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21st NOVEMBER 1887, No. 3156 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

Read the following paper:—

Office note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 14th November 1887, No. 766.

The certificate at foot of form No. M. 56 (completion report) apparently implies, and this office has always understood, that an Executive Engineer should personally inspect a work before signing the completion report; but there is no definite ruling in the code on the subject. I therefore solicit orders of Government on the subject.

2. If personal inspection by Executive Engineer is not necessary, it seems desirable, at any rate, to specify the lowest authority whose personal inspection will suffice, and to provide that every certificate shall show clearly on whose inspection it is based.

ORDER—dated 21st November 1887, No. 3156 W., Public Works.

It is impossible for the Executive Engineer to personally inspect every work before signing completion certificates, and it is considered that the signature of the Sub-divisional officer, or other officers of corresponding rank, may be accepted, if countersigned by the Executive Engineer.

(True Extract.)

W. C. Baddeley

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

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. J. Henricus.
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GENERAL
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of 1887 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 21st.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 21st Nov. 1887, No. 3156 W.

NOVEMBER.

Completion Certificates

Ruling that the signature of the Sub-divisional officer, or other officers of corresponding rank, to — may be accepted, if countersigned by the Executive Engineer.

C. No. 9262

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For orders.

It would probably cause inconvenience to make that every work should be inspected by the Executive Engineer for purposes of the Completion Report, as the Engineer seems to suggest.

Whether a hard copy rule is really necessary for purposes of account is perhaps open to question.

L.S.

16-11-87

As a large number of works are provided entirely on the measurements by Sub-divisional officers I think their certificate should be sufficient.

In certain cases, other detached officers might be empowered to give completion certificates, but the names of these officers should be first of all submitted to the Chief Eng for approval.

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It is impossible for the
beginner to personally inspect
any one before giving complete
certification - it is accidental
that the signature of the
Sub. Dir. Office may be accepted
if anticipated by the Sec. Rep.

Yours

17/11/57

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Handwritten: This would be the duty of sub-divisional officers to inspect & sign.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 14 November 1887.

OFFICE NOTE No. 766

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Govt. of Madras
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated

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G.O. 21 Nov 1887, No. 31564

Completion certificates

Ruling that the signature of the Sub-divisional Officer, or other officers of corresponding rank, to may be accepted if countersigned by the Ex. Engr.

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