

1ST SEPTEMBER 1883, No. 1922, FINANCIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

ORDER—dated 1st September 1883, No. 1922, Financial.

The Government note that during the course of each official year, numerous applications are received proposing increases to establishment, or other changes involving increased expenditure, without reference to the sanctioned Budget Estimate of the year. In such cases, it appears to be thought sufficient to say that the proposed expenditure is desirable, or that it can be met from savings. Proposals of the kind can, as a rule, be justified by neither of these considerations. It is intended that each Head of a Department, when submitting his budget for the year, should be careful to see that it is a proper representation of his programme for the coming year. There may, of course, be exceptional cases, but supplemental demands indicate want of care in framing the budget, and, unless urgency is established, it will hereafter be necessary to reject them.

(True Extract.)

E. F. WEBSTER,  
*Acting Chief Secretary.*

To the Departments of the Secretariat.  
„ the Board of Revenue.  
„ the Accountant-General.  
„ all Heads of Departments, including Collectors.

Exd. T. O'Connor,

Govt. of (1883) Madras.  
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SEPTEMBER.

Budget Estimates.

Directing each Head of a Department, when submitting his budget for the year, to be careful to see that it is a proper representation of his programme for the coming year, and intimating that it will hereafter be necessary to reject supplemental demands unless urgency is established.

With Order

4TH JULY 1884, No. 1490, FINANCIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

Proceedings of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce (Accounts and Finance), dated Simla, 18th June 1884, No. 1661.

RESOLUTION.

Read—again the following Resolution in the Department of Finance and Commerce :—

No. 1959, dated 31st July 1873.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Financial department.

The Governor-General in Council observes that, of late, sanction has been frequently asked for immediate expenditure for which no provision has been made in the estimates of the current year.

His Excellency in Council desires to remind local Governments and heads of departments that, save for exceptional reasons, such expenditure should not be proposed, and cannot be sanctioned.

Whenever, therefore, a proposition of this kind is made, the fact that provision has not been made for the desired expenditure in the estimates should be prominently set forth, as well as the particular reasons why it is, nevertheless, considered indispensably necessary that the outlay should be immediately incurred, and should not be postponed to the next financial year. Explanations should also be invariably given why the need for the expenditure was not foreseen in time to obtain sanction for its inclusion in the estimates.

In the absence of such special arguments, the Governor-General in Council will, in future, assume that it is intended that any expenditure proposed should have effect from the beginning of the following financial year and not earlier.

Ordered, that a copy of this resolution be communicated to the several departments of the Government of India, to the several local Governments, to the heads of departments under the Financial department, to the Comptroller-General, and to the several Accountants-General and Deputy Accountants-General in independent charge.

Resolution—

The Governor-General in Council observes that at present applications for sanction to fresh expenditure are not unfrequently submitted during the course of the year in which the provisions of the foregoing resolution are neglected. His Excellency in Council accordingly directs that the attention of the several local Governments and heads of departments be called to the provisions of the Resolution of 31st July 1873, and they be requested to state distinctly in all future applications for sanction to expenditure whether provision for the proposed charge has or has not been made in the budget estimate of the year, and, if not, whether it can be met from savings in the existing grants.

Order—

Ordered, that the foregoing resolution be communicated to the several departments of the Government of India, to the several local Governments and Administra-

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Supdt. Madras Harbour Works.

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tions, to the heads of departments under the Department of Finance and Commerce, to the Comptroller and Auditor General, and to the Accountants-General and Comptrollers for information and guidance.

Ordered also, that a copy of the resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

(Signed) J. F. FINLAY,  
*Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

ORDER—dated 4th July 1884, No. 1490, Financial.

Communicated to all departments of the Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

*J. F. Finlay*

*Ag. Asst. Secy. to Govt.*

To all departments of the Secretariat.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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Sanctions of Expenditure.

Communicating to all departments of the Secretariat resolution of the Government of India requesting that in all future applications for sanction to expenditure it may be distinctly stated whether provision for the proposed charge exists in the budget estimate of the year, and, if not, whether it can be met out of savings.

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