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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following papers :—

From A. JOYCE, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, dated Madras, 30th August 1887, No. 1316 W.

I have honor to forward, herewith, a letter from Mr. Francis, Sub-Engineer, Head Foreman of the Public Works Workshops, together with some previous correspondence. The whole is anent the appointment of Manickum Pillay, draftsman, to the post of sub-overseer, 1st grade, in the department.

2. I give him my most thorough recommendation. Ordinary sub-overseers are of little or no use in the workshops, more especially those coming from the Madras Civil Engineering College, unless they happen to be very peculiar men, whom it would be most likely difficult to find. Manickum Pillay has been some time in the workshops now. He does excellent work and of a kind, a goodish but superior, to what would be naturally expected from a man of his rank in the department. I would, therefore, with your permission, desire to encourage him and give him this step in the department. He prizes it chiefly on account of what it may ultimately tend to with long, good, and faithful service. The post of a 2nd-class draftsman may be abolished if this proposal is sanctioned.

No. 2304.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

CHEPÂK,
1st September 1887.

(Signed) H. M. VIBART, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

From Colonel H. M. VIBART, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bangalore, 11th October 1887, No. 2771.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 540 D., dated 7th September 1887, I have the honor to forward a statement in form M 184, showing the financial effect of the proposal to appoint Draftsman S. Manickum Pillay as sub-overseer in the Public Works Workshops.

2. The proposal involves an increase of Rs. 17-8-0 per month.

ORDER—dated 12th November 1887, No. 3057 W., Public Works.

The proposal to appoint S. Manickum Pillay a sub-overseer, 1st grade, in the Public Works Workshops, and to absorb the post of second draftsman, is sanctioned.

2. The Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, will report whether one of the surplus draftsmen in that circle can be posted to the workshops for duty as a supernumerary, in view to his acquiring a knowledge of machine drawing.

3. The sanction accorded in paragraph 1 of these proceedings has been registered as Provincial, No. 42 W. of 1887-88, and classified as Establishment, Permanent.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
" " " IV "
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. A. Aubert.
Spare Copies

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GENERAL.
ESTABLISHMENT.

Govt. of {1887} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 12th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 12th Nov. 1887, No. 3057 W.

NOVEMBER.

Public Works Workshops, Madras

Proposal to appoint Draftsman S. Manickum Pillay, a sub-overseer, 1st grade, in the —, and to absorb the post of second draftsman, sanctioned with remarks.

No. 1 W.

PRESIDENCY pw WORKSHOPS,
Madras, 30th August 1887.

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From
Mr. S. Francis
~~GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,~~
~~Foreman~~ PRESIDENCY pw WORKSHOPS,

3057/3

To
THE General Superintendent
Public Works Workshops
Madras

Enclosures.

SIR,

As the Workshops is thrown open to all departments of Government and the General public, there is now a necessity to give me a proper assistant.

In this office correspondence ending with Superintending Engineer's endorsement No 3768 dated 9th January 1885 S.V. Manickam Pillay was recommended for an overseership in the Workshops, and as the necessity has now arisen, I beg that you will be pleased to ask Government for a Sub Overseer 1st grade being attached to the Workshops, and in the event of Sanction being accorded, that S.V. Manickam Pillay, Draftsman and Estimator attached to the Workshops Office establishment, be appointed to the post.

The appointment of a 2nd grade Draftsman in the Workshops, may then be abolished.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obdt Servant.
S. Francis
~~Foreman~~ P.W. Workshops Sub Eng

From Mr. S. Francis.
~~THE GENL. SUPERINTENDENT,~~ Foreman.
PRESIDENCY WORKSHOPS,
Madras

To

THE General Superinten
P. W. Worksh

No. W.

Dated 30th
Despd.
Recd. 30th
August 1887.

ENCLOSURES.

Subject.

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be given to him and reques
to ask Government to attac
a Sub Overseer 1st grade to
the Workshops

Madras 3rd December 1884

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To,

The General Superintendent
P. W. Workshops
through
Mr. S Francis
Sub Engineer.

