



of the deviation statement  
is sanctioned.

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26.1.88

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No. 356 W. of 31st Jan'y/88

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S.S.T. Circle  
with statement  
for Mr. ...  
Secy. Dept.  
21-1-88

WCB  
26.1.88  
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P.W.

No. 356 W. of 31st Jan'y 1888

Read Cases 9677 & 10164 of 1887.  
7229 749 1888

order.

Under Rule IV, See  
IV, Appendix D, P.W.  
Code, the cost of plain  
book rests only can  
be admitted as a  
charge against the State,  
and it must rest  
with the congregation  
to provide the extra  
cost, \$52.80, of  
ornamental book  
rests - This sum is  
therefore disallowed,  
and the balance  
of

744  
27 Jan'y

less than the ornamental  
book rests - but plain  
book rests would not  
be at all suited to  
the surroundings -

Wm. H. H. H. H. H.  
Supy Engineer & Circle

23 January 1888

GO. 272 W. of 11. 11. 84  
" 483 W. of 21. 2. 84

P.W. No. 322

R 12-1-88  
R 25-1-88  
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No. 356 W. of 31st Jan'y 1888

S.W.

To W.

*A. 949*  
*11.1.88* *Encl*

Accepting your definition under  
Rule IV. Section IV. Appendix D.  
only the cost of plain book rests  
would appear to be admissible as a  
State charge.

*W. A. C.*

C.

*Recd. No. 965 W. 17-1-88*

*No. 201 C of 16 Jan'y 1888*

Referred to the  
Suptg. Engineer & circle  
for favour of report  
as to the difference  
in cost which the provi-  
sion of plain book rests  
would have made.

(By order)

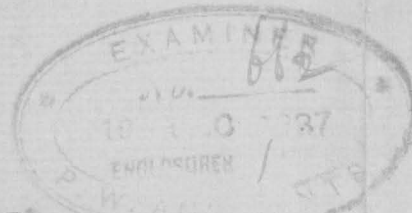
*W. B. B. B.*

*Capt R. S.*

*Dy. Chief Engineer P. W. D.*

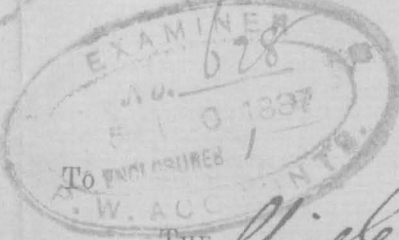
*No. 4489.*

Plain book rests would  
have cost Rs 52-8-  
less



From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,  
V. CIRCLE,



THE *Chief Engineer*  
*P. W. D.*

*No. 4456 C of 3<sup>d</sup> December 1887*

*To be*

For favour  
of remarks.

*W. A. C.*  
*9.12.87*



To W.

*A. 856*  
*10.12.87* *Encl*

The ornamental book rests  
are inadmissible, not being includ-  
ed amongst articles sanctioned in  
Appendix D., Section IV, Rule XVIII.

*W. A. C.*

C.

*No. 4712 C of 17<sup>th</sup> Decr 1887*

*To be*

Book rests, being appurtenances  
of seats, appears to come under the  
definition "Appliances for the  
congregation & to allow them to kneel  
in decent comfort." Please reconsider  
the point.

*W. A. C.*  
*16.12.87*

*J. W. A.*

Dated

*17<sup>th</sup> November* 1887

Recd.



ENCLOSURES 1

*No. 356 W. of 31<sup>st</sup> Jan'y 1888*

No. 3493

*St. Matthias Church*  
*at Vepery - Madras*

Subjects for  
sanction & state-  
ment of deviation  
in the Estimate  
for providing new  
seats in

No. 3493

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,  
V CIRCLE, MADRAS,  
Chepak, 24 November 1887.

From Colonel A. M. Vibart R.E.,  
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,  
V CIRCLE,

To THE Chief Engineer  
P. W. Department

SIR,

Enclosures. /

1 Deviation in the Estimate of Rs 2930 sanctioned  
statements - in G.O. No. 2422 of 11<sup>th</sup> November 1887  
for Providing new seats in St. Matthew's  
Church at Vepery Madras.

There is a saving of Rs 165 on the  
Estimate for new seats which it is pro-  
posed to utilise on New Book rests  
provided and towards extending the  
Choir platform &c.

I have the honor to be  
Sir,

Yours most obedt. servt.

A. M. Vibart Col. R.E.,

Superintending Engineer  
- V Circle -

Public Works Department.

Current No. 9677

Letter No. 3493

Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> November 1887

From the Supy. Engineer V Circle

NOTE OF REMARKS.

The Supy. Engineer V  
submits for sanction  
a Statement of  
deviations in the  
Estimate of Rs 2930  
Sanctioned in G.O.  
No 2422 of 11<sup>th</sup> Nov  
November 1887 for  
providing new fittings  
in St. Matthew's Church  
Vepery.

