

10TH AUGUST 1886, No. 691, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following letter from J. B. PENNINGTON, Esq., President, District Board, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Vallam, 29th April 1886, No. 51 :—

With reference to G.O., No. 111, L.F., Financial, dated 22nd January 1886, I have the honor to enclose a list of the quarries in this district from which material is taken for road purposes, and beg to be favored with the orders of Government regarding the occupation by the District Board of the four* quarries situated in poramboke land.

* Three in Tanjore taluk.
One in Nannilam do.

ENCLOSURE.

List of quarries from which materials are taken for the use of the roads with particulars regarding their situation, extent, possession.

Name of Roads.	Mile.	Furlong.	NATURE OF MATERIALS.			Situation.	EXTENT.		In whose possession.
			Gravel.	Sand.	Red earth.		Length.	Breadth.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<i>Tanjore Taluk.</i>									
Road No. 1, West..	5	3	Gravel.	..	..	Nalgamódu	350	150	Mirasidars.
	10	3	Do.	..	..	Semmooty village	30	15	Poramboke.
	13	8	Do.	..	..	Sengipatti	40	20	Do.
	14	1	Do.	..	..	Do.	40	25	Do.
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Road No. 3 ..	21	1	Do.	..	..	Therinalampatti village	160	6	Do.
	3	2	Do.	..	..	Thachankuruchi	300	100	Do.
	11	6	Do.	..	..	Gandharvakóta	250	80	Zemindars.
	14	4	Do.	..	..	Veppanpatti village	150	60	Do.
	15	6	Do.	..	..	Vellipatti	100	20	Do.
Road No. 9 ..	8	..	Do.	..	..	Othayalu	200	50	Mirasidars.
	11	6	Do.	..	..	Ponakolam	300	150	Zemindars.
Road No. 57 ..	17	7	Do.	..	..	Gandharvakóta	250	80	Do.
	7	4	Do.	..	..	Vilvarayampatti	200	80	Mirasidars.
<i>Nannilam Taluk.</i>									
Road No. 36, North Section.	5	..	Kunker.	..	..	Vanjoor	1,000	400	Poramboke.

No. 342.

Referred to the Public Works Department, for remarks, as to whether there is any objection to the transfer to the District Board of the four pieces of poramboke land referred to by the President.

(By Order.)

MADRAS,
4th June 1886.

(Signed) E. S. LAFFAN,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt.

No. 2122-C.

Forwarded, with reference to G.O., No. 303 W., dated 4th February 1886, to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for early remarks and return.

(By Order.)

(Signed) D. McN. CAMPBELL, Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

10th June 1886.

To the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.

READ—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. PENNYCUICK, R.E., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Tiruviyar, 14th June 1886, No. 374-T.J.:—

With reference to G.O., No. 2122-C., of 10th instant, I have the honor to state that I see no objection to the transfer of the quarries in question to the District Board, provided it is understood that this department is to be at liberty to use them if the material is required for use on any public work.

No. 271-D.

Transferred to the Financial Department and the referred papers returned.

2. It appears to be desirable that this department should be at liberty to take material from the quarries for use on any public work.

OOTACAMUND, (Signed) J. H. M. SHAW-STEWART, Col., R.E.,
19th June 1886. Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

No. 424.

Transferred to the Revenue Department for the issue of the necessary orders.

(By Order.)

MADRAS, (Signed) E. S. LAFFAN,
7th July 1886. Ag. Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Revenue Department.

ORDER—dated 10th August 1886, No. 691, Revenue.

Land Revenue, No. 58.

The Government do not see any necessity for formally transferring the quarries to the charge of the Local Board's officers. It is sufficient to declare that these officers shall be at liberty to take gravel as hitherto for the roads under their charges.

2. The Collector will report, through the Board of Revenue, whether in the six cases in which gravel quarries are stated to be in the possession of mirasidars, they are in land held on putta, and, if not, how they came to be in mirasidars' possession.

(True Extract.)



Secretary to Government.

To the Financial Department (L.F.)
„ the Public Works Department.
„ the Board of Revenue, with list of quarries.

Exd. A. Aubert.

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G.O., 10th August 1886, No. 691.

AUGUST.

Gravel Quarries.

Orders passed on the proposal to transfer certain — in the Tanjore District to District Board.

22ND JANUARY 1886, No. 111 L.F., FINANCIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From J. GROSE, Esq., President, District Board, Nellore, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, dated Nellore, 9th November 1885, No. 1367.

