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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from R. W. BARLOW, Esq., C.S., Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated Madras, 3rd October 1887, No. 3881:—

I have the honor to forward herewith indent, in triplicate, for (1) divers' helmets and collar; (2) points and crossings for 75 lb. rails; (3) points and crossings for 50 lb. rails, required for the use of the Madras Harbour Works, and to request that the same may be forwarded to England for compliance as they are not procurable locally.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
21st October 1887.

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
Asst. Secretary to Government.

ORDER—dated 26th October 1887, No. 2882 W., Public Works.

Ordered that the indent be forwarded to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, for compliance.

(Here enter No. 2883 W., dated 26th October 1887.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Marine Department.

LETTER—to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, London, dated Chépák, 26th October 1887, No. 2883 W.

I am directed to forward herewith for compliance an indent, in duplicate, for stores required for the Madras Harbour Works.

2. The usual certificate by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts is not attached, as the expenditure on the works is not now audited by that officer, but I am to state that provision to meet the cost of the stores has been made in the estimate of the Harbour Works for the current year.

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

2 26TH OCTOBER 1887, Nos. 2882, 2883, 2884 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

LETTER—to the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department,
dated Chepák, 26th October 1887, No. 2884 W.

I am directed to forward, for information, copy of my No. 2883 W., of this date,
to the Director-General of Stores, accompanied by the triplicate copy of the indent
referred to therein.

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

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Gobt. of {1887} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated October, 26th.

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G.O., 26th Oct. 1887, Nos. 2882,
2883, 2884 W.

OCTOBER.

Indent

Forwarding to the Director-General of
Stores, India Office, an — for stores required
for the Madras Harbour Works.

25TH JANUARY 1886, No. 202 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from Colonel W. S. TREVOR, R.E., Secretary to the
Government of India, Public Works Department (Civil Works—Miscel-
laneous), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works
Department, dated Fort William, 12th January 1886, No. 12 M. :—

I am directed to communicate, for your information and guidance, the accom-
panying revised rules laying down the procedure to be followed in future in obtaining
stores from England for the Public Works Department, other than railway stores, and
to request that they may be brought into operation at once.

2. I am to invite your attention to paragraph 3 of Finance Department resolution,
No. 185, dated 10th January 1883, under which alone English stores may be purchased
in this country; and to state that, whenever English stores are authorised to be
purchased locally, the reasons for allowing the purchase must be placed on record, as
well as the probable estimated loss or gain caused by adopting such a course.

3. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts should be furnished with a copy of
each order issued under the preceding paragraph, and should be requested to enter and
attach its substance to the annual return, under paragraph 23 of the Finance Depart-
ment resolution quoted above.

4. I am further to point out that, under the rules in force, the purchase of
English stores by means of orders given to agents or firms in India, who have to send
such orders to England for execution, is absolutely prohibited. If any case of such a
nature should occur, it should be seriously noticed and should be forwarded, together
with the orders passed thereon, to the Government of India for information.

ENCLOSURE.

*Revised rules for procedure in obtaining stores from England for the Public Works
Department, other than railway stores.*

Indents for Public Works stores, other than railway stores, so long as they are within the
grant assigned for the purpose for expenditure during the year, should be sent direct by the
Secretaries in the Public Works Department of the several local Governments and Administrations
to the Director-General of Stores, India Office.

2. All indents transmitted to the India Office must be in duplicate, and must give full
particulars, and be accompanied by all information likely to be of use in guiding their supply.
One copy of each indent and of the documents accompanying should be simultaneously sent to
the Government of India in the Public Works Department. If the indents are not printed at
the time of first despatch, one manuscript copy only need be sent to the India Office and one
manuscript copy to the Government of India. On being printed subsequently, two printed
copies should be sent to the India Office and one to the Government of India.

3. Indents must be made out only on the authorised form as at present in use. Calculations
and specifications must be clear and complete, and must be accompanied by all necessary drawings,
models, or samples; the indenting officer being responsible that all information necessary for
an accurate and complete comprehension of his wants is given.

