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P. W. D. DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

29th March 1881, No. 858 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 92. From Major D. H. TRAIL, R.E., Officiating Examiner, Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 24th March 1881, No. 247 W.

I HAVE the honor to forward herewith copies of the correspondence noted in the margin on the subject of compensation for quarters to Military Apprentice Overseers who are undergoing their course of practical training in the Public Works Department, and with reference thereto to inquire which department should pay the compensation for quarters to the Military Apprentices in question when they are not provided with free quarters.

2. Under paragraph 172 of the Public Works Code and G.O., No. 2,795 W., dated 4th December 1880, the Military Apprentices referred to draw their military pay, batta, &c., from the Military Department, and their staff allowance from the Civil (Educational) Department. The travelling allowances of these Apprentices on the occasion of joining their appointments are also a charge against the Civil Department. The Public Works Department therefore does not bear any expenditure on

Government of India, Public Works Department, No. 64 P.W., dated 27th August 1879.

G.O., No. 2,313 W., dated 10th September 1879.

Government of India, Public Works Department Circular No. XXXVI, dated 18th October 1880.

account of these Apprentices, and it is thought, with reference to the orders quoted in the margin, that one of the departments, either Military or Civil, who now disburse the salaries of the Military Apprentices should also be liable for the compensation for quarters to which the men are entitled.

3. The favor of early orders are requested.

No. 93. ORDER THEREON, 29th March 1881, No. 858 W.

THE question is one between the Military and Educational Departments, and the department which provides free quarters should pay the compensation in lieu.

2. Apprentice Overseers retain their position as students while undergoing their practical training in the Public Works Department, and if the Civil Engineering College provides them with free quarters while studying there, it should also bear the charge for compensation in lieu of free quarters when the latter are not available during the "Apprentice" year.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Educational Department.
" Military Department.
" Superintending Engineer, Second Circle.

Exd. E. C. Shanker.
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To be placed in the file of the Public Works Department.

GENERAL
ESTABLISHMENT.

Gobt. of (1881) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To
The EXAMINER of PUBLIC WORKS
ACCOUNTS,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated March, 29th.

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G. O., 29th March 1881, No. 853 W.

MARCH.
Nos. 92-93.

Apprentice Overseers.—Orders regarding
compensation for quarters for —.

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FROM MAJOR D.H. TRAIL R.E.

OFFG. EXAMINER P.W. ACCOUNTS,

MADRAS.

TO THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NO. 247 W

MADRAS, 24th MARCH 1881.

SIR,

I HAVE THE HONOR TO FORWARD HERewith COPIES OF
THE CORRESPONDENCE NOTED IN THE MARGIN ON THE SUBJECT OF
COMPENSATION FOR QUARTERS TO MILITARY APPRENTICE OVERSEERS

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, CHINGLEPUT
DIVISION, NO. 4289 DATED 4TH. DECEMBER
1880.

THIS OFFICE NO. 805 P. DATED
12TH. JANUARY 1881.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S, MADRAS,
NO. 190 DATED 22ND. JANUARY 1881.

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, CHINGLEPUT
DIVISION, NO. 658 DATED 23RD. FEBRU-
ARY 1881.

WHO ARE UNDERGOING
THEIR COURSE OF PRACTI-
CAL TRAINING IN THE
P.W. DEPARTMENT, AND
WITH REFERENCE THERE-
TO, TO ENQUIRE WHICH

DEPARTMENT SHOULD PAY THE COMPENSATION FOR QUARTERS TO THE
MILITARY APPRENTICES IN QUESTION WHEN THEY ARE NOT PRO-
VIDED WITH FREE QUARTERS.

2. UNDER PARA 172 OF THE P.W. CODE AND G.O. NO. 2795 W.
DATED 4TH. DECEMBER 1880, THE MILITARY APPRENTICES REFERRED
TO DRAW THEIR MILITARY PAY, BATTAL, ETC. FROM THE MILITARY
DEPARTMENT, AND THEIR STAFF ALLOWANCE FROM THE CIVIL
(EDUCATIONAL) DEPARTMENT. THE TRAVELLING ALLOWANCES

OF THESE APPRENTICES ON THE OCCASION OF JOINING THEIR
APPOINTMENTS IS ALSO A CHARGE AGAINST THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT.
THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, THEREFORE, DOES NOT BEAR ANY
EXPENDITURE ON ACCOUNT OF THESE APPRENTICES, AND IT IS
THOUGHT WITH REFERENCE TO THE ORDERS QUOTED IN THE MARGIN

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA P.W.
DEPARTMENT NO. 64 P.W. DATED 27TH.
AUGUST 1879.

G.O. NO. 2313 W. DATED 10TH.
SEPTEMBER 1879.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA P.W.
DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR NO. XIXVI
DATED 18TH. OCTOBER 1880.

THAT ONE OF THE
DEPARTMENTS, EITHER
MILITARY OR CIVIL, WHO
NOW DISBURSE THE
SALARIES OF THE MILI-

TARY APPRENTICES, SHOULD ALSO BE LIABLE FOR THE COMPENSA-
TION FOR QUARTERS TO WHICH THE MEN ARE ENTITLED.