When the roads were made and kept in repair by Government, and afterwards when the Local Fund Board took charge of them with the assistance of the Public Works department, there were quarries at different places near the roads from which the materials for the roads were taken, and which really appertained to the roads. They may be considered as amongst the "other things provided for the roads" which are vested in the local board by section 8, Act IV of 1871, and section 49, Act V of 1884. Nevertheless, it may be held that these quarries have not been distinctly handed over to the local board, because, as the Executive Engineer states: "Such quarries were not definitely set apart or demarcated in any way. In some cases where the quarries were in zemindari lands the ground may have been acquired, but no proper record was kept if such was the fact. There never was any difficulty about taking materials from Government waste lands, and as it was not anticipated that any objection would ever arise, no steps were taken to mark out the quarries though they certainly were occupied and used for years for road repairs."

2. The matter has become of importance now that so much land is being constituted "Reserved forest." In a recent settlement—that of the Ongole hill—the settlement officer has closed a valuable quarry from which the Great Northern road and other roads of the Ongole taluk have been constructed and supplied with material probably for forty years or more. The Local Fund Engineer protests against the closing of this quarry, and states that it will increase the expenditure of the District Board to a great extent; I shall have to address Government specially on this particular point.

3. In the mean time, however, I have the honor to suggest that Government should issue an order declaring generally that the old quarries, from which the materials for constructing and maintaining roads were taken at the time when the roads were handed over to the Local Fund, shall vest in the District Board.

No. 2051 C.

Referred to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for very early remarks with respect to the recommendation in paragraph 3.

CHEPAK,
4th December 1885.

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

From Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. L. MORANT, R.E., Superintendent of Works, in charge, II Circle, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works department, dated Madras, 4th January 1886, No. 881, N.L.

I have the honor to acknowledge your endorsement No. 2051 C, dated 4th December 1885, on letter from the President, District Board, Nellore, herewith returned.

2. I do not think it would be advisable for Government to "issue an order declaring generally that the old quarries, from which the materials for constructing and maintaining roads were taken at the time when the roads were handed over to the Local Fund, shall vest in the District Board."

3. I consider, before orders are issued, that the quarries should be described and demarcated. Many of them used to be in private lands. Some are situated in forest reserves. The matter is too complicated to be settled offhand.

4. If details were given, this department would, of course, raise no groundless objections.

No. 143 C.

Transferred to the Financial department, and Current No. 1564 L.F., with draft order and papers connected therewith, returned.

2. It appears desirable that the case of each quarry should be dealt with on its merits.

11th January 1886.

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

ORDER—dated 22nd January 1886, No. 111 L.F., Financial.

The President will submit a list of such quarries as are required for Local Fund purposes with particulars regarding their situation, extent, possession, &c., in view to the Public Works and Forest departments being requested to state whether there is any objection to their occupation by the Local Fund Board.

2. Copy of the Superintending Engineer's letter will be communicated to the President.

(True Extract.)

W. WILSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the President, District Board, Nellore.

„ Public Works department.

Copy to all other Presidents of Districts.

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G.O., 22nd Jan. 1886, No. 111 L.F.

JANUARY.

Quarries.

Requesting the President, District Board, Nellore, to submit a list of the — required for Local Fund purposes with the particulars referred to, and communicating the Superintending Engineer's letter on the subject.

With order

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10TH FEBRUARY 1887, No. 153, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd December 1886, Mis. No. 9539 :—

Read—the following letter from E. GIBSON, Esq., Acting Collector, Tanjore, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vallam, 13th December 1886, No. 8843 :—

With reference to the Board's Proceedings, dated 30th August 1886, Mis. No. 6447, I have the honor to submit a statement showing the details of the six quarries referred to in paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 10th August 1886, No. 691, Revenue. From this statement it will be seen that three out of the six quarries are held by the ryots on patta, and that the rest are in poramboke lands.

ENCLOSURE.

STATEMENT showing the details of Quarries in the Tanjore Taluk, Tanjore District, referred to in G.O., No. 691, dated 10th August 1886, Revenue.

AS ENTERED IN GOVERNMENT ORDER.										AS FOUND ON ENQUIRY.					Remarks.
Name of road.	Mile.	Furlong.	Nature of materials.			Situation.	Extent.		In whose possession.	Actual situation.	Extent.	Assessment.	In whose possession.		
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10TH FEBRUARY 1887, No. 135, REVENUE.

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