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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 78.

READ—the following letter from Captain A. AWDRY, R.E., Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, to the Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Guindy Park, 3rd February 1883, No. 301 :—

With reference to G.O., No. 3380 W., of the 21st December 1882, paragraph 3, I have the honor to point out that Rs. 65,000 was the amount for which I applied for the new furniture, &c., the Rs. 1,000 alluded to being part of the yearly allowance of Rs. 5,000 for the repair and upkeep of existing furniture.

2. I have now the honor to submit an estimate for the Rs. 67,000, which *includes* the Rs. 48,975 sanctioned in the letter from the Government of India recorded with G.O., No. 158, Financial, of 24th January 1883.

3. The *complete* estimate called for will be submitted after the return of His Excellency the Governor to Ootacamund; but in the meanwhile I have the honor to forward the estimate for Rs. 67,000 for the requirements of 1882-83, and to request sanction to it, and an allotment of (Rs. 65,000 — Rs. 48,975) = Rs. 16,025.

No. 79.

ORDER—dated 9th February 1883, No. 453 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 67,000, for furnishing Government House, Ootacamund, is sanctioned as supplemental to the estimates referred to in the Proceedings marginally noted.

No. 390 W., dated 11th February 1882.
„ 3379 W., „ 21st December „
„ 3431 W., „ 26th „ „

2. Rs. 65,000 are required for expenditure during the current official year and Rs. 2,000 during 1883-84. In G.O., No. 3379 W., dated 21st December 1882, a sum of Rs. 64,000 was reserved for this service, and a further allotment of Rs. 1,000 is now made. The total appropriation from the Public Works Provincial Reserve against this estimate for the current official year is therefore Rs. 65,000, and the balance will be allotted in 1883-84. The sum of Rs. 48,975 referred to in paragraph 2 of the Government of India letter, recorded in G.O., No. 346 W., dated 1st February 1883, is apparently a refund to the fixed assignment for His Excellency the Governor's household and tour expenses of money expended from it on what were properly Public Works charges. The transaction will not appear in the Public Works accounts.

3. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts should be furnished with an abstract in proper form of the estimate amounting to Rs. 67,000, and a complete detailed estimate should also be submitted as soon as possible for transmission to the Government of India with reference to Proceedings of Government, No. 346 W., dated 1st February 1883.

4. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 229 W. of 1882-83 and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

5. Ordered that a copy of these Proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce, in continuation of endorsement No. 347 W., dated 1st February 1883.

(Here enter No. 454 W., dated 9th February 1883.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, with one Enclosure.
" Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle.
" Consulting Architect to Government.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Financial Department.

No. 80.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 9th February 1883, No. 454 W., Public Works.

Forwarded.

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

Exd. C. Howarth.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of [1883] Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS

Dated February, 9th.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 9th Feb. 1883, No. 454 W.

FEBRUARY.
Nos. 78–80.

Government House, Ootacamund.

An estimate for furnishing — , sanctioned as supplemental to previous estimates.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 158.

Read—the following papers:—

From Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 4th November 1882, No. 466.

I have the honor to forward you herewith Messrs. Deschamps' revised estimate for the decorations of Government House, Ootacamund, amounting to Rs. 51,000.

One letter from Messrs. Deschamps of 27th October 1882, with sketch of dado.
One estimate of decorations amounting to Rs. 51,000.

2. The original estimate was handed to the Executive Engineer to be checked. It was in French and unintelligible. Messrs. Deschamps have now furnished the accompanying estimate, which it is presumed will have to be sanctioned and the work paid for in this department.

No. 2274 C.

Forwarded to the Private Secretary to the Right Honorable the Governor for countersignature to the estimate if approved by His Excellency.

(By Order.)

(Signed) ROSS THOMPSON, Lieut.-Col., R.E.,
11th December 1882. Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

Returned very slightly revised and countersigned with a demi-official letter to the Chief Engineer and a list of works requested to be done before His Excellency returns to the Hills.

(By Order.)

(Signed) A. AWDRY, Captain, R.E.,
15th December 1882. Private Secretary.

No. 159.

Order—dated 21st December 1882, No. 3379 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 53,000 (as revised by the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor), for the interior decoration of Government House, Ootacamund, is sanctioned.

2. Subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, which will be applied for, a sum of Rs. 23,389 will be allotted from the Provincial Reserve for expenditure during the current official year on certain items of the estimate, of which a list will be furnished to the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle.

3. The Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor states that, including the grant for the current year, a sum of Rs. 65,000 will be required for furniture. The budget grant for this service is Rs. 1,000, and subject to the confirmation of the Government of India a further allotment of Rs. 64,000 will be made from the Provincial Reserve. An estimate for the furniture should, however, be submitted as soon as possible.

4. The sanction accorded in paragraph 1 is registered as Provincial No. 184 W. of 1882-83, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(Here enter No. 3380 W., dated 21st December 1882.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle,
with three enclosures and copy of letter from the
Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor
with list and samples.
" Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

No. 160.

Endorsement—dated 21st December 1882, No. 3380 W., Public Works.