4. English money, weights and measures are alone to be used in all indents sent to England
and in all correspondence thereon, the money values being entered in conventional sterling at
two shillings per rupee.

5. Indents are to be numbered progressively; and should, in addition, have each item
numbered consecutively, commencing from unit (1) upwards in each indent. Particular attention
must be devoted to this, so that the quotation of the number of an indent and the number of an
item may fully identify the article in question.

6. Stores intended for Provincial as well as for Imperial services may be included in the same indent; but in such cases, the only fund heading to be entered must be "Provincial," subsequent adjustments being made in India.

7. Indenting officers are responsible that the store lists of neighbouring administrations and railways have been, as far as possible, searched, and that none of the items entered can be advantageously procured from such sources.

8. If any indent on England contains items which it is possible to obtain of Indian manufacture, or of indigenous origin, it should be distinctly explained on the face of the indent in the column of remarks why such articles have been indented for from England instead of having been procured in India; otherwise, they will be liable to be cancelled.

9. Each indent must carry a certificate of the necessity for the stores indented for, and that they cannot be advantageously procured of local manufacture, or from surplus stores of other departments, railways, or administrations.

10. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts should attach a certificate to each indent to the following effect:—

"I certify that funds to meet the outlay, which it is estimated will be incurred in England in connection with this indent during the year 18 18 , have been provided for in the estimates of the Public Works Department to the extent of £ "

or, when necessary, in place of the words italicised—

"will be provided by the Government of India * in the estimates of that year, vide Government of India letter, No. , dated "

and, when it is expected that the outlay will be incurred partly in one year and partly in another year, the following addition should be made to the certificate:—

"and that the balance of the estimated outlay in England, or £ , will be provided by the Government of India * in the estimates of the year 18 18 , vide Government of India letter, No. , dated "

11. It must be remembered that the Director-General of Stores will not proceed to consider an indent if transmitted in an incomplete form.

12. Local Governments and Administrations are authorised to communicate freely with the Director-General of Stores, India Office, regarding future requirements and on all matters connected with the supply of stores; this power may, at the discretion of the Local Government or Administration, be delegated to Superintending Engineers.

13. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts will send forward monthly, to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, a statement showing—

- (I). The grant for outlay in England during the year.
- (II). The number and amount of each indent certified during the month just closed.
- (III). The amount of the grant for the year actually apportioned up to the end of the month, corrected by latest advices from England.
- (IV). The balance available to meet further indents.

* NOTE.—In the case of stores for Provincial services, the sanction of the Local Government or Administration will suffice for the Examiner, but for stores needed for Imperial purposes in a year not yet begun, the sanction of the Government of India must be obtained to the proposed allotment before the Examiner may give his certificate.

ORDER—dated 25th January 1886, No. 202 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department, for information and guidance, with advertence to appendix I to the Public Works Code, in which these rules will in due course be incorporated.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

To Superintending Engineers.

To the Consulting Architect to Government.

" Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.

" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, for issue of the requisite S.O.

Exd. E. Fernandez.

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of {1886} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 25th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 25th Jan. 1886, No. 202 W.

JANUARY.

Stores

Orders of the Government of India, communicating revised rules laying down the procedure to be followed in obtaining from England —, other than railway stores, communicated to officers of the department.

20TH AUGUST 1887, Nos. 2233, 2234, 2235 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following papers:—

From the Honorable R. W. BARLOW, C.S., Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 8th August 1887, No. 2373.

I have the honor to forward herewith, in triplicate, for transmission to England indent for sundry stores required by the Superintendent of the Madras Harbour Works for harbour construction.

2. I also enclose copy of a letter, No. 434 S., dated 26th July 1887, from the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, intimating that the following can be supplied by him:—

Item No. 18, iron flat, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $\frac{1}{4}$ ", bars 20,
" " 19, iron round, $1\frac{3}{8}$ ", bars 12,

and the indent has been altered accordingly.

ENCLOSURE.

From A. JOYCE, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, to the Secretary, Harbour Trust Board, dated Madras, 26th July 1887, No. 434 S.

