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P.W.C. No 545

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No 3024 of 4 Feb/87
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The Govt. of India
Circular in question
not having been made
applicable to the Madras
Presidency, no change
need be made by
the Genl. Supt. P.W.
Stores in the existing
practice, which has
been authorised by
the Govt. in the Genl.
Sept.

Wm
26.1.57

John
3/2/87

S. B. V. A. C. 4/2/87

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3/2/87

P.W.C. No 545

No 5249

From

The Superintendent Engrs
5 Circle

To

The Chief Engineer
S.W. Department

No 3024 of 4-2-87
Dated 24th
Recd 25th January 1887

Packing Accounts.

Submits for orders copy of
Glasgow letter soliciting orders
regarding the submission of
the — to the Accountant
General & recommends
that the present procedure
of forwarding all Packing
etc to the Accountant
General be continued

with order

John
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2762 N 20.10.86

P.W.D. No 57.5.80

All communications
should be addressed
to the Secretary.

No. 1170 G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

To

The Secretary to the Govt of Madras,
Public Works Department.

Simla 3rd June 1880.

Sir,

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of 15th May 1880, recommending that the
arrangement recently sanctioned by the
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To Mr. 193

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last pay certificates of nearly all the
officers of the P. W. Department are
completed at Bombay where there is
no delay as the Examiner sends them
to the Local Government a few days
before the departure of the mail and
they are transmitted by it to the
Secretary of State and it seems un-
necessary under the circumstances
for the Examiner of Accounts, Madras,
to communicate direct with the India
Office. If the Examiner promptly
sends the certificate to Govt and they
are sent to London at once they should
reach the India Office as soon as if
the Examiner corresponded direct,
and the Govt of India therefore
does not see the necessity to
ask the Secretary of State for
a special rule for Madras.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most Obedt servant,

W. S. S. S.

C. S.

(Under Secy: to the Govt of India)

Mr. 1157-58 W a/15.5.80

P.W.D.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

19th April 1880, No. 785.

Documents.

Read the following paper :—

No. 57. From A. C. TUPP, Esq., Officiating Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 3rd April 1880, No. 1155.

Book Department.

I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from the Government of India, No. 1169, of 10th March 1880, regarding the despatch of certain documents direct to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India in Council without the intervention of Local Governments, and to request that you will be good enough to inform me whether such documents should in future be addressed by this office direct to the Secretary of State.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Proceedings of the Government of India in the Department of Finance, dated Fort William, 10th March 1880, No. 1169.

Read the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 22nd January 1880, No. 20 (Financial) :—

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th November last, No. 382, stating that it would, in your opinion, "conduce to the prompt despatch of business, and be otherwise convenient, if the Accountant-General at Bombay were placed, like the Comptroller-General, in direct communication with the Financial Secretary of the India Office on matters of routine, such as the transmission of the Last Pay Certificates of officers who proceed to Europe on leave, duty, or retirement, and of the Steam Postage Accounts, the Shipping Masters' Accounts, duplicate Packing Accounts, Annual Journal and Ledger, and the like."

2. I have sanctioned the adoption of these arrangements, which may, if you see no objection, be also extended to include the Accountant-General at Madras. It will be understood that the conditions pointed out in paragraph 3 of Lord Salisbury's despatch of the 27th January 1876, No. 30, must be strictly observed, viz., "that the communications now authorized must be restricted to the purpose of giving or seeking information on matters of detail, such as would not properly require a reference to the Governments of Madras or Bombay, or the Secretary of State in Council, and that they should on no account contain anything that might have the effect of giving instructions, or of modifying orders issued by the Governments of Madras and Bombay, or by the Secretary of State in Council."

3. A copy of this despatch has been forwarded for the information of the Government of Bombay.

Ordered that the foregoing be communicated to the Comptroller-General, the Accountant-General, Bombay, and the Accountant-General, Madras, for information and guidance.

(Signed) J. E. O'CONOR,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 58. ORDER THEREON, 19th April 1880, No. 785.

His Grace the Governor in Council sees no objection to the arrangements sanctioned by the Secretary of State for adoption in Bombay being adopted by the Accountant-General, Madras, in respect to the despatch by the Accountant-General direct to the Financial Secretary of the India Office of the Last Pay Certificates, &c., &c., mentioned.

(True Extract.)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

P.W.D.

21 JUN 80

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To

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

FINANCIAL.

Obt. of 118801 Madras.

Dated April 19th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 19th April 1880, No. 785.

APRIL.

Nos. 57-58.

Document—Stating that there is no objection to the Accountant-General, Madras, transmitting direct to the Financial Secretary, India Office, the Last Pay Certificates of officers who proceed to Europe on leave, &c.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

22nd May 1880, No. 1038.

Stores.

Read again the following paper :—

No. 119. *Proceedings of Government, Financial Department, dated 19th April 1880, No. 785.*

ABSTRACT.—Stating that there is no objection to the Accountant-General, Madras, transmitting direct to the Financial Secretary, India Office, the Last Pay Certificates of officers who proceed to Europe on leave, &c.

No. 120. ORDER THEREON, 22nd May 1880, No. 1038.

All duplicate Packing Accounts of Stores received by Heads of Departments in the Civil Department will, after the receipt of the stores, be signed and returned to the Accountant-General for transmission to the India Office.

