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24TH JUNE 1885, No. 1471 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

From R. F. CHISHOLM, Esq., Consulting Architect to Government, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepāk, 16th May 1885, No. 220.

With reference to G.O., No. 3087 W., dated 15th December 1884, I have the honor to submit an estimate and sketch of the exhibits which it has been proposed to send from this office, viz. :—

1. A model in Bristol board of the new Post and Telegraph office.
2. A model in Carara marble of the Dharmaraj Rath, Mahabalipuram.

The first mentioned model will be so constructed that the stand will form the case for its safe transmission to England, where the plate glass will of course be added.

The spaces below the model will be filled with specimens of brick, stone, terracotta and plaster as executed here in Madras.

The model of the Dharmaraj Rath will be made $\frac{1}{4}$ th of the real size and placed on a pedestal of gneiss made of the same stone as the Rath itself.

Kindly obtain early orders to proceed with the exhibits.

Office note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated 11th June 1885, No. 186.

ORDER—dated 24th June 1885, No. 1471 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,394, for constructing models of the Post and Telegraph office at Madras and the Dharmaraj Rath at Mahabalipuram, as exhibits for the London Colonial Exhibition of 1886, is sanctioned.

2. It will be considered in the Financial Department whether the sum required can be placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department from the provision of Rs. 20,000 made in the civil budget under 26, Scientific and other minor departments, for expenses in connection with the exhibition.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 70 W. of 1885-86.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Architect to Government, with one enclosure.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with estimate
" for note and return to Consulting Architect.
" Financial Department.
" Revenue "
Exd. A. Aubert.
Spare Copies

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of 1885 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated June, 24th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 24th June 1885, No. 1471 W.

JUNE.

Models

Estimate for — of the Post and Telegraph office at Madras and the Dharmaraj Rath at Mahabalipuram, as exhibits for the London Colonial Exhibition of 1886, sanctioned with remarks.

No. 1354 D.

GOVT.
OF MADRAS.

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P. W.
DEPT.

SECRETARY.

1471
Chepak,

5th June 1885.

OFFICE NOTE. R. No. 140.

5.6.85.
Enc. 2

From

dw.

To

C.

with C. 4425 & Encl.

Please say
under what
heads you consider
this estimate
should be entered.

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P.W.D.

Consulting Architect's Office,

Chennai, Madras,

15 May 1885

No. 220

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From

The Consulting Architect to the Government of Madras,

To

The Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

In,

Enclosures.

1 Estimate

1 Tracing

X At 07th sent
in case meeting
with the admin
trading report

With reference to G.O. No 3087^x dated

15th December 1884, I have the honor to

Submit an Estimate and Sketch of the
Exhibits which it has been proposed to send
from this office vizt

1. A model in Bristol Board of the New
Post and Telegraph office
2. A model in Carara Marble of the Char-
-maraja's Rat Mahavellipooram

The first mentioned model will be so
constructed that the stand will form the case
for its safe transmission to England where
the plate glass will of course be added.

The space below the model will be
filled

filled with specimens of brick, stone, terra cotta
and plaster as executed here in Madras.

The model of the Sharmarajas Rat
will be made $\frac{1}{24}$ of the real size and placed
on a pedestal of gneiss made of the same
stone as the Rat itself.

Kindly obtain early orders
to proceed with the exhibits.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

W. Musholin

Consq. Archit. to Govt.

[Form No. viii.]

GOVT.
OF MADRAS.

1885.

P. W.
DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras,

11th June 1885.

OFFICE NOTE No. 186.

To

W.

Encs: 3.

Your O. N. No. 1354 D. dated 5th.
June 1885.

KEEP WITH

Genl. No.

dated

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I suppose the allocation
whether to the P. W. Department or to
the Civil Department, depends whether
the Exhibition of the models is
to benefit the public at large, or
only the P. W. Department.

3. If the former, I consider the
Civil Department should meet the
expense as it did in the case of
the objects for the Indian Institute
at Oxford (G. O. No. 1706 W. of 9th.
July 1884). If the latter and this
Department bears the charge, it will
perhaps best be classed as the works
which the models represent, were
classed; as was done in the case of
G. O. No. 309 I. of 5th. March 1883
regarding the photographs of works
which were sent to the Cape of Good
Hope, and elsewhere.

A. No 1706 W. 9. 7-84
 B. No 246 W. 2. 2-85
 C. No 178 W. 22. 1-85
 D. No 210 S. 5. 3-83
 " " 207 S. 5. 3-83
 No 1357 D. 5. 6-83
 " 707 E. 23. 9-84
 " 707 E. 23. 9-84
 " 707 E. 23. 9-84
 E. No 2889 W. 19. 11. 84 orig
 2890
 No 2157 D. 2. 12-84.

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Ans. 65/6.

Public Works Department, 1885-86.

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Current No. 4425
 Letter No. 220
 Dated the 15th May 1885
 From the *Engineering Architect to Govt*

NOTE OF REMARKS.

1. With reference to G. O. No. 3087/84 of the 15th Dec/84 C. A. submits the accompanying estimate and sketch of the exhibits which he proposes to send to the Colonial Exhibition of 1886. — The estimate amounts to Rs. 2394.
2. The exhibits are: —
 A card board model of the New Post and Telegraphs of 'fies' with ornamental stand and glass cover — Rs. 1720 —
 The cost of the stand is set down as Rs. 600, and of the glass cover, Rs. 280.
 A model in Carrara marble of the Dharmaraja's Rathas at Mahavellipila — Rs. 674.

C. 20.5.85

3. It is written - "The first mentioned model will be so constructed that the stand will form the case for its safe transmission to England - where the plate glass will of course be added." - The model is to be constructed to scale $\frac{1}{4}$ the natural.

