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Read the following paper:—

From Colonel R. C. B. PEMBERTON, R.E., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Account—General), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 21st December 1887, No. 327 A.G.

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Despatch No. 256 of 27th September 1887, from the Government of India to the Secretary of State for India, on the same subject.

Resolution—The Government of India, having in view the possibility of greater economy in the purchase of stores, has decided to place the services of the Port Storekeepers at Calcutta and Bombay and the Chief Storekeeper of the North-Western Railway at Karachi at the disposal of the Irrigation and Roads and Buildings Branches of the Public Works Department. These officers will in future purchase and arrange for the despatch of stores on such indents as may be submitted to them by Superintending Engineers of Circles in all Provinces. Superintending Engineers passing indents on these officers for purchase of stores will be responsible that funds to cover the debits to be made in transfer are at the disposal of the Executive Engineers concerned. Superintending Engineers will advise Examiners in a monthly return of the indents they pass, specifying the amount and the work, service, or suspense account chargeable.

2. The Government of Madras will be invited to pass a similar order with respect to the General Superintendent of Stores at Madras.

The Governments of Madras, Bombay, 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 Beluchistan.
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 Director-in-Chief, Indo-European Telegraph.
The Director, Persian Telegraph.
The Director, Persian Gulf Telegraph.

(For information only.)
The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow and Central Division.
The Comptroller-General.
The Accountant-General, Bengal.
The Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce.

Order—Ordered,
that this Resolution
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the Governments,
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margin, for inform-
ation and guidance.

ORDER—dated 6th January 1888, No. 34 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the officers of the Public Works Department for information and guidance.

2. The General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, will render similar services at Madras.

(Here enter No. 35 W., dated 6th January 1888.)

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.

To the Consulting Architect to Government.

„ Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 6th January 1888, No. 35 W., Public Works.

Copy forwarded to the Government of India for information with reference to paragraph 2.

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

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G.O., 6th Jan. 1888, No. 35 W.

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Forwarding copy of orders passed on a resolution of the Government of India delegating to certain officers the duty of purchasing and despatching — required by Public Works officers.

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Robert Pemberton

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The Secretary to the Govt of Madras
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