

Public Works Department

it is considered in the
Military Department
that Public Works rules
cannot be made ap-
plicable to them.

2. I am further to
invite a reference
to letter from the Govt.
of India in the Military
Department No. 6975
dated 15th July 1881 in
which it was decided
that the Sanack Dept.
of this Presidency should
be left as it is at present.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 20th Decr/81

Read the following:—

From the Govt. of India N. E. No. 379-85. II VCE.
dated 14th September 1881

Enclosure of the Military
Department N. E. No. 284 d/ 3rd Decr/81

Ordered that the Govt.
of India be addressed)

N. E. No. 2578 d/ 20th Decr/81

To The Secy to the Government
of India P. W. D.

Sir.

With reference to your
letter N. E. No. 379-85. II VCE.
dated 14th September 1881.

I am directed to state
that as the Warrant and
Non Commissioned
Officers of the Barrack
Department of the Madras
Presidency are in no
way connected with the

C. E. No. 2216 d/ 29th Sept/81

Transferred to the Military
Department for consideration.

(By order)

Under Secy to Govt. P. W. D.
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No. 5-284

Retransferred with
the remark that as the Warrant
and Non-Commissioned Officers of
the Barrack Department of
the Madras Presidency are
not attached to the Public
Works Department, the rules of
the latter Department cannot
be applied to them.

The Government of
India have recently decided
to leave the Barrack Department
of this Presidency as it
is at
presently

(By order)

Comptroller General

Enc. 13-10-81. Lt. P. W. D.

Octacomm. to Govt.
5th October 1881

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

P. W. D. No. 5744
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

MILITARY & CIVIL
Establishment.

No. 5630

From the P. W. Deptt.

No. 2216

Nos. 379-85 M. & C.-E.

Dated Simla, September 14, 1881.

Received. 20th Sep. 81
Res. 8th Oct. 81

Dated 29th Sep.
Recd: 3rd Oct. 81

Leave and travelling allowances of members of
the Barrack Department.

Govt. Central Branch Press, Simla, -No. 149 P. W. D. -20-9-81, -150.

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Nos. 379-85M. & C.-E.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
MILITARY & CIVIL.
Establishment.

Simla, September 14, 1881.

Leave and travelling allowances of members of the Barrack Department.

Read again—

Memorandum from Military Department No. 710, dated 20th August 1873.

Read—

Letter from Inspector General, Military Works, No. 3380, dated 2nd July 1881.

Letter to Inspector General, Military Works, No. 348 M. and C.-E., dated 26th August 1881.

RESOLUTION.—With a view to remove all doubts and misconceptions in regard to the leave and travelling allowances admissible to warrant and non-commissioned officers of the Barrack Department attached to the Public Works Department, the Governor General in Council is pleased to decide that, in future, such allowances shall be regulated in all respects in conformity with the rules in force in the Public Works Department for members of corresponding military rank.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments, Adminis-

The Government of Bombay, Public Works Department.
The Agents, Governor General, for Central India and Rajputana.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.
The Inspector General of Military Works.

trations and officers
noted in the margin for
information and guid-

ance, and to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, for information, with the request that the Government of India may be favored with the views of His Excellency in Council as to whether the above order can be made applicable to the Barrack Department of the Madras Presidency.

Also to the Military Department for information.

Wm. J. Cunningham

Major, R.E.,

Offg. Asst. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Govt. of (1881) Madras.
MILITARY.

To
THE QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated July, 25th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 25th July 1881, No. 3963.

JULY.
Nos. 325-326.

Declining to sanction the adoption in the Madras Presidency of para. 2, Clause 54, of India Army Circulars of 1881, regarding the rank and staff salary to be given to Barrack Sergeants on their promotion to the warrant grade.

*1.384 M. & C.E. To the Secy to the Govt. of Madras.
P.W. Department.*

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

25th July 1881, No. 3963.

Pay and Allowances—Warrant Officers.

Read the following paper :—

No. 325. *From Colonel G. CHESNEY, Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to Colonel E. L. HANKIN, Acting Secretary to Government, Military Department, Madras; dated Simla, 15th July 1881, No. 697-S.C.*

Barrack Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your communication, No. 2708, dated the 18th May 1881, recommending that para. 2, Clause 54, of India Army Circulars of 1881, regarding the rank and staff salary to be given to Barrack Sergeants on their promotion to the warrant grade, may be made applicable to the Madras Presidency.

2. In reply I am to explain, for the information of the Governor in Council, that, as the constitution of the Barrack Department in the Madras Presidency is quite unlike that in Bengal, the effect of para. 2, Clause 54, of the India Army Circulars of 1881, in the former, would not be the same as it is in the latter, Presidency.

3. In the Madras Presidency, for instance, the adoption of the order referred to would involve an increase in the authorized staff salary of a Barrack Sergeant when he is promoted to the warrant grade, whereas in Bengal, it confers no pecuniary advantage as regards increased staff salary on Barrack Sergeants promoted to the warrant grade with the departmental rank of Assistant Barrack Master.

4. As, therefore, the adoption by Madras of the order would cause changes, which it is considered desirable to avoid, the Government of India are of opinion that it would be better to leave the Barrack Department of that Presidency as it is at present.

No. 326. ORDER THEREON, 25th July 1881, No. 3963.

Communicated to the Provincial Commander-in-Chief and the Controller of Military Accounts, in continuation of Proceedings of Government, No. 2707, dated 18th May 1881.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Quartermaster-General.
„ Controller of Military Accounts.

Exd. A. Raitt.