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4TH JULY 1887, No. 1774 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

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REMINDER.

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Subject Enquiring why the Budget Estimate of the Madras Harbour Works for 1887.88 has been prepared for Rs. 11.61.000, while the provision in the estimates of the Civil Department to meet Imperial advances on account of the Works amounts to Rs. 8 lakhs only

R J Macdonald
Offg Under *Secy. to the Govt. of India,*
Public Works Dept.

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~~*Accountant General,*~~
~~*Public Works Dept.*~~

No. 116 A.G.
Dated Simla 17th June 1887

To

The Secretary to the Government
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The Harbour Trust Board do not give a decided reply whether 8 lakhs will be sufficient to meet expenditure during 1887-88.

For orders whether a revised budget working up to 8 lakhs shall be called for, or whether India shall be asked to sanction the original budget provisionally.

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R C W Pemberton Coll, R.E.
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Ootacamund,
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Enquiry in regard to the provision in budget for the Madras harbour works.

To The Accountant General to be returned

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CURRENT NO.

Budget DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George,
Accountant-General's Office,
10th June 1887.

No. 1521

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From
W. P. Clogstoun Esqre
ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL
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To the Chairman M. H. T. Board
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CURRENT NO. ~~2270~~

Financial (1887) Department.

From
THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,
Madras,

To
THE Chief Secy to Govt
Financial Deptt

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Dated
Received 13 } June 1887.

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Subject.

Stating that the sum of 8 lakhs referred to is apparently the provision made in this office Cash Requirement Estimate for 87-88 under the head of "Loans to Municipalities. Native States &ca."

Transferred

Harbour Trust Board Office,
MADRAS, 28th June 1887.

No. 1406

FROM
The Honorable R. H. Barlow C.S.
CHAIRMAN, HARBOUR TRUST BOARD,
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MARINE DEPARTMENT.

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No. 1406

SUBJECT.

Forwarding for the information of Govt. a letter from the Supdt. M. H. W. in reference to the enquiry whether 8 lakhs of Rupees will be sufficient to meet the expenditure on the Harbour Works during 1887/88

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UNDER date the 4th July /87.

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Endorsement in the P.W.D. " 1418 d/ 21st " "
— do — " Finl Dept — d/ 31st " "
From the Accountant Genl No 1521 d/ 10 June 1887
Endorsement in the Finl Dept d/ 22 " "
— do — " P.W.D. No 257 d/ 24 " "
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To the Chairman Har. Tr. Bd
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– Finl Dept

(Chief Secy for favour of counter-initials)

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