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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following papers :—

From Major S. C. CLARKE, R.E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, III Circle,
to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 24th
January 1884, No. 2891.

I have the honor to lay before you the following case for favorable consideration.
2. Mr. Cormac, Sub-Engineer, has, since Mr. Nordmann's departure from Bellary
in October 1883, been placed in charge of the Bellary division, in addition to his own
duties as the sub-divisional officer. For such extra responsibilities he has been per-
mitted to draw the acting allowance of Rs. 50 per month; but he now informs me
that the Examiner has lately disallowed his sub-divisional allowance on the grounds of
his being the recipient of the divisional allowance, although no other subordinate is in
charge of the sub-division, so that virtually Mr. Cormac is only a gainer to the amount
of Rs. 20 per mensem.

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Office note by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated 2nd February 1884, No. 1144.

ORDER—dated 11th February 1884, No. 368 W., Public Works.
Ordered that the Government of India be addressed.
(Here enter No. 369 W., dated 11th February 1884.)
(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, III Circle.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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G.O., 11th Feb. 1884, No. 368 W.

FEBRUARY.

Mr. J. Cormac, Acting Executive
Engineer, Bellary Division

Ordered that the Government of India be
addressed regarding the allowances admis-
sible to —.

11TH FEBRUARY 1884, No. 369 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

LETTER—from

COLONEL J. SHAW-STEWART, R.E.,

Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Public Works Department,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed to refer the following case for the consideration of the Government of India.

2. In October last, the Executive Engineer of the Bellary division was deputed for special duty, and the divisional charge fell to the sub-divisional officer, Mr. J. Cormac, Sub-Engineer, 2nd grade. While in charge of the sub-division, Mr. Cormac drew the usual sub-divisional allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem; and, on taking over the division, claimed the charge allowance of Rs. 50 admissible under section 36, exception 2, of the Pay and Acting Allowance Code.

3. The Examiner, Public Works Accounts, considers that Mr. Cormac is entitled to only Rs. 50 per mensem as charge allowance, and has no claim to the sub-divisional allowance of Rs. 30, notwithstanding that Mr. Cormac continues to hold the sub-division. Mr. Cormac would thus receive only Rs. 20 extra for the increased responsibilities, and the enhanced expenditure to which he must necessarily be put by the greatly more important and extended charge.

4. His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that, should the Examiner's interpretation of the rules be correct, they might, with advantage to the public service, be amended in this particular. In any case, I am to request that the sanction of the Government of India may be accorded to charge and sub-divisional allowance being both admitted in the present case, which is of an exceptional character.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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

FORT ST. GEORGE,
11th February 1884.

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11th Feb. 1884, No. 369 W.

FEBRUARY.

Mr. J. Cormac, Acting Executive
Engineer, Bellary Division

Requesting sanction to the grant of charge
and sub-divisional allowances to —.

To W. *Mr. Cormac - Bellary*
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S. & III points out that Mr. Cormac
who is in charge of the Supt. Office,
in addition to his own duties, has
been cut his sub-divisional allowance.
For charge of S. & III. Office he draws
Rs. 50. As sub-divisional Officer he
draws Rs. 30 allowance, so the difference
to him is only Rs. 20.
It is not so clear to me that that
the Examiner is right in his inter-
pretation of the rules. The subordinate
performs his original duties for which
he draws Rs. 30 + his salary, & an
additional duty carrying with it
Rs. 50 in ordinary cases is added
on to him. That he should draw
both is to some extent reasonable,
& the arguments against this are
not unanswerable.
As C insists that his reading is
correct the question, if draft proposed
is not passed, would involve having
a reference to India - C.J.
6-2-84.

I think a reference may
be made to India.

W.
3082 6-2-84

being the recipient of

I don't quite see that Section
36 exception 2 excludes subordi-
nates. An upper Subordinate
in addition to his own duties (which
duty gives him the Subordi-allowance)
is put in charge of the Division
& is for this given \$1.50 a month
extra. There is nothing to deprive
him, whilst continuing to perform
his original duties, from receiving
what he was entitled to for those
duties. I should like this
explained, before passing the draft.

