

B. No. 5964, 1887
23RD MARCH 1887, No. 881 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from R. G. MACDONALD, Esq., Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Account—General), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 12th March 1887, No. 47 A.G.:—

In reply to your endorsement, No. 269 W., of the 3rd ultimo, I am directed to state that the Government of India approves of your recommendation to revert to the former rate of $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., in calculating the percentage chargeable to other funds for use of Provincial tools and plant.

ORDER—dated 23rd March 1887, No. 881 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department, for information and guidance.

2. The reversion to the former rate of $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., approved of by the Government of India, will have effect from 1st April 1887.

3. The Secretary to the Code Committee will frame the necessary standing order modifying the rules on the subject in the Madras Public Works Code.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Financial Department.
" Revenue do.
" Military do.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated March, 23rd.

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G.O., 23rd Mar. 1887, No. 881 W.

MARCH.

Tools and Plant

The sanction of the Government of India to the proposal to revert to the $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. rate of contribution by funds other than Provincial on account of —, communicated to officers of the department.

31st MARCH 1887, No. 353, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 19th February 1887, No. 319 :—

Read—G.O., dated 11th January 1887, No. 22, Revenue.

ABSTRACT.—Reviewing Canal and Ferry Fund budget for 1887-88.

Resolution—dated 19th February 1887, No. 319.

Communicated to the Collectors concerned.

2. *Paragraph 2 of the Government Order.*—The increase under expenditure in Malabar is accounted for in the opening sentence of paragraph 9 of Board's Proceedings, dated 18th November 1886, No. 2510, and is due to the provision made for the payment of Rs. 1,400 to the Cochin Municipality on account of the receipts from the tolls on the Kalvetti canal, the management of which was transferred to the Collector subsequent to the settlement of the budget for 1886-87—*vide* G.O., Revenue Department, dated 14th July 1886, No. 581. The increase in South Canara follows the increase under receipts whereby a larger surplus is made available for transfer to Local funds.

3. The Board are not aware what arrangements have been made by the district Board to pay up their share of the contribution towards the cost of the Kovur-Manjair junction canal. The Collector of Godáviri is requested to report upon the point.

4. *Paragraph 6 of the Government Order.*—It is not clear how the cost of supervision, tools and plant for Godáviri has been put down at Rs. 3,120. The prescribed percentages for these charges are 23 and $1\frac{1}{2}$ respectively, and on the total estimated outlay for construction and repairs (Rs. 18,500) the charge would amount to Rs. 4,532 and not Rs. 3,120.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
Acting Secretary.

To the Collector of South Arcot.

" " of South Canara.
" " of Cuddapah.
" " of Godáviri.
" " of Kistna.
" " of Malabar.
" " of Tanjore.
" " of Tinnevely.
" " of Trichinopoly.
" Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" Accountant-General.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

ORDER—dated 31st March 1887, No. 353, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

Recorded.

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| 1. Purchase of a steamer for the Rajahmundry ferry. | rs.
59,540 |
| 2. Construction and repair of ferry boats. | 4,000 |
| 3. Construction and repair of ferry boats for the Kovur-Manjair junction canal. | 1,500 |
| 4. Construction of bridges over irrigation canals, &c. | 3,000 |
| 5. Landing place at Dowlaishweram | 2,000 |
| 6. Construction of Kovur-Manjair junction canal. | 4,000 |
| 7. Maintenance and repair of completed portion of Kovur-Manjair junction canal. | 4,000 |

2. With reference to paragraph 4 of the foregoing Proceedings, Government observe that the percentage charges for establishment and tools and plant are 23 and 1, respectively, and not 23 and 1½, and that they are calculated only on the outlay on works and repairs and not on that on tools and plant (*vide* sections 1485 and 1487, Public Works Code). The estimated expenditure in Godáviri in 1887-88 is as noted in the margin, of which items Nos. 1 to 3 come under the head "Tools and plant" (*vide* page 87 of the appendices to the Public Works Code) and are not, therefore, subject to any percentage charges. The sum of the other items aggregates Rs. 13,000 and the cost of supervision and tools and plant on this amount at the prescribed percentages of 23 and 1 comes to

Rs. 3,120—the figure adopted by Government.

3. It is observed that G.O., No. 319, dated 19th February 1887, contains no paragraph 6.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Public Works Department.
„ the Accountant-General.

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REVENUE.

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With reference to
G.O. No. 881 W dated 23rd
March 1887, the rate
of Contribution to
Provincial on account
of Tools & Plant will
be $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent from
1st April 1887.

(sd) J. O. H.

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G.O., 31st March 1887, No. 353.

B. No. 1169 Wd/29 April 1887

MARCH.

Canal and Ferry Fund Budget.

Board's Proceedings on Government review
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B. No 1169 Wd/29 April 1887

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to G.O. No 881 W dated

23rd March 1887,

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tribution to Prov.

on account of

Tools and Plant

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G.O., 31st March 1887, No. 353.

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MARCH.

Canal and Ferry Fund Budget.

Board's Proceedings on Government review
of — for 1887-88, recorded with remarks.

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Budgets.

Reviewing the budget estimates of the Harbour
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