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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

From C. F. MACCARTIE, Esq., C.S., Officiating Postmaster-General, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 27th April 1883, No. 1181-659.

I have the honor to submit copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer of Nellore and the plan and estimate for Rs. 1,845 therein referred to for the construction, by the Department of Public Works, of a Post Office building at Kistnapatam; also copies of my letter * to the Director-General of the Post Office of India and of his reply thereto, No. 509, dated 16th April 1883, according sanction to the measure, and request that you will be so good as to move the Government to pass orders for the allotment of the necessary funds from the grant for Minor Works of the Postal Department in this Circle for 1883-84, so that the work may be executed as early as possible.

* No. 1241-72, dated 19th March 1883.

ENCLOSURE.

COPY of a communication from the Executive Engineer, Nellore Division, to the Superintendent of Post Offices, Nellore Division, dated 18th November 1882, No. 504.

As requested in your No. 2492 of 17th ultimo, I have the honor to forward herewith the marginally-noted plans and estimates for a new Post Office near Kistnapatam.

1 Site Plan.
1 Plan of Building.
1 Detailed Estimate.
1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Specification.
1 Report.

2. The estimate is larger than I expected but, unless the quarters are omitted, I do not think it can be reduced with safety.

COPY of a communication from the Postmaster-General, Madras, to the Director-General of the Post Office of India, dated 19th March 1883, No. 1241-72.

I have the honor to forward a plan and estimate for Rs. 1,845 for construction, by the Department of Public Works, of a Post Office building at Kistnapatam, and request that you will be so good as to accord your sanction to the measure.

The present building in which the Post Office is held is a small one with mud walls and thatched roof. It is almost in ruins and not worth repairing. It was constructed departmentally at a cost of Rs. 210 in 1877 (*vide* Director-General's No. 994, dated 26th May 1877). It is now proposed to construct a pucka building which is absolutely necessary. From inquiries made through the Revenue Department it appears that a suitable house cannot be procured on rent at Kistnapatam.

The measure, if sanctioned, will be executed from the Minor Works grant of the Madras Circle for 1883-84.

COPY of a communication from the Director-General of the Post Office of India, to the Postmaster-General, Madras, dated Simla, 16th April 1883, No. 509.

I have the honor to return herewith, duly countersigned, the plan and estimate received with your letter, No. 1241-72, dated the 19th March 1883, and to convey sanction to the expenditure of a sum of Rs. 1,845 for the construction of a Post Office building at Kistnapatam by a charge against the Minor Works grant of your Circle for the year 1883-84.

2. You are requested to be good enough to state what will be done with the old building at Kistnapatam.

Memorandum by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 11th May 1883.

The plans and estimate are submitted for the sanction of Government.

2. It is noted, however, that the central wall is 1 foot 3 inches thick, though it is higher and takes more weight than the outer low walls, which are 1 foot 6 inches thick and as high as the gable walls, whilst bearing more weight. The compound wall, it is thought, might be made $1\frac{1}{2}$ bricks thick, and, as the walls generally are to be of brick in mud, it is worth considering whether foundations might not also be of brick in mud, confining mortar work to basement, jambs, arches, and top of walls. A latrine may be necessary. If so, it should have been provided in the estimate.

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

ORDER—dated 11th May 1883, No. 1389 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 1,845, for constructing a Post Office building at Kistnapatam in the Nellore District is sanctioned, and the necessary funds are allotted to the Division from the grant for Minor Works, Postal.

2. The attention of the Superintending Engineer is called to the Chief Engineer's remarks above recorded.

3. This sanction has been registered as Imperial Other Services No. 9 W. of 1883-84 and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Second Circle, with five Enclosures.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Postmaster-General.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1883} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated May, 11th.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 11th May 1883, No. 1389 W.

MAY.

**Post Office at Kistnapatam,
Nellore District**

Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate for constructing a —.

Read the following papers.

