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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following letter from Colonel C. CARTER, Controller of Military Accounts, to the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 2nd July 1884 No. P. :—

In forwarding the marginal papers, I have the honor to state that it has been ascertained that the municipality are not bound to lay on water to the bakery; and, as the supply of Red Hills water is recommended on sanitary grounds, Government may be pleased to accord the sanction solicited by the Commissary-General.

Letter, No. 1567, of 9th June 1884, from the Commissary-General, requesting sanction to the Public Works Department laying on Red Hills water to the Saidapet bakery, as the existing water-supply has been condemned.

Vide letter, No. 327, of 20th June 1884, from the Government Solicitor.

Letter, No. 614, of 13th idem, from the President, Municipal Commission.

2. As no provision to meet the proposed expenditure exists in the current year's budget, sanction, if accorded, will be carried into effect after 1st April 1885.

ENCLOSURE.

From Colonel B. H. W. MAGRATH, Commissary-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Madras, 9th June 1884, No. 1567.

The Executive Commissariat Officer, Madras, having some doubts as to the quality of the water used at the bakery, referred the question to me.

I sent specimens from the two wells to the Chemical Examiner, and, as his report did not appear very favorable, I asked the opinion of the Deputy Surgeon-General of the district as to the advisability of using the water in bread-making.

Dr. Mouatt strongly urges the desirability of having Red Hills water laid on. One of the mains is close to the bakery compound, and I solicit the sanction of Government to the Public Works Department being asked to undertake the work, the cost of which, I am informed by the Executive Engineer, will be about Rs. 1,150.

No. 3254, Military.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department for disposal.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
7th July 1884.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Col.,
Offg. Secretary to Government.

ORDER—dated 12th July 1884, No. 1720 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, who will, in communication with the Madras Municipality, arrange for the required connection with the municipal main being made.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
" Military Department.
" Financial "
Exd. E. Fernandez.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated July, 12th

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 12th July 1884, No. 1720 W.

JULY.

Government Bakery, Madras

The Superintending Engineer, V Circle,
asked to arrange for the Red Hills water
being brought to the compound of the ---

No. 227

Madras 30 June 1884



From,

Ernest Barclay,
Government Solicitor,
Madras.

To

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Madras.

Sir,

1. I have to acknowledge receipt of your official memorandum dated 24th Instant No. 921 with its enclosures.
2. From the letter from the Commissary General Madras to the Secretary to Government Military Department dated 9th Instant No. 1867, it appears that one of the municipal mains for the Red Hills water is close to the Bakery Compound. I should assume from this that the main is already within 150 yards of the Bakery Compound, and until I know that it is not, I can hardly advise as to what the Municipality is bound to do.
3. Under Section 212 of the Municipal Act 1884, stand pipes, fountains, reservoirs or pumps have to be placed within the populous parts of the City so that there shall be one at a distance of 150 yards measured in a ~~direct~~ line from any house in any public street. "Populous parts of the City" are defined by the Act to mean such parts as the Governor in Council may on the recommendation

Recommendation of the Standing Committee, declare to be populous. Whether His Excellency the Governor in Council has declared that part of Madras where the Government Bakery is to be one of the "populous parts of the City" I do not know, but I believe not, and if not, the Municipality are not bound to place a stand pipe, fountain, reservoir or pump within 100 yards of the Government Bakery.

4. But there is another difficulty in the way of compelling the Municipality to bring water within 100 yards of the Government Bakery. I am inclined to think that the Bakery is not a "house" within the meaning of the Act, but a "Bakehouse" which is defined by the Act to mean any place used for baking bread &c from the baking or selling of which profit is sought. Possibly this was intended to exclude the Government Bakery, though as a matter of fact bread is or was, until comparatively recently, sold there though whether at a profit or not I cannot, of course say; but, if the Government Bakery does not come within the definition of a Bakehouse, it by no means follows that it is a house within the meaning of the Act.