4. C. A. writes - "Kindly obtain early orders to proceed with the exhibits."

19th May/85
B.H.

C. No. 4425.

P. W. Secretariat.

Note by Budget Section.

Work Making models as exhibits for the Colonial Exhibition of 1886. Remarks and References.

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Fund			
Service Head	...	...	...
Departmental Head	...	...	...
Amount of Estimate	...	Rs.	2,394
Expenditure in previous year	...	"	"
Allocation in current year	...	"	"
Balance required to complete	...	"	"
Total Rs...			2,394

Note of available funds.

The question as to who should bear the cost of making the models selected for the Colonial Exhibition of 1886 is nowhere decided. The charge should apparently be met by the Civil Department and the expenditure incurred in the P. W. Department should eventually be adjusted through the Civil Accounts.

20th May 1885.

hr
Budget Clerk.

Note by Budget Section.

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Draft order sub-
mitted 1471
Shannon
Rath. being
Archaeological
all charges con-
nected therewith
fall on Provincial

HB

12/6/5

How can we give funds
"Pam. & Special" for the model
of Telegraph office? We have
no money that I am aware of
and Director fund might yield to
his fund being utilized for the
purpose.

Ch.
13.6.55

Dr.

The lump sum promised
available for various works
Postal & Telegraphs, is 147,897
and

small
Conc. credit.

W.

Submitted -

It has been found
necessary to cancel

No. 1248 W. 3 29/3/85 -

as the may proceed.

ings are being

passed thro' the

Press. Second

hand must be added

to W's order - setting

forth the amount

of estimated sauct?

and the register -

W.B.

12/6/85

W.

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The draft herewith, according
to the cost of the exhibits
for the Colonial Exhibition which are
being prepared by Mr. Disraeli, has
been somewhat delayed owing to
reference & discussion about the
incidence of the charges.

I am not quite sure whether objection
may not be raised to debiting "expenses"
with the cost of the model of the
the Post & Telegraph Office, and whether
it is right to charge the "Harmory"
rather to an ordinary Provincial
P.W. Grant. A better case might be
to obtain from the Financial Dept.
a special allotment of funds for
purpose connected with the Exhibition.
However, it is a question that can
best be decided by you at City.

C.I.

15.6.85

I may add that I have personally
attended Mr. Disraeli's proceedings
with the model - paying formal
attention of funds.

To C.A.W.

for remarks.

W

15.6.85

To W.

It does not appear

correct in principle

12/6/85

Wm. Disraeli

heads under which the buildings
are classed.

The object apparently is
to exhibit objects specimens of
local P.W.D. & native architecture,
& all the expenditure incurred
should be debited to one head.
The Civil Asst. Code & the P.W.D.
Code both provide a
head for such expenditure -
vide "26 - Scientific & other minor
Depts" at page 644 of former,
& "13 - minor Depts" at page
1xvi of appendix 7, Part VI
of latter.

The D. G., Post & Telegraph
Depts., would most certainly
object to a portion of their grants
for minor works being diverted
to the construction of models for
exhibition.

Further estimates will
probably be coming in for
models of irrigation works
mentioned in the G.O. of 19.11.94,
& their cost should also
apparently be charged to
the same head.

The Rev. Dept. propose
to send a large variety of
exhibits, but the expenditure
will not be classified
according to description
as follows.

of exhibit - ¹⁴⁷¹ ~~1470~~ all to one head.

I have ascertained
that a provision of Rs
20000 has been made
in the Civil Budget for
expenditure in connection
with the Exhibition of
1886, & there seems no
reason why the P.W.D.
expenditure should not
be met from that Grant,
if the money can be
raised. If the Rev. Dept.
need the whole of the Grant,
an allotment might be
made from the P.W.D.
Provincial reserve here-
after, the expenditure
being classified under
"13 - minor Depts" in
P.W. works.

A revised draft
order is submitted
for approval.

Noted.
revised draft
approved

Cu

18.6.95

submit
the Comptroller.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Under date the

Read the following

From the Consig. Archt. to Govt. M.G. No. 220 of 16th May 1885
 office note from the Ex. P.W. accts. " 186 of 11th June 1885.

The estimate amount=
 = ing to Rs 2394, for construct=
 = ing models of the Post and
 Telegraph office at Madras
 and the Dharmaraj Rath
 at Mahabalipuram, as ex=
 = hibits for the London Colo=
 = nial Exhibition of 1886, is
 sanctioned.

2. It will be considered
 in the Financial Dept. whether
 the sum required can be
 placed at the disposal of
 the P.W. Department from
 the provision of Rs 20000 made
 in the Civil Budget under
 26, Scientific and other minor

Departments, for expenses in
connection with the exhibi-
-tion.

3. This sanction has been
registered as Provincial
No 70. W of 1885-86.

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18.6.86

15/6/86



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Ex. P.W. depts. with estimate
for note & return to C.A.

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Rev. Sept. W

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28965 W. 19.11.84

By no 3087 W. 15.12.84

P. W. D.

Roads and Buildings.

From

THE CONSULTING ARCHITECT

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras.

No. 220

Dated 16th May 1885

Received

No 147/1885-6

No. of ENCLOSURES. 2.

Subject.

Submits Estimate for Exhibits
Colonial Exhibition 1886.

To Mr C. A. to Govt with 2 encs

" Enr P.W.D. with copy of

SP. 2569 W. 19.11.84

Public Dept.

By S. 11/7/5.

Q. 20.5.85

W. M. order

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Govt. of (1885) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

G.O. No. 14 June 1885, No. 471

Models

Copy - Mr. Port &
Religious Office at Madras
& the Sharnaray
Rath at Mahakali-
puram, as exhibits
for the London Colonial
Exhibition of 1886, sanc-
tioned with remarks.

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