A saving of Rs 165  
has been effected  
by the reduction  
of the number  
of seats from  
560 to 527 and  
it is proposed to  
utilise this amount  
on new book rests

and in extending the  
Choir platform -

2/12/87

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.  
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of 1884 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 4th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 4th Nov. 1884, No. 2722 W.

NOVEMBER.

St. Matthias' Church, Madras

Estimate for renewing the seats in —,  
sanctioned.

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4TH NOVEMBER 1884, No. 2722 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.  
Civil Works.

READ—the following letter from the Venerable J. F. BROWNE, Archdeacon of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 8th October 1884, No. 177 :—

I have the honor to forward, for the disposal of Government (*vide* G.O., No. 483 W., dated 21st February 1884, Public Works, paragraph 3), a letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, enclosing estimate and specification for providing new seats in St. Matthias' Church, Vepery.

ENCLOSURE.

From Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Venerable the Archdeacon of Madras, dated Chepāk, 30th September 1884, No. 2510.

I have the honor to forward to you, for disposal, under G.O., No. 483 W., dated 21st February 1884, paragraph 3, an estimate of Rs. 2,930 for providing new seats in St. Matthias' Church at Vepery.

- 1 Estimate.
- 1 Specification.

2. In a previous estimate for seats similar to those in St. George's Cathedral a rate of Rs. 7 per seat was entered, but as under the Public Works Department Code, paragraph 1259, clause I, the rate for church seat is fixed at Rs. 5 the estimate has been altered accordingly.

3. The Executive Engineer informs me that the Chaplain has applied for permission to sell the old seats and to utilise the sale-proceeds in making up the difference between the two rates of 5 and 7 rupees. This, however, is a proceeding that cannot be recognised. The sale-proceeds have to be credited to Government, and cannot be made use of, towards reducing expenditure, unless the special permission of Government be obtained.

No. 2304, Ecclesiastical.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

OOTACAMUND,  
14th October 1884.

(Signed) E. F. WEBSTER,  
Chief Secretary.

ORDER—dated 4th November 1884, No. 2722 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,930, for renewing the seats in St. Matthias' Church, Madras, is sanctioned for execution when funds can be provided.

2. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 185 W. of 1884-85, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with three enclosures.  
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.  
" Ecclesiastical Department.

Exd. C. Howarth.  
Spare Copies

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.  
CIVIL AND MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of 1884 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated February, 21st.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 21st Feb. 1884, No. 483 W.

FEBRUARY.

Buildings required by other  
Departments

Modification of the practice for the sub-  
mission of plans and estimates for —.

6. The Secretary, Code Committee, will take the necessary steps for embodying these rules in the Public Works Code, in modification of paragraphs 1168 and 1335.

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.  
To the Consulting Architect to Government.  
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.  
" Public, &c., Departments.  
" Revenue Department.  
" Military "

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.  
Civil and Military Works.

ORDER—dated 21st February 1884, No. 483 W., Public Works.

In modification of the practice at present followed with regard to the submission of plans and estimates for buildings required by other departments, the Government direct that the following procedure be invariably adopted in future.

2. Plans and estimates for buildings required by the Revenue Department should be submitted by the Executive Engineer to the Superintending Engineer, who, after scrutiny, will forward them to the Collector of the district for approval and counter-signature. If the Collector be satisfied as to the suitability of the proposed accommodation, &c., he will transmit the papers through the Board of Revenue to Government in the Revenue Department, by whom, if approved, they will be transferred to the Public Works Department for disposal, after final scrutiny by the Chief Engineer.

3. In the case of plans and estimates for court-houses, the documents will be forwarded by the Superintending Engineer to the District Judge for transmission, through the High Court, to Government in the Judicial Department, and the same principle will be followed with regard to estimates for Registration, Police, Jail, and other Civil Departments. The Superintending Engineer will forward the documents to the Head of the Department concerned, who will submit them to Government in the Department of the Secretariat from which he receives his orders.

4. The course at present adopted with regard to estimates for Military buildings is laid down in G.O. No. 1381 W., dated 14th June 1880, but here also a modification of practice appears desirable. In future such plans and estimates will be forwarded by Superintending Engineers for approval to the General Officer Commanding the District or Division. The General Officer will transmit the papers to the Quartermaster-General, who, after obtaining the approval of His Excellency the Commander-in-

Chief, will submit them direct to Government in the Military Department. After approval in the Military Department they will be transferred to the Public Works Department for disposal, after final scrutiny by the Chief Engineer.

\* NOTE.—In the case of Ordnance, Commissariat or other departmental buildings, the approval of the head of the department should be obtained before the plans and estimates are submitted to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

5. It must be understood that these orders apply only to works which are beyond the power of sanction of local authorities, and are not intended to alter the procedure laid down in G.O., No. 3211 W., dated 6th December 1882, with regard to the submission of Local Fund projects.