In returning indent, in triplicate, on the Home Government, received with your letter, No. 2005, dated 25th July 1887, I have the honor to state that the undermentioned articles are available in the Public Works Stores, and can be supplied if indented for at once:—

Item 18, iron flat, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times$ $\frac{1}{4}$ ", bars 20.
" 19, iron round $1\frac{3}{8}$ ", bars 12.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
15th August 1887.

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
Ag. Asst. Secy., Marine Dept.

ORDER—dated 20th August 1887, No. 2233 W., Public Works.

Ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government for compliance.

(Here enter Nos. 2234, 2235 W., dated 20th August 1887.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chairman, Madras Harbour Trust Board.
" Marine Department.

20TH AUGUST 1887, Nos. 2233, 2234, 2235 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

LETTER—to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, London, dated Fort St. George, 20th August 1887, Nos. 2234, 2235 W.

I am directed to forward, for compliance, an indent for stores required for the Madras Harbour Works, and to state that it includes the four pairs crusher jaws asked for in telegram from this Government, dated 28th July 1887.

2. The usual certificate by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, is not attached, as the expenditure on the works is not now audited by that officer, but I am to state that provision to meet the cost of the stores has been made in the estimates of the Harbour Works for the current year.

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

ENDORSEMENT—dated 20th August 1887, No. 2235 W., Public Works.

Copy of the above, with copy of the indent, forwarded to the Government of India.

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

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Gobt. of (1887) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 20th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 20th Aug. 1887, Nos. 2233,
2234, 2235 W.

AUGUST.

Stores required for the Madras
Harbour Works

Forwarding copy of letter to the Direc-
tor-General of Stores with copy of indent
for certain —.

EXTRACT of Proceedings of the TRUSTEES of the HARBOUR
of MADRAS, at a Meeting held at the Offices of the
Board on Friday the 30th day 7
of September 1887. 84
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14. Read letter from the
Acting Superintendent Madras
Harbour Works No. 847 dated
19th September 1887, forwarding
indent for Divers helmets,
and Paints and Crossings.
Sanctioned.

/ True Extract /

C. J. G. G. G.

Secretary
Harbour Trust Board.

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Transferred to the Public
Works Department.

By order

W. L. W. W.
Assistant Secy.

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MARINE DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE CHAIRMAN,

HARBOUR TRUST BOARD,

MADRAS,

TO

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Marine Department.

DATED 3rd October 1887.

RECEIVED 5th 22-7-87

ENCLOSURE (2) (4 in duplicate)
No. 3881

G.O. 2233-34-35 W 4/20-8-87

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SUBJECT.

Submitting an indent
for transmission to England
for supply.

CHIEF SECRETARY
5 OCT 87

over

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 2062 W

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 26th October 1887

Read the following

From the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, H.C. No. 3331 of 5th October 1887
Endorsement by the Marine Department of 21st October 1887.

Ordered that the indent
be forwarded to the Director General
of Stores, India Office, for compliance.

The Marine Dept. S
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H. L. No. 2062 W 4/25-1-86

The Director General of Stores
India Office
London.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith
for compliance an indent in duplicate
for stores required for the Madras Harbour
Works.

The usual certificate by the
Examiner of P.W. Accounts is not attached
as the expenditure on the works is
not now audited by that officer;

Yours

I am to state that provision to meet the cost of the stores made in the estimates of the Harbour Works for the current year.

H. L. No. 2004 W of 26th October 1887

no note indented in duplicate

To The Secy to the Govt of India

P. W. Department

Sir,

I am directed to forward, for information, copy of my No. 2003 W of this date, to the Director General of Stores, accompanied by the triplicate copy of the indent referred to therein.

W. L. G.

15.10.87

The Secy to the Govt of India

W. L. G.

15.10.87

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Are — for stores required for the Meadows Harbour works, ordered to be forwarded to the Director General of stores, India office, for compliance.

Director

For execution of the order

Forwarding to the Director General of stores, India office, three, are — for stores required for the Meadows Harbour works.

Director

Forwarding to the Govt of India for copy of an — sent to the Director General of stores, India office for stores required for the Meadows Harbour works.

on 27/10/87