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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
ACCOUNT.
General.

Fort William, November 18, 1887.

Revised and Budget Estimates, 1887-88 and 1888-89.
Dates for submission.

Read—

Finance Department Resolution No. 5867, dated 4th November 1887.

RESOLUTION.—The 15th January next having been fixed as the date for the submission to this Department of the several Public Works Revised and Budget Estimates for 1887-88 and 1888-89, respectively, Local Governments, Administrations and Officers concerned are requested to make such arrangements as will ensure the estimates reaching the Government of India *without fail* by that date. The estimates for Military Works will be submitted as usual to the Government of India in the Military Department.

2. In the case of the smaller Provinces, Railways and Surveys, it will no doubt be possible to submit the estimates earlier, and the Government of India would be glad to receive them as near the beginning of January as practicable.

3. The estimates relating to the different Branches* of the Department should be submitted with separate covering letters, and should be accompanied by notes explaining fully all important variations between—

* In the case of Railways, the estimates for each line should have a separate covering letter and note.

I.—Revised Estimate for 1887-88 and Budget Estimate for the same year.

II.—Budget Estimate for 1888-89 and Revised Estimate for 1887-88.

4. If any alteration becomes necessary after the estimates have been submitted, a report of the modification, together with an explanation of the reasons for such alteration, should be sent, so as to reach the Government of India not later than the 10th February next.

5. Telegraphic information of any change likely to *seriously* affect the estimate already submitted will be accepted up to the 20th February. No communication should be submitted after the prescribed date unless specially called for.

6. This Resolution applies to all estimates dealt with by the Public Works Department of the Government of India.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the foregoing be communicated to the Local

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 Agents to the Governor General for Central India, Rajputana and Biluchistan.
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.
The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Central Division and Lucknow.

Governments, Administrations and Officers noted in the margin, for information and guidance.

Ordered also, that a copy be forwarded to the Military Department for information.

R. C. B. PEMBERTON, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Chief Engr for Irrigation
and the Comd Engineer
for Railways for information
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.
General.

To

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 AGENTS TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA, RAJ-
PUTANA, AND BILUCHISTAN.
THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PORT BLAIR AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, ANDA-
MAN 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 CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, FOR RAIL-
WAYS, CALCUTTA, LUCKNOW, AND CENTRAL DIVISION.

Calcutta, 22nd February 1888.

SIR,

In continuation of Public Works Department Resolution No.
273 A.—G. of the 18th November 1887, I am directed to state that the Govern-
ment of India is pleased to fix the 1st March 1888, as the latest date up to
which modifications of the Revised and Budget Estimates for 1887-88 and
1888-89 will be received. Telegraphic information of any change likely to
seriously affect the estimates will be accepted up to the 8th March.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. J. S. S. S.

Colonel, R.E.,

Deputy Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To

The Secretary, Govt. of Madras P.W.D.

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2ND FEBRUARY 1888, No. 31, MARINE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From R. W. BARLOW, Esq., C.S., Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, Madras,
to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 23rd January 1888, No. 6024.

I have the honor to forward, for the information of Government, copy of Proceedings of a meeting of the Harbour Trust Board held on Monday, the 16th day of January 1888, the same having been confirmed at the meeting of the Trustees held on 20th instant.

ENCLOSURE.

PROCEEDINGS of a meeting of the Trustees of the Madras Harbour, held at the Board's Office on Monday, the 16th January 1888.

1. Read the minutes and confirmed the Proceedings of the last meeting held on 6th January 1888.

2. Read G.O., No. 940 R., dated 19th December 1887, in reference to the rates for the carriage of stone by the South Indian Railway from Pallavaram for the Madras Harbour Works.

Read minutes by Captain H. A. Street, the Chairman, Mr. J. R. Hunter, and the Honorable Mr. S. R. Turnbull.

Resolved,—that the matter lie over pending the preparation of a revised estimate for the reconstruction of the Harbour.

3. Read letter from the Agent, South Indian Railway Company, No. 312—85, dated 4th January 1888, requesting that S. Streenevasa Pillay, their landing contractor, be authorized to portage their stores and materials within the arms of the Harbour under amended Bye-law No. 4.

