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No. 30 W

FROM

THE SUPERINTENDENT,

MADRAS HARBOUR WORKS,

TO

The Secretary to Government
P. W. D.

MADRAS, 8 October 1883.

Sir, I have the honour to draw attention to the contents of a letter received this day from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts and to ask for orders on the subject.

2 It will be seen on referring to G.O. No. 3375 W of December 21st 1882, and again to G.O. No. 2409 W of September 26th 1883, that a sum of Rs. 567,000 was clearly granted for the maintenance of these works and their reduced staff during the year 1883-84.

3 In the course of ordinary official correspondence with the Examiner P.W. Accounts in August and September 1883, in which the Examiner had referred to this sum of Rs. 567,000 as the Grant for 1883-84. I asked that officer to state by what order of Government he considered this sum to be granted, and his reply was to the effect that the order of December 21st 1882 was supposed to give sanction to the sum of Rs. 567,000 as the Budget Grant of 1883-84.

financing sanction of the Government of India.

4 The official year is now more than half spent, and all works of repair, surveying protection &c have been carried on under the belief that Rs 567,000 was the available sum for expenditures. The sum expended up to September 30th being / more or less / Rs 1,35,102 including all things.

5 I have this day received a letter from the Examiner No 5064 of October 6th in which he informs me that Rs 2,30,000 is the grant for the year 1883-84.

6 If this be really the case there will not be sufficient funds to pay the salaries of the present staff to the end of the current year, the very smallest sum required for the whole year being 2,79,628 as arrived at by taking the expenditures up to September 30th and doubling it to include the remaining 6 months.

7 Without abolishing the whole staff I do not see how the expenditures can be brought down to Rs 2,30,000 for the year, although had I known in March of this year that only that sum was available it might have been possible to stop some works of repair which have been carried on and so saved money. I therefore have the

the honour to ask for orders on this subject.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

J. H. W. G. G. G.
Superintendent
Mr. Harbour Works.

Reducing the grant proposed in
the Budget.

W. J.

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No. 2146 Daj 11th Octr/83
To C. R. No. 677
11.12.83

For remarks

By W.

No. 729 of 12th Octr/83
Enc. 1

Buildings & Roads
The Superintendent
M. Harbour Works.

dated 8th Oct 1883
Recd. 13th Oct/83

No 3617

To W.
Finding that there was great delay in according Government of India sanction to the grant of Rs. 5,67,000 budgetted for the Madras Harbor Works, I asked the Accountant General P.W. Department whether I am to continue to enter that amount as the grant for the work in the several Returns prepared by this Office.

2. In reply I received the Accountant General's letter No. 786 G. dated the 28th. October 1883, copy of which is herewith forwarded intimating that the grant sanctioned for the current year is Rs. 2,30,000, and in which you will observe no reason is given for

Enclosed
Reports the insufficiency of the grant of Rs. 2,30,000 for 1883-84

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Copy of letter from the Accountant General Public Works Department to the Accountant Public Works Accounts Madras No. 786. G. dated 28th September 1883.

I have the honor to inform you in reply to your letter No. 159 A. of the 14th Instant that the grant sanctioned for the current year on account of the Madras Harbor Works is Rs. 2,30,000. under Productive Public Works, and that you should quote this amount in your books and returns in place of the sum of Rs. 5,67,000. referred to by you.

(True copy)

G. R. Patton
Supt. Correspondence Branch.

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No 300476 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

(Under date the 24th Oct/83)

Read the following

From the Superintendent
of P.W. Works
Office - Note from Sec
P.W. Accounts

N. E. No 36 W d/8 Oct/83

N. E. No 729 d/12 " "

Ordered that the
Government of India
be addressed.

N. E. No 300576/24 Oct/83

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

1/11/83

Sir: In continuation of
this Department enclosure
ment No 2710 W dated
26th September 1883 I
am directed to forward
the accompanying

To Mr. Secy to the Govt
of India
P.W.D

The Hon. Mr. Sullivan

P.L. No 3004, 487 24 Dec 83

correspondence) and to
request that the Govern-
ment of India may
be moved to accord con-
sanction to the Budget
estimate amounting to
Rs. 2,57,000. of expenditure
on the Madras Harbour
Works during 1883-84
forwarded with this

Department No. 3376 W
dated 21st December 1882

2. I am to add that
no order fixing the grant
for 1883-84 at Rs. 2,30,000
has been communicated
to this Government -

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Madras Harbour works

The fact of being liable
to be required to meet
addressed with reference
to the continuation of the
by the Ex. Com. P.W. Dept.
from the Accountant Genl.
P.W. Dept. the sum of Rs.
10,00,000 for the year 1883-84
only Rs. 2,30,000.

Madras Harbour works

Requesting early sanction to the
budget estimate for 1883-84
for this purpose & pointing out
that nothing has been accomplished
regarding the works during the year
1882-83.

Sept 24/10

Subd. Secy. P.W. Dept.