelling Allowance.)

(a).—To every Covenanted Civil Servant and Commissioned Military Officer, and every other Officer whose salary is not less than Rs. 400 a month,—3 annas a mile by railway and 8 annas a mile by road; subject to a certificate that the Officer has travelled by railway first class, or that he has spent for the transit of himself, his family, and his personal luggage the whole amount claimed.

(b).—To every other Officer not being an Officer employed in the Government Press Establishment at Simla—

(1) if his salary is not less than Rs. 50 a month,—1½ annas a mile by railway, and Rs. 40 for the entire journey by road each way;

(2) if his salary is less than Rs. 50 a month,—Rs. 100 for each journey.

(c).—To Officers employed in the Government Press Establishment at Simla, as follows:—

(i) To a Superintendent (except the General Superintendent whose case is met by Clause (a), Examiner, Foreman (or Section-Holder), and Clerk—

(1) if his salary is not less than Rs. 100 a month,—Rs. 142 for each journey;

(2) if his salary is less than Rs. 100, but not less than Rs. 50 a month,—Rs. 100 for each journey.

(ii) To Copyholders, Compositors, Distributors, Pressmen, Daftaries, &c., whatever be their salary, and all other employés whose salary is less than Rs. 50 a month,—Rs. 40 for each journey.

[Note.—The time allowed for the journey will be fixed by the Superintendent within a maximum of ten days.]

(Family Travelling Allowances.)

(a).—An Officer above the grade of Clerk whose salary does not exceed Rs. 1,500 a month may charge for his wife and for his children Travelling Allowance as follows, in accordance with and under the conditions of the 4th Edition of the Simla Allowance Rules:—

Rs. 150 for his wife and for each child residing with and wholly dependent on him not less than twelve years old; Rs. 75 for each child less than twelve, but not less than three years old:

Provided that his aggregate Travelling Allowances shall not exceed Rs. 850.

(b).—A Clerk not being a Clerk in the Government Press may draw for his wife and for his children residing with him and wholly dependent on him, Travelling Allowances as follows, in accordance with and under the conditions of the Rules in the 4th Edition of the Simla Allowance Rules:—

	For wife and for each child not less than twelve years old.	For each child less than twelve but not less than three years old.
(i) If his salary is not less than Rs. 400 a month	Rs. 150	Rs. 75
(ii) If his salary is less than Rs. 400 a month, but not less than Rs. 50 a month	115	55
(iii) If his salary is less than Rs. 50 a month	100	50

Provided that the Travelling Allowances of a Clerk and his family shall not exceed—

for a Clerk whose salary is not less than Rs. 400 a month	850
for a Clerk whose salary is less than Rs. 400, but not less than Rs. 50 a month	600
for a Clerk whose salary is less than Rs. 50 a month	500

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 15th June 1881.

No. 1,068.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, dated 16th May 1881, No. 867.

Read—the following paper:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 31st March 1881, No. 538 [Current No. 933].

ABSTRACT.—Reviewing and submitting to Government, Local Fund Budget of Dindigul Circle, Madura District, for 1881-82.

Order thereon,—16th May 1881, No. 867.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Dindigul Circle for 1881-82 are compared below with the sanctioned and regular estimates for 1880-81:—

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Endowment Fund	1,960	1,040	1,900
General Fund	16,630	19,410	10,870
Allotments from General Revenue—			
Special Funds	12,000	11,000	11,500
Cess on Land	94,000	90,000	94,000
Tolls	5,000	5,000	5,000
Contributions from other Circles, &c. ..	150	150	150
Receipts from Endowments, &c. ..	4,060	4,110	3,620
Miscellaneous	1,110	1,280	1,160
Total ..	1,55,600	1,40,220	1,29,830

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Miscellaneous Public Improve- ments	2,410	910	..
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Tolls and Ferries	500	500	500
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5. With the above remarks the Local Fund Budget of the Dindigul Circle is passed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

Resolution—

THE Local Fund Budget of the Dindigul Circle for 1881-82 is herewith circulated to all officers concerned.

2. Paragraph 2 of the Government Order.—The Board were unable to explain the large discrepancy in the opening balance of the Regular Estimate as they were not in possession of the Accountant-General's detailed statements of the actual Local Fund receipts and charges for 1879-80. The statement of charges were not received in this office till the 22nd March 1881, and the budget review was drafted prior to the receipt of the statement, and hence the Board assumed that "in the absence of details" the difference between the President's and the Accountant-General's figure must have been due to the further adjustments made against the Road Fund. On looking into the details furnished, the difference is due chiefly to further adjustments made under "Repairs, Communications," by the Accountant-General at the instance of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, which appear not to have been communicated to the President at the time the budget was prepared by that officer.

3. The attention of the President is drawn to the remarks of Government regarding the unsatisfactory state of collections from Land Cess. He will also in future add a note to the Regular Estimate and to Statement I-A of the Budget showing the Demand, Collection and Balance of Land Cess.

4. Paragraph 4 of the Government Order.—The President will submit the views of the Circle Board regarding the establishment of a Normal School in the Circle.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed)

C. D. MACLEAN,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the President of the Local Fund Boards, Madura District, with Budget.

- " Director of Public Instruction, with do.
- " Sanitary Commissioner, with do.
- " Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, with do.
- " Accountant-General, with do.
- " Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, with do.
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1881.
Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

To
THE PRESIDENT OF THE
LOCAL FUND BOARDS,
Madura District,
&c., &c., &c.

Printed July 14th.

Received

PROCEEDINGS, 15TH JUNE 1881, No. 1,068.

B. No 1799 Wd/22 July/81

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Ex^d P. R. Sects

Order thereon 22 July/81 h. 1799 W

Recorded in
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/True Extract/
Sd/ C. C. R. Capt. B.
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Govt. of 1881 Madras
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Resolution—

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2. *Paragraph 2 of the Government Order.*—The Board were unable to explain the large discrepancy in the opening balance of the Regular Estimate as they were not in possession of the Accountant-General's detailed statements of the actual Local Fund receipts and charges for 1879-80. The statement of charges were not received in this office till the 22nd March 1881, and the budget review was drafted prior to the receipt of the statement, and hence the Board assumed that "in the absence of details" the difference between the President's and the Accountant-General's figure must have been due to the further adjustments made against the Road Fund. On looking into the details furnished, the difference is due chiefly to further adjustments made under "Repairs, Communications," by the Accountant-General at the instance of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, which appear not to have been communicated to the President at the time the budget was prepared by that officer.

3. The attention of the President is drawn to the remarks of Government regarding the unsatisfactory state of collections from Land Cess. He will also in future add a note to the Regular Estimate and to Statement I-A of the Budget showing the Demand, Collection and Balance of Land Cess.

4. *Paragraph 4 of the Government Order.*—The President will submit the views of the Circle Board regarding the establishment of a Normal School in the Circle.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed)

C. D. MACLEAN,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the President of the Local Fund Boards, Madura District, with Budget.

- " Director of Public Instruction, with do.
- " Sanitary Commissioner, with do.
- " Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, with do.
- " Accountant-General, with do.
- " Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, with do.
- " Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, with do.