Read minute by the Chairman.

Resolved,—that the Board decline to accede to the request of the Agent, South Indian Railway Company, and the Chairman is invited to explain the difficulties.

4. Read letter from the Board's Engineer, No. 1230, dated 10th January 1888, submitting his report of work done on the Madras Harbour Works during the month of December 1887.

Read minutes by Mr. George King, Captain H. A. Street, Messrs. Cowasjee Eduljee Panday, S. Venkatachistnamah Chetty, and J. McLintock.

Recorded. The Chairman is invited to address the Engineer on the question of the rate charged for entrance of wagons on the Pallavaram quarry lines, and in reference to the sale of old and unserviceable stores.

5. Read letter from the Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, No. 1234, dated 11th January 1888, requesting sanction of the Board to dispense with the services of certain men of the construction staff.

Read minutes by Captain H. A. Street, Mr. S. Venkatachistnamah Chetty, the Honorable Mr. S. R. Turnbull, Captain W. L. C. Baddeley, R.E., and the Chairman.

Resolved,—that the proposed reduction of establishment be sanctioned.

6. Read letter from Messrs. Wilson and King, Solicitors to the Board, dated 11th January 1888, forwarding draft of agreement between the Trustees of the Madras Harbour and Mr. F. N. Thorowgood altered in compliance with the resolution, No. 3, of 6th instant.

Read minutes by Mr. G. L. Chambers, the Hon. Mr. S. R. Turnbull, Mr. Cowasjee Eduljee Panday, Captain W. L. C. Baddeley, R.E., and the Chairman.

Resolved,—that this agreement be drawn out as now amended.

Chief Engr for Def.

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7. Read copy of notice from the Deputy Registrar, Appellate Side, High Court of Judicature, dated 2nd December 1887, stating that the hearing of the case No. 85 of 1887, R. J. H. Arbuthnot *versus* The Trustees of the Harbour, Madras, has been fixed for the 3rd day of February 1888.

Recorded.

8. Read G.O., No. 105 W., dated 11th January 1888, communicating despatch from the Secretary of State for India, Public Works (Stores), No. 1, dated 8th December 1887, regarding indent for 2,000 tons of Portland cement for the Madras Harbour Works, stating that a telegram will be despatched to the Secretary of State requesting that the indent may be complied with.

Read minutes by Captain H. A. Street, Captain W. L. C. Baddeley, R.E., Messrs. J. McLintock, V. Mahomed Shereiff Sahib Bahadur, and George King.

Resolved,—that the Board regret that the supply was stopped, as in order to prevent block-making being interrupted they have had to purchase in the local market, at an enhanced rate, which might have been avoided had the Trust's indent been complied with even in part.

9. Examined statement of comparison of expenditure, up to date, of Madras Harbour Works with sanctioned estimate and for the month of November 1887.

Recorded.

10. Examined bi-monthly return of stores under provision by the Director-General of Stores for India up to 30th November 1887, and read endorsement, No. 42 W., dated 6th January 1888, from the Under Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, communicating letter, No. 326-A.G., dated Fort William, 20th December 1887, from the Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, forwarding statement showing the estimated outlay against indents received in England up to the end of October 1887 for stores for the Public Works and Telegraph Departments.

Recorded.

11. Read G.O., No. 3307 W., dated 3rd December 1887, directing that no cash payment be demanded from the Harbour Trust Board for articles issued to that body by the Public Works Stores or for work done in the Public Works Workshops on the order of the Board.

Recorded.

12. The papers in connection with beach improvements were then placed before the Board, and the Chairman stated that the expected despatch from the Secretary of State regarding the north-east entrance had reached him during the afternoon, being communicated under endorsement, No. 153 W., dated 16th January 1888. The despatch and letter enclosed from Mr. Parkes were then read, and the Board directed that they be circulated for consideration, and also that the papers in connection with beach improvements be re-circulated.

ORDER—dated 2nd February 1888, No. 31, Marine.

Recorded.

(True Extract.)

W. S. MEYER,
Asst. Secy. to Govt.

To the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board.

„ Public Works Department.

„ Port Officer, Madras.

Exd. A. Raiff.