(True Extract.)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

(True Copy)

J. Davidson
Assistant Secretary.

To the Master Attendant, Madras.
" Superintendent of Stationery.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Inspector-General of Police.
" " of Jails.
" " of Registration.
" Surgeon-General, Civil Medical Department.
" Government Astronomer.
" Accountant-General.
" Revenue Dept.
" Public Works Dept.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

P.W.D.

21 JUN 80

No 3985

4-1st 5 P.C. 15-18

To

THE MASTER ATTENDANT,

&c.,
&c.,
Madras, &c.

Bot. of 11801
FINANCIAL.

Dated May, 22nd.

Issued

Recd.

G.O., 22nd May 1880, No. 1038.

MAY.

Nos. 119-120.

Stores.—All Heads of Departments in the Civil Department instructed to sign and return to the Accountant-General, for transmission to the India Office, all duplicate Packing Accounts of Stores received by them.

No. 1474 of 21st June/80.
Recorded with
refce D.G.O. No 1474 dated 21
June 1880.

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No. 266A. G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.

General.

Dated Simla, October 19, 1886.

The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.
The Chief Commissioners, Central Provinces, Burma, Assam, and Coorg.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Resident at Mysore (through Foreign Department).
The Agents to the Governor General for Central India, Rajputana, and Biluchistan.
The Superintendent of Port Blair and Chief Commissioner, Andaman and Nicobar Islands.
The Director General of Telegraphs.
The Inspector General of Military Works.
The Superintendent of Works, Simla Imperial Circle.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.
The Director General of Railways.

The following is forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations, and officers noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

R. G. MACDONALD,

Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

RESOLUTION.—By Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, dated 6th October 1886.

Read—

Financial Resolution No. 3542, dated 21st October 1885, directing that duplicate packing accounts of stores received from England should be returned to the India Office as soon as possible after their receipt.

Read also—

Letter from the Comptroller and Auditor General, No. 1189, dated 9th September 1886, proposing that the duplicate packing accounts may be returned to England by the Agent for Government Consignments instead of by the Departments or Officers concerned.

RESOLUTION.—Under the present system duplicate packing accounts are received by the Agent for Government Consignments, and sent by him to the consignees, who return them to the Agent after filling in the column for weight and noting any damage or deficiency in the remark column. A bill is then presented by the Agent to the Account Office for payment of the freight, and the duplicate packing accounts are then returned to the Departments or Officers concerned for transmission to the India Office.

2. The Governor General in Council now directs that in future the consignees shall take any action which may be necessary on the duplicate packing accounts on first receipt of those documents from the Agent for Government Consignments, and that the latter officer shall send all duplicate packing accounts to the India Office on their return to him by the consignees with the necessary particulars filled in, instead again of sending them to the Departments or Officers concerned for transmission to the India Office.

4-2-88 N. 1570

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
ACCOUNT.

General.

To

No. 266A.G.

Dated Simla, October 19, 1886.

Received

Duplicate packing accounts of stores received from England should be returned to the India Office direct by the Agent for Government Consignments.

Received

RECD 17 NO 8

No 2611
OFFICE OF THE
DIRECTOR GENERAL
OF RAILWAYS
STORES

Dated Simla 11th Nov 1886

Forwarded to the General Supdt.
P. W. Stores Madras

for information & guidance

G. F. Hilsen Capt. R.E.

For Director General.

Recd
10/11/86

No. 1022

Public Works Store Department
Madras 17th January 1887.

From

The General Superintendent
P.W. Stores &c.
To
The Superintending Engineer,
5th Circle.

Sir,

The Director General of Railways
has forwarded for my guidance
the accompanying order of the Govern-
ment of India No. 266 A. dated
16th Octob: 1886, directing that all Du-
=PLICATE Packing Accounts (I presume
=same for State Railway stores) be
forwarded to the Agent for Govern-
ment consignments for return
to the India Office.

The order is not communicated
by the Government of India to the
Government of Madras but as it
cancels G.O. Financial Department
No. 1038 dated 22nd May 1880, directing
all Packing Accounts to be for-
=warded to the Accountant Ge-
=neral for transmission to the
India Office, I beg to solicit
the orders of Government for
my guidance, pending receipt of
which I shall continue forward-
=ing all Packing Accounts whether
for

for, State Railway Stores or
for Public Works Stores to the
Accountant General.

I may state that the present
system works admirably and that
any change in the direction in-
dicated will cause confusion,
as the Accountant General who
disburses all Freight Bills after
being passed by the Port Officer
can alone certify if the necessary
deductions on account of damage
or deficiencies have been made.

I have &c
/ Jof H H O'Connell
Genl. Sup^t P.W. Stores.

N^o 5249

Submitted to the Chief
Engineer P.W. Department
for orders.

2. As the Government of India
N^o 266 A. G. dated 19th October 1886,
has not been sent to the Govern-

ment

Government of Madras, I
recommend that the present
procedure of forwarding all
packing Accounts to the
Accountant General be con-
tinued.

H. H. O'Connell
Col. R.E.

Superintendent of Engrs
5 Circle

24 January
1887

Enclosure 1
to be returned.

No. 5249.

From

The Superint^d Eng^s
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The Chief Engineer
S. N. Department

Dated 24th
 Recd 25th } January 1880

Packing Account.

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Supt.

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26.1.57

John
3/2/87.

S. S. V. C. 1000 4/2/87

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