

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

28th November 1887, No. 7435.

Indian Army Regulations—Barrack.

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No. 1721-MW.

Copy of the above, with copy of the paragraphs of the report referred to therein, forwarded to the Government of Madras, Military Department, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council.

(By Order.)

SIMLA,
17th August 1887.

(Signed)

J. E. BROADBENT, Major,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 482. *From Lieutenant-Colonel E. COLLEN, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to the Quarter Master General in India; dated Simla, the 18th August 1887, No. 1732-MW.*

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I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1797-A, dated the 14th April 1887, asking that sanction may be accorded to the modifications in the Bengal Barrack Regulations proposed in para. 62 of the Report of the Special Committee on "Commands and Staff in India" submitted therewith.

2. In reply I am to state, for the information of the Commander-in-Chief, that the Government of India approve of these modifications, except as regards para. 151 relative to appeals against rent, regarding which they are of opinion that the existing procedure should be continued.

3. In regard to the changes hereby sanctioned in paras. 77, 79, 80, and 82 of the Bengal Barrack Regulations relative to the re-appropriations of Military buildings, I am to invite attention to para. 2 of Military Department No. 1721-MW, dated 17th August 1887.

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Para. 77 deals with the permanent or temporary misappropriations of Military buildings, which now require the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. General Officers Commanding the Divisions or Districts might be empowered to sanction such misappropriations after obtaining the opinion and certificate of the Executive Engineers as laid down in the last sentence of this paragraph. At present the references to Army Head-quarters on this subject are numerous.

Para. 79 also on above subject: for "Commander-in-Chief" substitute "General Officer Commanding the Division or District."

Para. 80.—This paragraph deals with temporary changes of appropriation; the powers therein allotted to General Officers Commanding Divisions and Districts might now be delegated to Officers Commanding Brigades.

Para. 82 deals with reports of changes of appropriation to the Inspector-General of Military Works. In this paragraph "Superintending Engineer" and "General Officer Commanding Division and District" might be substituted for "Inspector-General of Military Works" and "Commander-in-Chief."

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Paras. 230 and 241 treat of the same subject, and are only mentioned as para. 234 is referred to in them and the proposed change in this latter will affect the other two.

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No. 1732-MW.

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(By Order.)

SIMLA,
18th August 1887.

(Signed) J. E. BROADBENT, Major,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 5354.

Referred to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for favor of remarks.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
1st September 1887.

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.

No. 483. *From Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. S. McLEOD, Deputy Quarter Master General, Madras Army, to Brigadier-General A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Secretary to Government, Military Department; dated Ootacamund, 15th October 1887, No. 3874-A.*

In returning the papers referred to the Commander-in-Chief under O.G., No. 5354, dated 1st September 1887, I am desired to say generally that the proposals therein made in regard to changes in existing rules in view to the decision of questions by local Military Authorities when possible, so as to save references to Army Head-quarters and Government, are approved by the Commander-in-Chief.

2. The annexed memorandum deals in detail with the several proposals in question.

3. I am to take this opportunity of expressing a hope on the part of His Excellency that a Barrack Regulations, India, will be issued before long, the want of such a Code being especially felt in this Presidency, where at present matters which such regulations would deal with are provided for in several Codes, e.g., Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, Army Regulations, India, Vol. VI, the Public Works Codes; while some points are still ruled by General Orders which have not found a place in any Code.

MEMORANDUM.

Para. 32—Buildings, Barrack.—In this Presidency Para. 2036, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, deals with re-appropriations and might be altered as suggested, the proviso mentioned in para. 2 of letter No. 1721-MW, dated 17th August 1887, of the Government of India to the Quarter Master General in India being noted.

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Para. 62, Para. 77—Bengal Barrack Regulations.—This paragraph of the Bengal Barrack Regulations deals with (permanent) re-appropriations and (temporary) misappropriations; in this Presidency re-appropriations are dealt with as above noted against para. 32; and there are no rules regarding misappropriations exactly corresponding to those in the paragraph of the Bengal Barrack Regulations under notice.

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Paras. 230 and 241—Bengal Barrack Regulations require no comment.

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No. 6491.

Referred to the Public Works Department for favor of remarks in regard to the alterations proposed in the Public Works Code.

(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE, (Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
24th October 1887. Secretary to Government.

No. 484.

No. 3887-C.

Returned, with intimation that there is no objection in the Public Works Department to the proposed alterations.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
5th November 1887. Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 485. ORDER THEREON, 28th November 1887, No. 7435.

The several alterations in existing rules proposed by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in the memorandum attached to the Quarter Master General's letter are approved.

2. The Public Works Department will be requested to cause the necessary alterations to be made in the Public Works Code.

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No. 486. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department;
dated 28th November 1887, No. 7436.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.

„ Controller of Military Accounts.
„ Public Works Department.

Erd. E. C. Shunker.

No. 3301 Wd of 2nd Dec/87

Govt. of (1887) Madras.

MILITARY.

Communicated to the Secretary to the Public Works Code Committee in view to the requisite alterations being made in the Code.

1st of Jan

To
THE QUARTER MASTER GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 28th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 28th November 1887, No. 7435.

NOVEMBER.

Nos. 481-486.

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The Secty. P.W. Code Committee

With order

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(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
24th October 1887.

(Signed) A. KENNEY-HERBERT, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

No. 484.

No. 3887-C.

Returned, with intimation that there is no objection in the Public Works Department to the proposed alterations.

5th November 1887.

(Signed) J. O. H. STEPHENSON, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 485.

ORDER THEREON, 28th November 1887. 7435.

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Exd. E. C. Shunker.

P.W.C. No 9791

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MILITARY.

To
THE QUARTER MASTER GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 28th.

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With order
to be given to both

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Secretary to the Public Works Code Committee
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P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Current No. 8564

From The Mil. Dept.

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No. 6491

Dated 24th October 1887

Received 26th —

SUBJECT.

Referring to the letter from the Quarter Master General in regard to the alterations proposed in the P.W. Code in connection with barracks.

DISPOSAL.

No 3887 Dated 5th November 1887

Returned, with intimation that there is no objection in the P.W. Dept to the proposed alterations.

(Sd) P.O. Hasted, Colonel R.E.

Secy. Govt. P.W. Dept.

To
The Mil. Dept.

Despatch 5-11-87.

By 1/11

ON C No 8564.

As we have no copy of the
Bengal Branch Regulations,
and as the Madras POW Code
does not altogether agree
with the regulations now
in force under the Govt of
India; it is impossible
to go throughly into this
matter.

As however all Military
questions, which concern
the ^{POW} Dept, are as a rule
decided in the Military Dept
and embodied in the
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to the proposed alterations;
which are intended to
reduce the number of
references to Army Board
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