To S.W.

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5-2-84

To entitle an upper
Subordinate to Sub di-
visional allowance he
must have charge of
a Sub division "directly"
under the Engr. -
vide para 564 of the
S.W. Code. In the
present case, Mr.
Corum is himself
the Executive Engineer.

R.S.
5-2-84

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SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MADRAS,

No. 2891

Bellary ~~Chopank~~, 24th January 1884.

From Major S. C. Clarke R.E. 30/1/84
SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
3rd 1st CIRCLE,

To THE Chief Engineer
P.W. Department
Madras

SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to lay
before you the following case for
favorable consideration.

2. Mr. Cormac Sub Engineer has,
since Mr. Nordmann's departure from
Bellary, in October/83, been placed in
charge of the Bellary Division, in
addition to his own duties as the Sub
Divisional Officer. For such extra
responsibilities, he has been permitted
to draw the acting allowance of Rs 50
per month, but he now informs me
that the Examiner has lately disallowed
his Sub Divisional allowance on the
grounds of his being the recipient of

the Divisional allowance;

Although no other Subordinate is in charge of the Sub Division, so that virtually, Mr. Cormac is only a gainer to the amount of Rs 20 per mensem.

3. I cannot understand such reasoning and regard the deprivation of the Sub Divisional allowance as an injustice; and hope, that you will be good enough to over-rule the proceeding, for it is both discouraging and impolitic to cut down acting allowances, where such are indisputably claimable.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedt servant
James W. Major R.E.
Offg. Suptg. Engineer
3rd Circle

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For remarks

CJ.

JW

No. 1144 of 28-1-84
28-1-84
February 1884

Mr. Cormac Sub-Engineer who has been holding charge of the Bellary Division since Mr. Madman's departure to Wynad, claimed in addition to charge allowance the Sub Divisional allowance at Rs. 30/- per mensem, which is granted to an upper subordinate who is in charge of a Sub Division directly under the Executive Engineer. Mr. Cormac is himself conducting the duties of an Executive Engineer

From

The Superintending Engineer,
3rd Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer
P.D.D.
Madras

Dated 24th January 1884.
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No. 1144 of 28-1-84

ENCLOSURES.

No. 2891

Mr. Cormac, Ag. Exec. Engr.
Bellary Division

Requesting that the Examiner be authorized to pass the Sub Divisional allowance for which has been disallowed on the grounds of his being the recipient of the Divisional allowance.

To

India.

In October last, the Executive Engineer of the Bellary Division was deputed for special duty, and the divisional charge fell to the Sub-divisional officer Mr. J. Cormac, Sub Engineer 2. grade. While in charge of the Sub-division, Mr. Cormac drew the usual sub-divisional allowance of Rs 30/- per mensem; and, on taking over the Division, claimed the charge allowance of Rs 50/- admissible under Sec: 36 Exception 2 of the Pay and Acting Allowance Code.

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The Examiner ⁹ W. Webb.
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considers that Mr. Cornac
is, ~~under the circumstances,~~
only entitled to £50/- per
mensuum as charge allowance,
and has no claim to the
sub-divisional allowance
of £30/-, notwithstanding
Mr. Cornac continues to hold the Subdivision
that Mr. Cornac would
thus receive only £20/-
extra for the increased
responsibilities, and the
enhanced expenditure to
which he must necessarily
be put by the greatly
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The Hon. A. E. Sullivan

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G.O. 11th July 1883 No 36825
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M^r J. Corunna. A.
Ex Engr. Bellary
Dist.

Ordered that the Govt
be addressed re:
the allowance Admistr
to —

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M^r J. Corunna. A.
Ex Engr Bellary Dist.

Repts: caution to
the grant of charges
and sub-div^d allowance
to —

Subdiv Repts Repts

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