No 1181/659

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Postmaster General's Office
Madras 24th April 1883

From

C. J. MacCarlie Esqre C. S.
Offg Postmaster General
Madras

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to submit copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer of Nellore and the Plan and Estimate for Rs 1845/- therein referred to for the construction by the Department Public Works of a Post Office building at Kistnapatnam also copies of my letter to the Director General of the Post Office of India and of his reply thereto No 509 dated 16 April 1883 according sanction to the measure, and request that you will be so good as to move the Government to pass orders for the allotment of the necessary funds from the grant for Minor Works of the Postal Department

† No 124/72 dated 19 March 1883.

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in this Circle for 1883-84, so that the work may be executed as early as possible.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt Servt

(Thos Larkin
Offg. Postmaster General

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P.W.C. No 3611

(188) DEPARTMENT.

From

THE POSTMASTER GENERAL,

MADRAS.

Ex 6 (2 Plans)

No. 1181/659.

Dated. 27 } April 1883.
Received 30 }

No.

SUBJECT.

Submits Plan and Estimate for Rs 1845/- for construction of a P.O. building at Kistnapatnam and requesting to move Government to pass orders for the allotment of the necessary funds.

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Copy of a communication from the executive engineer, Nellore Division to the Superintendent of Post offices, Nellore Division, dated 18th November 1882, No 504.

1 Site Plan
1 Plan of building
1 Detail Estimate
1 Abstract estimate
1 Specification
1 Report
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As requested in your No 2492 of 14th ultimo I have the honor to forward herewith the marginally noted plans and estimates for a new Post office near Kristnapatam.

2 The estimate is larger than I expected, but unless the Quarters are omitted, I do not think it can be reduced with safety.

Copy of a communication from the Postmaster General, Madras to the Director General of the Post office of India, dated 19th March 1883, No 1241/72.

I have the honor to forward a Plan and estimate for Rs 1845-- for construction by the Department Public works of a Post office building at Kistnapatam and request that you will be so good as to accord your sanction to the measure.

The present building in which the Post office is held is a small one with mud walls and thatched roof. It is almost in ruins and not worth repairing. It was constructed departmentally at a cost of Rs 210 in 1877 Vide Director General's No 3774 dated 26th May 1877. It is now proposed to construct a pucka building which is absolutely necessary. From enquiries made through the Revenue Department it appears that a suitable house cannot be procured on rent at Kistnapatam.

The measure, if sanctioned, will be executed from

from the Minor works Grant of the Madras Circle for 1883-84:

Copy of a communication from the Director General of the Post Office of India to the Postmaster General, Madras, dated Simla, the 16th April 1883. No. 509.

I have the honor to return herewith duly countersigned the plan and estimate, received with your letter No. 1241/72 dated the 17th March 1883 and to convey sanction to the expenditure of a sum of Rupees (1845-- --) one thousand eight hundred and forty five for the construction of a Post office building at Kistnapatam by a charge against the Minor works Grant of your Circle for the year 1883-84

2 You are requested to be good enough to state what will be done with the old building at Kistnapatam.

(True Copies)

S. Ramaswamy Chetty
Manager

Public Works Department.

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Memo by the Chief Engineer P. W. Dept.

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dated 11th May 1883

The plans and Estimate are submitted for the Sanction of Government.

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in mud. Confining mortar work to basements, jambs, arches & top of walls. A latrine may be necessary. If so, it should have been provided in the Estimate.

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No 1389/76 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 11th May 1883.

READ the following

Letter from the Post Master General Madras No. No. 1181/657 a/ 27th April 1883

Memo by the Chief Engineer Public Works Department No. — a/ 11th May 83.

The estimate amounting to Rs 1845 for constructing a Post office building at Nellapatam in the Nellore District is sanctioned and the necessary funds are allotted to the Division from the grant for minor works Postal.

2. The attention of the Superintending Engineer is called to the Chief Engineer's remarks

remarks above recorded.

3. This Sanction has been registered as suspended other Services No: 9 of 1883. 84. and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

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To
The Superintending Engineer
Second Circle with Sanctn
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" Post Master General 4

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Govt. of 1883 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated 15/5

Rect. Encl.

G. O. 11 May 1883, No. 1389

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Post Office at Kistnapatam
Nellore District
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Remarks with remarks
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Submitted Receipt Rejected