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Orders to be
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 letters no 23819 of
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Forwarded for the favorable consideration of Government, with reference to the orders of the Government of India communicated with G.O. No. 3386 W. dated 9th. December 1887. The Government of India have now settled the general question of presidency allowance (vide G.O. No. 2267 W. dated 25th. July 1888), and if Government see no objection they might be asked to pass orders on the question raised in my office note No. 206 dated 14th. June 1888 as to the grant of presidency allowance to Apprentice Examiners, and to say whether it may be passed to Mr. Swetenham with retrospective effect from 3rd. June 1887 to 30th. November 1887.

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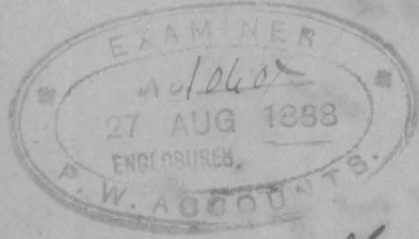
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From

Chas. C. Swetenham

Actg Examiner. P.W. Sects

Madras



To

The Examiner

P.W. Sects

Madras

Madras. dy August 24th 1888

Sir.

I have the honour to state that on being appointed apprentice Examiner in June last, & posted to this office, I brought to notice the fact that while apprentice Engineers & Examiners were entitled to Presidency ~~allow~~ House-rent on the same scale as assistants, yet, by an apparent omission, no provision was made in the Code by which the Local Govt could permit them to draw Presidency allowance

2. The question was then referred in general terms by you to the Local

Government with a request that the opinion
of the Govt of India might be obtained.

3. In their reply No 2301 G. dy 2 ¹²/₂₇, to this
Govt., the Govt. of India declared that no final
decision could be arrived at until the whole
question of Presidency allowances, then under
consideration by the Finance Committee was
settled.

That has now been done, for in
a letter No 1729 G. dy 11 ⁷/₂₈ to this Government,
the Govt. of India state that it has been deter-
-mined not to modify the existing rules for
Presidency allowances.

I have therefore the honour to request that
under these circumstances, the sanction of the
Govt of India to Presidency allowance being
granted to ctypr. examiners & engineers on
the same scale as assistants may be applied
for through the Local Govt., & that if such
sanction is accorded, that it may have retro-
-spective effect in my case, I having raised
the question in June 1887.

I remain, Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Chas. C. Swetenham.