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நாள் : 12. 9. 1888

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following paper :—

Office note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 23rd August 1888, No. 2127.

I forward herewith, for your disposal, a letter, No. 291,* dated 17th August 1888, received from the Executive Engineer, Coimbatore Division, requiring information as to whether contracts

(agreements) exceeding Rs. 2,000 are to be forwarded to the Superintending Engineer for approval and signature after tenders have been accepted by him.

2. Under Madras Public Works Code, para. 1354, the contract documents should in such cases be submitted to the Superintending Engineer *before inviting tenders*. The Code rule, however, is based on the Government of India Code, and on the Government of India system all contract documents are prepared before inviting tenders, whereas on the Madras system the contract is drawn up after acceptance of tender, so that there may be matter in the contract which is not settled at any time at which contract documents can be submitted to the Superintending Engineer before inviting tenders; but it is not for me to say whether it is in any case necessary to submit the contract to the Superintending Engineer, after acceptance of the tender, and, if so, whether before or after execution.

ENCLOSURE.

From G. B. LAMBERT, Esq., Executive Engineer, Coimbatore Division, to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 17th August 1888, No. 291.

With reference to paras. 1350 and 1352 of the Public Works Code, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to inform me whether contracts (agreements) for works exceeding Rs. 2,000, executed between the Executive Engineer and the contractor, are to be forwarded to the Superintending Engineer for his approval and signature together with reports prescribed in para. 1352 after tenders are accepted by him. An early reply is requested.

ORDER—dated 12th September 1888, No. 2831 W., Public Works.

In para. 2 of the Examiner's note printed with G.O., No. 2355 W., dated 2nd September 1887, and with which the Government expressed their concurrence, it was intimated that *the contract, after acceptance of tender by competent authority, should be executed by the Executive Engineer, but should of course embody any conditions as to security, penalty, time, mode of execution, &c., prescribed by superior*

authority as a condition of acceptance of the tender; and it may be desirable that in some cases (to be specified) the contract should be approved by the Superintending Engineer, or, as the case may be, the Chief Engineer, before execution by the Executive Engineer. The Government consider that this order sufficiently meets the question now put by the Examiner. If the Superintending Engineer or the Chief Engineer, as the case may be, considers that the contract in any case should be submitted to him for approval prior to execution, the Executive Engineer will doubtless be instructed accordingly when the accepted tender is being returned.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Under-Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 12th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 12th Sept. 1888, No. 2831 W.

SEPTEMBER.

Contracts

Orders on question raised by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, as to whether — exceeding Rs. 2,000, executed between an Executive Engineer and the contractor, are to be forwarded for the approval and signature of the Superintending Engineer after tenders have been accepted by him.

KEEP-WITH

Genl. No.

dated

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GOVT.
OF MADRAS.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 23 August 1888.

OFFICE NOTE No. 2127

Encl. 1

To

E. W.

I forward herewith for your disposal a letter, No. 291 dated 17th. August 1888, received from the Executive Engineer Coimbatore Division requiring information as to whether contracts (agreements) exceeding Rs. 2,000 are to be forwarded to the Supg. Engineer for approval and signature after tenders have been accepted by him.

2. Under Madras P.W. Code para 1354, the contract documents should in such cases be submitted to the Supg. Engineer before inviting tenders.

The Code rule, however, is based on the Government of India Code, and on the Govt. of India system all contract documents are prepared before inviting tenders, whereas on the Madras system the contract is drawn up after acceptance of tender.

so that there may be better in the contract which is not settled at any time at which contract documents can be submitted to the Supg. Engineer before inviting tenders, but it is not for me to say whether it is in any case necessary to submit the contract to the Supg. Engineer, after acceptance of the tender, and if so whether before or after execution.

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Enclosed

G.O. 1352, 14-1-88
" 1352, 2-9-87

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No 291

Executive Engineer's Office,

Coimbatore,

17th August 1888.

From

G. B. Lambert Esq

Executive Engineer,

Coimbatore Division.

To

The Examiner

P.W. Accounts, Madras

Sir,

With reference to paras 1350 and 1352 of the P.W. Code, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to inform me whether contracts (agreements) for works exceeding Rs 2,000 executed between the Executive Engineer, and the Contractor, are to be forwarded to the Suptg Engineer for his approval, and signature together with reports prescribed in para 1352 after tenders are accepted by him. An early reply is requested.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedt. servant

G. B. Lambert

Executive Engineer

P. W. D.

From

THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
COMBARKAL DEPT.

To

Dated
Despatched
Received

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ENCLOSURES.

SUBJECT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the

Read the following

From the Eng. Prov. No. 2127 of 23.8.88.

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2 Sept. 1887, with
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by competent au-
thority, should be
executed by the
Executive Engineer
who should place
under any conditions
as to securing, etc.

time, made of execution, &
 presented by superior
 authority as a condition
 of acceptance of the tender;
 and it may be desirable
 that in some cases (to be
 specified) the contract
 should be approved by
 the Supply Comr, or in the
 case may be, the Chief
 Engineer, before execution
 by the Sr. Engineer.
 The Govt. consider that this
 order sufficiently meets
 the question now put
 by the Committee. If
 the Supply Comr, or the
 Chief Engineer, or the
 Commr in C. consider
 that the contract in
 any case should be
 submitted to him for
 approval prior to
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 will doubtless be
 instructed accordingly.

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W.C.M.
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To Supply Comr ✓
 C.A. to Govt ✓
 Ch. & Engineer ✓
 Govt Secy ✓
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