5. I am of opinion on the whole - therefore that the Municipality cannot be compelled to bring water within 100 yards of the Government Bakery and

and that the proper course for Government to adopt is to apply to the Municipality under Section 213 of the Act to arrange with the Government for the supply of water to the Government Bakery at Government expense, and that as Government will require the water for other than domestic purposes, they will have to pay the Municipality a special rate for the water so supplied.

I return the inclosures to your Memorandum under reply and.

Dear Sir,

Yours Obedient Servant

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Ernest Barker

Government Solicitor

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Andros Municipality.

PUBLIC WORKS & CONSERVANCY DEPARTMENT.

Madras, 13th July 1945

From *W. D. Townsend & Co*
President, Municipal Commission.

To
Mayer E. A. Bruce
Ex-Commissariat d'Aff.
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In reply to your letter of 22nd to dated
12th June 1888 I have the honor to inform you
that the Governor's Bungalow at Ekpamuel
is within the Municipal limits. The Munici-
pality is not bound to lay on water to the
Bakery free of charge, but under Section 21
would consider an application to lay on water
at Government cost for domestic purposes. If
the water were required for the purposes of
the Bakery an extra charge would be levied
at \$40-2-0 per 1000 gallons on the quantity of
water consumed.

I have the honor, &c.

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Yours most obedient servant,

A. A. Brundage

President
attempts to maintain -

Thru the Court of Muz. Secs

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COMMISSARY-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Madras, 9 June 1881

FROM

C. B. H. W. Magtath
THE COMMISSARY GENERAL,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

MILITARY DEPARTMENT,

With the Honours
FORT SAINT GEORGE.

Warehouse Hill

SIR,

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

M. M. M. Colonel
Commissary General

L.H.

July 1884 No.

FROM Col. B. H. W. Dugdale
THE COMMISSARY-GENERAL,
Madras,

To THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Dated 9 }
Recd. 4 } June 1884

No. 1567

ENCLOSURES.

Soliciting the sanction
of Govt. to the D. P. W.
being asked to extend
the Red Hill water
to the Bakery Compound

Over the following papers

Office of Controller Military Accounts,
Port St. George, 2 July 1884

From Colonel Chas. Carter,
Controller of Military Accounts,
Madras,

To Lieut.-Colonel A. Kenney-Herbert,
Offg. Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Colacarnund.

Sir,
Letter No 1567 of 9 June 1884 from the commissary general requesting sanction to the P.W.D. laying on Red Hills water to the Bakery compound. In forwarding the matter to the P.W.D. I have the honor to state that Dr. Kenney as the existing water supply has been condemned. It has been ascertained that the Municipality are not bound to lay

on water to the Bakery and as per letter No 327 of the supply of Red Hills water 30 June 1884 from the Govt. Solicitor is recommended on sanitary grounds Government may be pleased to accord the sanction solicited by the commissary general.

2 As no provision to meet the

the proposed expenditure exists
in the current year's Budget
Sanction, if accorded, will be
carried into effect after 1st April
1885.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Chas. Foster. Colonel,

Controller of mil. Accts.

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Military {1884} Department.

From

The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St. George,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

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Approved
and transferred to
the Public Works
Department for
disposal.

(By order)

Accepted by
Offg Secy. to Govt.

On account of
7 July 1884

Dated 2 } July 1884
Received 4 }

2 Enclosures.

Forwards with
report letter from the
Comy. Pub. seeking sanction
of Govt. to the P.W. Dept
being asked to extend the
Red Hills water to the Bakery
Compound.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the

Read the following

Letter from the Controller of
Military Accounts ...
Dated thereon in the Military Dept. (3254 of 7th July 1884)

Communicated to the
Supty Engineer & Civil who
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the Madras Municipality
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S.E. & Civil
Military Dept
S. Municipal Dept

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Capt. of (1884) Madison
PUBLIC WORKS.

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10 July 1720

Govt. Building
Madison

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