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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

# PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

**Buildings and Roads.**
**Military Works**

READ—the following letter from Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 10th May 1883, No. 592:—

In G.O., No. 242 W., of the 20th January 1883, it is ordered that the Flagstaff in Fort St. George be replaced in its former position. But in G.O., Military Department, No. 600, of the 30th January, the Government await a report from the Adjutant-General of the reasons for recommending the abandonment of the project to mount a heavy gun on the Flagstaff redan. This latter Order is "recorded" in the Public Works Department in G.O., No. 428 W., of the 8th February 1883.

2. I have an estimate of Rs. 750 for refixing the Flagstaff, but I have the honor to request I may be instructed whether the work shall be carried out now, or if I ought to wait in case further orders are received from the Government of India.

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No. 953 C.

Referred to the Military Department.

(By Order.)

MADRAS,
14th May 1883.

(Signed) C. BOWEN, Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

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No. 2866.

Endorsement on the above.

The Government of India having approved the abandonment of the project to mount a heavy gun on the Flagstaff redan, Fort St. George, the Flagstaff may be re-erected in its former position.

OOTACAMUND,
19th May 1883.

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

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ORDER—dated 23rd May 1883, No. 1479 W., Public Works.

The foregoing endorsement from the Military Department will be communicated to the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.
„ Military Department.

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MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of {1883} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

*Dated May, 23rd.*

*Recd.* *Encl.*

**G.O., 23rd May 1883, No. 1479 W.**

**MAY.**

**Flagstaff, Fort St. George**

*Endorsement of the Military Department directing the re-erection of the* — in its old position, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.

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No. 592

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
5TH CIRCLE, MADRAS,
Chepauk, 10th May 1883.

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
5TH CIRCLE,

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To

THE Chief Engineer
P.C.&R.

SIR,

Enclosures.

In G.O. No. 240 W.F. the 20th January 1883, it is ordered that the flag staff on Fort St. George be removed and placed in its former position. But in G.O. Military Department No. 660 of the 30th January the Government direct a Report from the Adjutant General of the Reasons for removing the above Comment

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of the project to mount a heavy gun on the Flag Staff Redan. This latter order is "Recorded" in the S. N. Department in G. O. No 42 of 7th 8th February 1883.

2. I have no estimate of Rs 750 for refixing the flag staff; but I have the honor to request I may be instructed whether the work shall be carried out now, or if I ought to wait, in case further orders are received from the Government of India.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt

Thos Wm Saunders Capt R.E.

Superintg Engr
5th Circle

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The Govt of India having approved the abandonment of the project to mount a heavy gun on the Flagstaff Redan - but efforts, the flagstaff may be re-erected in its former position

for Colonel
Secretary to Govt.

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THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
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To

THE Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

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Flag Staff in Fort St George — Requesting to be informed whether the work of replacing the — its former position shall be carried out now or [illegible] till further orders are received.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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UNDER date the 23rd May/83

READ the following

From the Superintending Engineer Fifth Circle } No. 592 a/10th May/83

Endorsement thereon by the Military Department } No. 2866 a/19th May/83

The foregoing endorsement from the Military Department will be communicated to the Superintending Engineer Fifth Circle for information and guidance.

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To
The Suplg. Engr Fifth Circle
" Military Department

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