

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from Colonel H. M. VIBART, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department (through the Examiner, Public Works Accounts), dated Madras, 25th March 1888, No. 5490:—

With reference to G.O., No. 946 W., dated 22nd March 1888, I have the honor to forward a special indent, in triplicate, on the Home Government for 50 tons of coke for foundry use. The seven tons coke ordered for despatch to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for the Dowlaishweram workshops is awaiting shipment.

2. In the indent are also included two gallons of "vitros" or liquid porcelain, white—one gallon dark blue and one gallon black—required for experimental purposes. There is a number of enamelled iron gauges in store, the enamel from which is scaling off. One of these was sent to the School of Arts sometime ago, but was returned as not repairable. It seems that with liquid porcelain these gauges may be repaired:

3. "Vitros" is described in the advertisement as "liquid porcelain paint for home use. Surface hard and brilliant like China. Resists boiling water, does not blister or crack. Snow white and all colours."

No. 139 W.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, with the necessary certificate.

MADRAS,
7th April 1888.

(Signed) C. H. P. CHRISTIE, Major, R.E.,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

CERTIFICATE by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Number and date of indent, or letter with which received.	Description and value of articles indented for.	Work and Division to which the value is chargeable.	GRANT.		Certificate attached by the Examiner.
			Amount.	Authority.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Superintending Engineer's, V Circle, letter No. 5490, dated 25th March 1888.	Provincial.	\$ s. d.			I certify that funds to meet the outlay, which it is estimated will be incurred in England in connection with this indent during the year 1888-89, will be provided by the Local Government in the estimates of that year (<i>vide</i> G.O., No. 946 W., dated 22nd March 1888).
	50 tons coke, foundry.	130 0 0	Public Works Stores Division.	Stock.	
	2 gallons vitros, or liquid porcelain, white.	1 0 0		..	
	1 gallon vitros, or liquid porcelain, dark blue.	0 10 0		..	
	1 gallon vitros, or liquid porcelain, black.	0 10 0		..	
	Total ..	132 0 0			

MADRAS,
7th April 1888.

(Signed) C. H. P. CHRISTIE, Major, R.E.,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

2 16TH APRIL 1888, Nos. 1147, 1148, 1149 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

ORDER—dated 16th April 1888, No. 1147 W., Public Works.

Ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government for compliance.

(Here enter No. 1148 W., dated 16th April 1888).

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.

" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

LETTER—to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, London, dated Fort St. George, 16th April 1888, Nos. 1148, 1149 W.

I am directed to forward, for favor of early compliance, a special indent for 50 tons of coke urgently required for use in the Public Works Workshops in this Presidency.

* Proceedings of Government, No. 1147 W., dated 16th April 1888.

2. For reasons given in the Superintending Engineer's letter,* herewith forwarded, four gallons of "vitros" or liquid porcelain are also included in the indent.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 16th April 1888, No. 1149 W., Public Works.

Copy of the above, with copy of the indent, forwarded to the Government of India.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of (1888) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated April, 16th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 16th Apr. 1888, Nos. 1147,
1148, 1149 W.

APRIL.

Indent

Forwarding copy of letter to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, with copy of a special — for 50 tons of coke urgently required for the Public Works Workshops, Madras.

It is requested that in any further communication on this subject the undermentioned letters and number may be quoted, and the reply addressed to

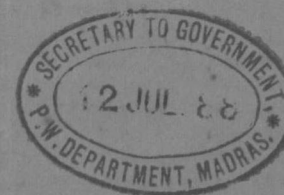
The Director General of Stores,

India Office,

Whitehall,

S.W.

S 5267.



India Office,

Whitehall, S.W.,

22nd June 1888.

Sir,

With reference to the demand in the indent forwarded with your letter N^o. 1148th of 16th April 1888, for 4 gallons of vitros or liquid porcelain to be obtained from mess^{rs}. Griffiths Bros. & Co., the price being estimated in the indent at 10/- per gallon including delivery at Madras, I have to remark that mess^{rs}. Griffiths Bros. & Co.'s price for the article is 25/- per gallon, at which price, as the material is a speciality, the 4 gallons demanded have been ordered at a cost of £ 5.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. T. J. P.

Director General of Stores.

The

Secretary to the Government
of Madras in the Public
Works Department,

A Y 17053. 5 rms.—4/88. I. 969. Madras.

No 946 W

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 22.3.88

Read the following

From the S. S. I Circle No 2645 L. D. D. 22.2.88.
 " - Genl Supt P.W.D. " 12238 D. 19.3.88

The Genl Supt-
 P.W. Stores is authorised
 to submit an emergent
 indent on the Home Govt
 for 50 tons of Coke -
 Provision to meet the
 cost will be made in
 the final issue of the
 Provincial budget,
 by increasing the grant
 for London supplies -
 2. Meanwhile 7 tons
 of coke should be des-
 patched from the

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P.H.
22 March

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No. 946 W d/22.3.88

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P.W.C. No 6890

14.7.88

B. No. 2145 W of 14 July 1888

Communicated to
Communicated to
the Suptg. Engrs & Co.
the Suptg. Engrs & Co.
with reference to G.O.
1148 W of 16 April 1888
1148 W of 16 April 1888

Done
12/7/88

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~~Suptg. Engrs & Co.~~
Suptg. Engrs & Co.
14/7