Honoured Sir,

I beg leave to bring to your honor's notice that I was at first working as Surveyor and Draftsman in the Famine Relief works of 1878, connected with Gun Powder Factory, and after the completion of the works, I was entertained in the P. W. Work Shops as Draftsman and Estimator on the recommendation of Colonel Farewell R. E. who was then Deputy Chief Engineer, and I have been in the Office for the last 5 Years, during which time I have endeavoured to learn Mechanical Drawing and to acquire sufficient knowledge of the various branches of works carried on in the Workshops.

I have also to state that I have passed the Surveying and Drawing Examinations in the Civil Engineering College. I request that your honor will be good enough to recommend me for the place of Overseer now vacant in the Workshops, hoping that you will take into consideration my service in connection with the above place, since Mr. Wells' transfer.

For which act of kindness I shall ever be grateful.

I beg to remain
Honored Sir
Your Most Obdt. Servant,
(Signed) S. Manickum Pillay.

3057/5

Sir,

I beg to recommend strongly S. Manickum Pillay for the post which he now seeks to fill up, ever since his connection with the P. W. Workshops he has rendered me every assistance (during my absence from the Workshops while inspecting the General Hospital Punkah Works, Bakery and Guindy works he will be of great service to the maistries in explaining the various plans to them) an Overseer from the D. P. W. will not be of much use, to me, as he will have to be taught his work, from what experience I have had of S. Manickum Pillay. I am confident that he will turn out a good Mechanical Overseer.

4th December /84 } (Signed) S. Francis
Sub Engineer

In the event of the Workshops being thrown open to all Departments of Govt. it will probably be necessary to give the Officer in-charge some extra Assistance in the Shops, of an Overseer, and in my opinion, Manickum Pillay would be a most useful man as an Overseer in the Work Shops —

15th December /84 } (Signed) W. L. C. Baddeley Captn. R.E.

Sd

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R. No. 4753/16-12-84

No. 3768.

No. 1495/10-1-85

In the event of the appointment of an Overseer for the Workshops, being required, the Applicants claim, can be then brought up.

9th January 1885. (Signed) H. L. Prendergast Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Vth Circle

To
L. Manickum Pillay for information, through Mr Francis
Signed W. B. DeWinton
10-1-85

(True Copies)

A Joyce
Genl. Supdt. P.W. Workshops

C No. 6586.

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W. Manickum Pillai
now employed as 2nd draftsman
in the P.W. Workshops, is
thoroughly qualified for
the duties of a Sub Overseer
in the Workshops - He has
a good knowledge of
every trade carried on
in the shops, and is
experienced in [illegible] ordinary
Mechanical drawing &
estimating -
I strongly recommend his
appointment as Sub-Overseer
1st grade -
I do not think it would be
dvisable to do away with
he post of 2nd grade draftsman
the shops, as it is an
xcellent training ground
f a special class of work;
nd it is also desirable
hat there should be
men who are competent
take up the chief draftsman's

place, in the event of its falling vacant –

I would recommend that one of the passed drafts men now out of employment, be sent to the Workshops for a time at least; as the practical knowledge he will get there, will prove useful to him, when he again joins an extensive division.

3.9.87

This entails an increase in the pay of the Workshops Staff. I do not pretend to understand and [illegible] it is the best –

6/9/87

To W

It is not stated what pay the man now draws – If appointed Sub overseer 1st grade, he will begin on Rs 50 per mensem, but whether this will give him an increase or otherwise is not stated – If he is the 2d draftsman in the Shops (which is not stated) he is probably now drawing Rs 50 per mensem; and if the post of 2d draftsman be abolished, as suggested by Mr Joyce, there will be no immediate increase of cost – D.W. however suggests that the post of 2d draftsman be continued, and if this be approved, the excess cost will be Rs 50/- at present.

For orders whether the S.S. may be told to submit a proposition statement in the usual form.