Copy of the above forwarded to the Government of India for confirmation, with reference to this office letter No. 3253 W., dated 9th December 1882.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

Exd. C. Howarth.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of [1882] Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated December, 21st.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 21st Dec. 1882, No. 3380 W.

DECEMBER.

Nos. 158—160.

Government House, Ootacamund.

FORWARDING for confirmation copy of Proceedings sanctioning an estimate for the interior decoration of — .

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 188.

READ—the following letter from R. F. CHISHOLM, Esq., Consulting Architect to Government, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 20th December 1882, No. 774 :—

I have the honor to forward herewith a plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 13,657, for remodelling the house called Lower Norwood.

One Tracing.
„ Detailed Estimate.
„ Duplicate Abstract.

2. The arrangements of the plan have been suggested by Captain Awdry, R.E., who is intimately acquainted with the house and its capabilities.

3. The large sum required for the work is due to the high rates prevailing at Ootacamund; a similar amount of work could be performed in Madras for Rs. 7,000.

No. 189.

ORDER—dated 26th December 1882, No. 3431 W., Public Works.

The plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 13,657, for improving and re-roofing Lower Norwood at Ootacamund, are sanctioned.

2. Subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, which will be applied for, an allotment of Rs. 11,000 will be made from the Provincial Reserve for expenditure on the work during the current official year.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 186 W. of 1882-83, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(Here enter No. $\frac{3431}{A}$ W., dated 26th December 1882.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, with two enclosures.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with duplicate Abstract Estimate.
„ Consulting Architect to Government.
„ Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.

Exd. C. Howarth.
Spare Copies

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of [1882] Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated December, 26th.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 26th Dec. 1882, No. 3431 W.

DECEMBER.

Nos. 188-189.

Lower Norwood, Ootacamund.

The plan and estimate of Rs. 13,657 *for improving and re-roofing* —, sanctioned.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 1.

Read—the following paper:—

G.O., dated 24th January 1883, No. 158, Financial.

Read—the following letter from R. E. HAMILTON, Esq., Officiating Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Calcutta, 13th January 1883, No. 87.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of the communications from the Government of Madras noted on the margin on the subject of the expenditure incurred and to be incurred in completing the construction of the Government House at Ootacamund and in furnishing it.

Letter No. 3253 W., dated the 9th December 1882, to the Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department.
Endorsement, No. 1405, dated the 5th October 1882, to the Department of Finance.

2. In the first of these communications the Government of Madras request permission to carry out during the current year certain work which is said to be urgently required before the house is again occupied by His Excellency the Governor next season. It is added that arrangements have been made for the provision of funds for this purpose from the Provincial Public Works Grant. In the second communication the Government of Madras request confirmation of the orders issued by that Government to the Accountant-General to pay to the credit of the fixed assignment for the Household and Tour expenses of His Excellency the Governor a sum of Rs. 48,975, which has been expended from it in furnishing Government House at Ootacamund.

3. In reply, I am directed to say that the Governor-General in Council sanctions the proposal made in the letter of 9th December and confirms the proceedings reported by the endorsement of the 5th October last.

4. I am at the same time to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, you will be so good as to submit, as soon as practicable, a complete estimate of the cost of finishing and furnishing the house, which estimate should not include the cost of glass, China, or linen. Any further expenditure on glass, China, or linen should be met from the fixed assignment for His Excellency the Governor's Household and Tour expenses.

5. The maps received with the second communication are returned herewith.

Copy forwarded to the Public Works Department and to the Accountant-General, Madras.

Order—dated 24th January 1883, No. 158, Financial.

Communicated to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Chief Secretary.

No. 2.

Order—dated 1st February 1883, No. 346 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers concerned.

2. A revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 4,02,914, for Government House, Ootacamund, was sanctioned by the Government of India in the Public Works Department in their letter, No. 39 B.,* dated 30th January 1882, and since then two supplemental estimates of Rs. 53,000 and Rs. 13,657 have been sanctioned in the orders marginally noted. The Consulting Architect to Government will expedite the submission of the remaining estimates for the improvements proposed by the Committee, and approved by His Excellency the Governor in Council in G.O., No. 2139 W., dated 19th August 1882, and the Private Secretary to His Excellency will hasten the estimate for furniture, alluded to in paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 3379 W., dated 21st December 1882.

*Proceedings, Madras Government, No. 390 W., dated 11th February 1882.

No. 3379 W., dated 21st December 1882.
„ 3431 W., „ 26th „ „

3. Ordered that a copy of these Proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce, with reference to their letter, No. 87, dated 13th January 1883.

(Here enter No. 347 W., dated 1st February 1883.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Consulting Architect to Government.
„ Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.
„ Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, with three Plans.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
„ Financial Department.

No. 3

Endorsement—dated 1st February 1883, No. 347 W., Public Works.

Forwarded.

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1883} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated February, 1st.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 1st Feb. 1883, No. 347 W.

FEBRUARY.

Nos. 1–3.

Government House, Ootacamund.

REGARDING the several estimates connected with —.