3. THE FAVOR OF EARLY ORDERS ARE REQUESTED.

I HAVE THE HONOR TO BE,

SIR,

YOUR MOST OBEYIENT SERVANT.

D. H. F. 2000

MAJOR R. F.
OFFG. EXAMINER P. W. ACCOUNTS.

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25324-4-11-80
27952-4-12-80
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FROM THE EXAMINER P.W. ACCOUNTS,
MADRAS.

TO THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
P.W. DEPARTMENT.

NO 24/W

DATED 24th MARCH 1881.

RECD.

ENCLOSURES, 4.

COMPENSATION FOR QUARTERS FOR
OVERSEER APPRENTICES, REGARDING---

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Copy of letter from the Executive
Engineer, Engineering Division to the
Examiner P.W. Accounts No. 1289 dated
8 December 1880.

I have the honor to state that
apprentice Overseer Lance Corporal H.
Slaney and Gunner L. Donaghue were
not provided with free quarters as required
by para 172 Rill after some days from the
date of their arrival. During this period,
they engaged private houses for which they
paid rent.

2. I have the honor to request that
you will be so good as to inform me from
what source the rent should be reimbursed
as well as the expenditure incurred by them
in travelling to take up their appointments.

(True Copy)

W. T. Jackson

Supdt. Correspondence &
Secy.

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Copy of letter from the Examiner P.W.
Account to the Accountant General, Madras
No. 805 P. dated 12 January 1881.

I have the honor to forward
herewith copy of a letter from the
Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division,
No. 4289 dated 8th December 1880,
and, with reference thereto, to request
you will be good enough to furnish
me with information on the following
points:—

(1) Whether apprentice overseers are
entitled to claim compensation in lieu of
quarters, and if so, at what rates and what
Department is the compensation chargeable.

(2). Whether apprentices are entitled
to any travelling allowance when joining
the Divisions to which they are posted, and
if so, at what rates and likewise to
what Department chargeable.

2. The Pay and allowances of these
apprentice overseers are not chargeable
to

to the P. W. Department ^{with reference}
to paras 172 & 174 of the P. W. Code
and Educational Department G.O.
No. 431 Dated 24 November 1880, these
are debitable to the Military and Civil
Departments.

(True Copy)

W. T. Jackson

Supdt. Correspondence

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Copy of letter from the Accountant
General, Madras, to the Examiner P. W. Accounts
No. 190, dated 22 January 1881.

In reply to your letter No. 885 P.
dated the 12th January 1881, I have the honor
to state that, under para 172 of the Public Works
Code, and under the spirit of the G.O. No. 431,
Educational, dated 24th November 1880, the
Staff allowance of the Apprentice Overseers, and
the Travelling allowance for joining their
appointments will be paid by the Civil Depart-
ment. The rates of travelling allowance ad-
missible to these overseers for joining their
appointments would be the ordinary rates
admissible to Uncovenanted Officers, viz four
annas a mile by road, double or single 2^d
class fare by rail, according as the journey
does or does not involve absence for one or
more nights, and a 2^d class passage
by sea.

2. This Department has no further
information

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information regarding free quarters that
that laid down in para 172 of the P. W.
Code. I presume that the Department
that provides the free quarters must bear
the charge on account of compensation
in lieu of free quarters, if such compen-
sation is admissible.

(True Copy)

W. T. Jackson

Supdt. Correspondence &c.

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W. T. Jackson

Copy of letter from the Executive
Engineer, Chingleput Division to the
Examiner P. W. Accounts, No. 658 dated
23^d February 1881.

With reference to para 2 of letter
from the Accountant General Madras to
your address No. 190 dated 22^d January
1881 communicated with your No. 939 S. E. 2^d
of 17th February 1881, I have the honor to
observe that the question, "who should pay
compensation for quarters" does not appear
to have been decided.

The four apprentice Overseers attached
to this Division are at present occupying
some portions of the Barracks, Royal Artillery, Es-
sicut, - but before they were provided
with these quarters by the Barrack Master,
they had to engage private houses, the
rents paid for which by the overseers
should

Should be refunded.

I have the honor to request that
definite orders may be obtained as to
who should pay.

hels
10/10/81

(True Copy)

W. T. Jackson

Sup't. Correspondence

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:—

From the Examiner of Public Works Accounts
No. 247 to dated 24 March 1881.

FOR ORDERS.

The question is one between
the Military and Educational
Departments, and the Depart-
ment that provides the quar-
ters should apparently pay
the Compensation.

It is presumed that the
College finds the quarters while
the men are studying and as
while they are undergoing
their practical training in the
Department, they are still re-
garded as students, it would
seem that the College should also
bear the charge for Compensation.

For Secretary to Govt.
P. W. D.

FOR ORDERS.

Hon W. Madras

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Under date the 29th March 1891.
Read the following:—

From the ^{Public Works} P.W. Accounts H.B. No. 247 W & 24th March 1891.

The question is one between the Military and Educational departments, & the Department which provides free quarters should pay the compensation in lieu.

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in lieu of free quarters
when the latter are not
available during the
"apprentice" year

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To the Secy of P.W.A ✓
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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

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G. O. 29 Mar 1881, No. 8586

Nos.

Appointee Messrs.

Orders regarding Compensation

for quarters for —