6/9/87

P.S. It is presumed that Mr Sells (referred to in

G.O. Mily Dept, No 5738 of 22-8-87) would appear too high a salary, to admit of his being employed in the workshops –

Mr. Willis would be too good I imagine for such a post. A prospective statement may be called for.

6/9/87

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C. No. 6886.

3057/8

Note.

The existing number of Upper Subordinates is two in excess of the sanctioned scale and therefore the services of an Upper Subordinate (Mr. Willis) can be spared for the Workshop –

For orders.

Mr Willis is a Cabinet Maker by trade – and is not now wanted in the Workshops. I have put up a note for W.

3.9.87

6.3.9.87

PWD

No. 540 Dy 7th Sept 87

3057/9

Memo

With reference to letter from the S.S. V Circle No 2304 dated 1st Sept 1887, the undersigned has the honor to draw attention to para 26 of the P.W. Code, and to request that a statement in form No M 1824 may be submitted, showing the financial effect of the proposal to appoint S. Manickam Pillay as Sub Overseer in the P.W. Workshops

Jall 6/9/87.

E.W.

S.S. V Circle. despd 9/9

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No. 1316 W. Presidency P. W. Workshops
Madras 30° August 1887

From

A. Joyce Esquire
General Superintendent,
P. W. Workshops. 305/10

To

The Superintending Engineer,
5° Circle,
Madra

Sir

I have the honor to for
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of the P. W. Workshops together wi
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I have the honor to

Sd/- A. Joyce
General Superintendent
P.W. Workshops.

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No. 2304-

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Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, P.W. Department.

Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
5th Circle

Chepauk
1st September
1887

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922 W of 21.3.83.
2306W of 26.8.87.

From

The Superintending Engineer
5 Circle

To

The Chief Engineer
P.W. Deptt.

No 2307.

Dated 1st } September
Recd } 1887.

Encls. 3.

Manickam Pilley
Draftsman
P.W. Workshops -

Forwards copy of
a letter from Gl. Superintt.
P.W. Workshops recom-
mending ——— for
the of Sub overseer
1st Grade

3057/12

Statement of Proposition for revision of Establishment.

Order Sanctioning present Establishment. Government of Department.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Nature of Change.												Proposition.						Remarks by Local Government.
			Present Scale.						Proposed Scale.						Permanent.		Temporary.				
No.	Date.		No.	Designation.	Pay. Minimum.	Increment.	Maximum.	Average or Fixed.	No.	Designation.	Pay. Minimum.	Increment.	Maximum.	Average or Fixed.	Increase per month. Amount.	Decrease per month. Amount.	Increase per month. Period.	Amount.	Decrease per month. Period.	Amount.	
No. 922. W. * .. 3252. W.	21st March, 1883. * 8th December 1886.	Presidency P.W. Workshops.		Lower Subordinate Establishment						Lower Subordinate Establishment											
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				Petty Establishment						Petty Establishment											
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			1	Engraver	30	"	30	30	1	Engra[illegible]	30	"	30	30							
			1	Gate keeper	10	"	10	10	1	Gate k[illegible]	10	"	10	10							
			2	Attenders at 10 Rs each	20	"	20	20	2	Attend[illegible] 10 Rs each	20	"	20	20							
			2	Boys at 4 Rs each	8	"	8	8	2	Boys at 4 Rs each	8	"	8	8							
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			4	Do – 5th Class. 1st Do	60	4	80	70	4	Do – 5th Do – 1st – Do	60	4	80	70							
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Superintending Engr's Office 5 Circle
Chepauk
11 October 1887

Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
5 Circle

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No. 2771.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
V CIRCLE, MADRAS,
Camp Bangalore ~~Chepauk~~ 11th October 1887.

From
Coll. H. M. Vibart R.E.
~~THE~~ SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
V CIRCLE,

To
THE Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

Enclosures. 1

SIR,

With reference to your Memorandum No. 540 D dated 7th September 1887, I have the honor to forward a Statement in form M 184 showing the financial effect of the proposal to appoint Draftsman S. Manikam Pillay as Sub Overseer in the P. D. Workshops.