No 301.

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Government House
Guindy Park
3rd February 1883

To

The Chief Engineer and
Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

Sir

With reference to G.O. No.
3380 W of the 21st December 1882
para 3 I have the honour to point
out that Rs. 65000 was the amount
for which I applied for the new
Furniture &c. the Rs. 1000 alluded
to being part of the yearly allowance
of Rs. 5000 for the repair and up-
Keep of Existing furniture

2 I have now the honour
to submit an Estimate for the Rs.
67,000 which includes the Rs. 48975
sanctioned in the letter from the

Government of India recorded
with Lg & 158 Financial of 24th
January 1883.

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3 The complete Estimate
called for will be submitted after
the return of His Excellency the
Governor to Calcamund; but in
the meanwhile I have the honour
to forward the Estimate for Rs
67,000 for the requirements of 1882/83
and to request Sanction to it and
the Allotment of (Rs 50,000 – Rs 48,175) – Rs 1825

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
A. Audry. Captain R E
Private Secretary

From

The Secretary
to H.E. the Governor

To

The Chief Engineer
& Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Despatched 5th } 1882
Received 8 } February

No 301

Enclosure 1

Submitting an Estimate for Furniture for 1882-83 amounting to Rs 67,000 of which Rs 48,975 has already been sanctioned & requesting that the balance Rs 18,025 may be allotted for expenditure during the current official year.

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- 167. H. 6.7.82
- 390. H 11.2.82
- 799. H. 24.3.82
No 442. E. 25.8.82
- 588. E. 16.8.82
- 431. E. 17.7.82
- 821. E 29.9.82
Eo. 3431. H. 26.12.82
- 338. H 21.12.82
- 346/347 H 1.2.83 Reply

No 453 W. Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 9th Feby 1883

Read the following

From the Private Secy to H.E. the Governor No 301 dy 3 Feby 83.

Private

Dear Sir,

No 390 W dy 11 Feby 1882
" 338 W dy 21 Dec 1882
" 343 W dy 26 " "

The estimate amounting to Rs 67,000, for furnishing Government House Ootacamund is sanctioned as supplemental to the estimate referred to in the Proc. marginally noted —

2. In G.O. No 338 W dy 21 Dec 1882, a sum of Rs 64,000 was reserved for this service, but under the explanation afforded by

by the Private Secy only Rs 16,000 out of that amount will be required during the current official year. The balance Rs 47,975 will therefore be resumed & credited to the Provincial Revenue.

3. A detailed estimate in proper form should be submitted as soon as possible for transmission to the Govt of India, with reference to Pub. Dept Govt No 346 W dy 1st February 1883.

4. This sanction has been registered as Provl No 229 W dy 1882-83, & classified as

as Civil Buildings Original Works.

5. Ordered that a Copy of these Pros. be forwarded to the Govt of India in the Dept of Finance & Commerce in continuation of Endorsement No 327 W dy 1st July 1883.

(PS. No 454 dy 9/2/83)

Forwarded

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Pub. Secy to the Govt
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 9th February 1883

Read the following

From the Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor — H.E. No 301. dy 3rd February 1883

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" 3379 W dy 21st Dec. 1882
" 3431 W dy 26th " "

2. Rs 65,000 are required for expenditure during the current official year; and Rs 2000 during 1883-84. In G.O. No 3379 W dy 21st December 1882, a sum of Rs 64,000 was reserved for this service, and a further allotment

allotment of Rs1000/- is made. The total appropriation from the P.W. Provincial Revn against this estimate, for the current official year is therefore Rs 65000, and the balance will be allotted in 1883-84. The sum of Rs 48,975 referred to in para 2 of the Govt of India letter recorded in G.O. No 3467 dated 1st February 1883 is apparently a refund to the fixed assignment for H.E. the Governor's Household and Tour expenses of money expended from it on what

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what were properly P.W. charges. The transaction will not appear in the Public Works Accounts.

3. The Examiner of P.W. Accounts should be furnished with abstract (A) in proper form, of the estimate amounting to Rs 67000, and a complete detailed estimate should also be submitted as soon as possible for transmission to the Government of India with reference to P.G. No 346 W dd 1st Feby/83

4. This sanction has been

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been registered as
Provincial № 229 W
of 1882-83 and classified
as Civil Buildings & Offi-
cial Works.

5 Ordered that a copy
of these Proceedings be
forwarded to the Govern-
ment of India in the
Department of Finance
and Commerce, in con-
tinuation of Endorsement
№ 347 dated 1st Feby 1883
N. E. № 454 Way & Filyers.

Forwarded

Recd 16/2/83.
The Private Secretary
to H.E. the Governor
with thanks
1 Lieut Gen. Fourth Circle
4 Comg Archts & Govt
4 Exams, P.W. Accts
4 Financial Dept

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Colonial Office.

PUBLIC WORKS.

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Nos. 78 & 79

Post Office Estimates

Estimate for Sanitary Works & Sanitary Establishments

Estimate for Sanitary Works & Sanitary Establishments

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Estimate for Receipt Office