2. The proposal involves an increase of Rs 17½ per month.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

Coll. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
5th Circle.

No. 540 D - 7-9-87
B. No. 2306 W - 26-8-87
G.O. 922 W - 21-3-83
B. No. 3252 W - 8-12-86
No. 3328 C - 28-9-86
" 3461 C - 6-10-86
" 1193 D - 7-7-84
G.O. 780 W - 22-3-84
" 922 W - 21-3-83
" 195 D - 2-3-83
" 5 D - 5-1-83
B. No. 2915 W - 22-11-81
" 2580-81 W - 25-10-81
" 2078 W - 22-8-81
" 439 N - 1-9-81
" 891 W - 1-4-81
" 757 W - 19-3-81
~~No. 568 - 29-11-80~~
G.O. 337 W - 8-2-81
" 2277 W - 1-10-80
" 1869 W - 17-4-78
" 3012 - 9-11-76
" 2237 - 24-8-76
" 1876 - 25-7-76
" 1266 - 20-5-76

W.C. No. 8159

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
V CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

Dated 11 } October 1887
Recd. 11 }

ENCLOSURES. 1

No. 2771.

Draftsman S. Manikam Pillay.

Forwards a Statement in Form M 184, showing the Financial effect of the proposal to appoint him as Subovurseer in the P. W. Workshops.

circ 10-11-87

Ano 815-9

29/57/13

Proposal to appoint Draftsman S. Manikam Pillai a Sub-overseer 1st grade in the P.W. Workshops. —

To D.W.

Please see the notes attached to No 540 D of 7.9.57.

The S.E. now shows that the proposal will involve an increase of Rs 17/2 per mensem.

If, as proposed in your note of 3.9.57, the post of 2nd draftsman be not absorbed, the increase will amount to Rs 60 per mensem —

It has now to be decided (1) whether the proposal to appoint the draftsman a sub overseer shall be sanctioned, and

W. Workshops.

and (2) whether ~~or not~~ the 2nd draftsman's place should be absorbed -

W inquired how the extra cost would be met. It would be an additional charge against [illegible] establt. Grant !

I've no objection to the appointment of the Draftsman to Sub. overseer's post & the creation [illegible]. I would not keep the ~~2nd~~ Draftsman's open, but one of the supernumerary ~~Clerks~~ men [illegible] should be absorbed, & might, as [illegible] be posted to the workshop for Draftsman [illegible]
4/11/57

The additional charge of 60 Rs against our establt. Grant is in my opinion worth incurring; for by it, the services of a very useful man will be made available for general duties in the Workshop, and the post of 2nd draftsman will still be open as a training ground in Machine drawing for any draftsmen that may be posted to the Workshop division —

1.11.57 W/

circ 10-11-87

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 3057

3057/14

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 12th Novr/87

READ the following

From the Supdg. Engineer IV Circle H.E. No. 2304 d/1st September 1887

From — Do — Do — H.E. No. 2771 d/11th October 1887

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The proposal to appoint S. Manikam Pillai a Sub overseer 1st grade in the P.W. Workshops, and to absorb the post of second draftsman is sanctioned.

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3. The sanction accorded in para. 1 of these Proceedings has been registered as Provincial No. 42 W of 1887-88 and classified as Establishment Permanent.

8.11.87

9/11/87

circ. 10-11-87

Proposal to appoint Draftsman S. Manikam Pillai a Sub Overseer 1st grade in the P.W. Workshops

The Hon. Mr. P.P. Hutchins

15/11

14.11.

Desptd
23/11/87

Supg. Engineer V circle
Supdg. Engr. IV circle
Examiner P.W. Accounts

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Gobt. of (1889) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated

Recd 3/7

Recd. End.

G.O., 12 Nov. 1889 No. 3057 W.

P. W. Workshops, Madras.

Proposal to appoint draftsman S. Manickam Pillai a subovorseer 1st grade in the ___ and to absorb the post of second draftsman sanctioned with remarks

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