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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., dated 26th August 1889, No. 1856 L., Local and Municipal.

ABSTRACT.—Referring to the Presidents of the District Boards concerned, for verification and early report, statements showing the amounts of estimates for Local Fund works scrutinized by the Public Works Department during the quarter ending 30th June 1889.

READ—also the following papers:—

From C. F. MacCARTIE, Esq., President, District Board, Nilgiris, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 3rd September 1889, No. 483.

With reference to G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor, in returning the statement therewith received, duly verified to state that the claim of the Public Works Department for $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the amount of the estimates is correct with reference to clause (a), paragraph 2, of G.O., No. 1137 W., Public Works, dated 29th April 1889, recorded in G.O., dated 15th June 1889, No. 1360 L.

From W. J. H. LE FANU, Esq., President, District Board, North Arcot, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chittoor, 6th September 1889, Ref. on Govt. L.F. No. 199.

With reference to G.O., dated 26th ultimo, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to report that the estimate for constructing an office building for the District Board amounted to Rs. 6,030, as shown in the statement which accompanied the above Government Order, and that the amount chargeable thereon at $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on account of scrutiny by the Public Works Department is Rs. 150-12-0.

2. The Accountant-General has intimated the latter charge to be Rs. 151.

From J. THOMSON, Esq., President, District Board, Coimbatore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coimbatore, 7th September 1889, Ref. on Govt. No. 176.

In reply to G.O., dated 26th ultimo, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to report that the statement showing the amount of an estimate (Rs. 4,975) for the construction of a Local Fund High school at Dhárápura scrutinized by the Public Works Department during the quarter ending 30th June 1889, and $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. thereon on account of establishment chargeable to the Local Fund department, has been verified and found correct.

2. The statement is herewith returned.

From S. H. WYNNE, Esq., President, District Board, South Canara, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Mangalore, 7th September 1889, No. 1456.

In reply to G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to state that there are in the estimate set out in the list two items on which I do not consider $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. should be charged. The first is "Probable amount of compensation for land to be taken up." No professional scrutiny is required for this matter, and its inclusion makes the Public Works remuneration vary with the value of the land through which the work is taken. The second item is "Probable amount of estimate for Kolnad bridge." As the estimate when ready will also require Public Works scrutiny, it should not be charged for twice over. Properly speaking, this latter item should not have appeared in the estimate, but I suppose the Local Fund Engineer wished to supply the Taluk Board with information as to the whole cost of the project. The amount of these items is Rs. 4,000 each, or Rs. 8,000 in all.

From H. St. A. GOODRICH, Esq., Collector and President, District Board, Bellary, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Bellary, 14th September 1889, No. 2275.

With reference to G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to report that the amounts of the estimates for the two works as submitted to the Superintending Engineer are as follow (*vide* paragraph 2, clause 1 (a), of G.O., No. 1137 W., dated 29th April 1889, recorded in G.O., dated 15th June 1889, No. 1360 L., Local and Municipal):—

Name of work.	Amount of the estimate.
(1) High school at Harpanahalli	Rs. 7,585
(2) Reforming the road from Harpanahalli to the limit of the taluk <i>via</i> Arasikera and Oochangidrug, Harpanahalli taluk ..	7,080

From A. T. ARUNDEL, Esq., President, District Board, Kistna, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Masulipatam, 18th September 1889, No. 140.

With reference to G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to state that no charge for the scrutiny of the estimate for the work referred to has been paid.

From G. F. T. POWER, Esq., President, District Board, Godavari, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Godavari, 18th September 1889, No. 126.

In reference to G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to state that the amount (Rs. 7,450) entered in the statement which accompanied the Government Order is correct.

From W. A. WILLOCK, Esq., President, District Board, Vizagapatam, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Vizagapatam, 26th September 1889, No. 746.

With reference to G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., forwarding a statement of the amounts of estimates for Local Fund works scrutinized by the Public Works Department for verification, I have the honor to state that the amount of the estimate for constructing a road from Parvatipur to Chollapadam, as submitted by this office to the Superintending Engineer, was Rs. 33,382. The percentage chargeable for its examination should therefore have been calculated on this amount, and not on Rs. 33,730, the amount of the estimate as sanctioned by Government under Rule I(a) of the rules published in G.O., dated the 29th April 1889, No. 1137, Public Works.

From J. G. HORSFALL, Esq., President, District Board, Ganjam, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chatrapur, 28th September 1889, No. 1184.

With reference to the statement showing the amounts of estimates scrutinized by the Public Works Department, received with G.O., dated 26th August 1889, Mis. No. 1856 L., I have the honor to state that the estimate for constructing the remaining portion of the 5th mile and miles 6 and 7 of road from Haradakhandy near Berhampore to Digupudi was forwarded to the Superintending Engineer from this office for scrutiny, and submission to Government for sanction. The original amount of the estimate was Rs. 9,949, which was increased to Rs. 10,000. This estimate was sanctioned by Government in G.O., dated 28th May 1889, No. 1410 W., and communicated to this office with G.O., dated 10th June 1889, Mis. No. 1288 L. The percentage of establishment chargeable thereon, amounting to Rs. 250, was debited to Local Funds in the supplemental account for March 1889, as advised by the Inspector of Local Fund Accounts in his No. A.C.X.-L. 114, dated 15th June 1889. Subsequently in No. A.C.X.-L. 126, dated 24th July 1889, the same officer advised the expenditure to be removed from the supplemental account, but this could not be done, as the account was despatched before its receipt. Again in his No. A.C.X.-L. 18, dated 17th August 1889, that officer requested that the amount should be incorporated in the Local Fund account for 1889-90. This amount was accordingly included on the understanding that the Accountant-General will reduce the expenditure in the supplemental treasury account for 1888-89. It will thus be seen that no more need now be charged on account of this estimate.

2. As regards the estimate for re-making the road from 8th to 18th mile of Heramandalam-Battili road, I have to observe that the work was under the orders of the Collector opened as a relief work and the estimate therefor was not submitted to the Superintending Engineer by the District Board.

3. As Government have decided in G.O., dated 21st March 1889, No. 686 L., that the money required for carrying out famine relief works will be provided from Provincial funds in the first instance, and that the question of debiting all or any of this outlay to Local Funds will be considered subsequently, I doubt whether the percentage of establishment for the scrutiny of this estimate is properly debitable at present to Local Funds.

ORDER—dated 1st November 1889, No. 2563 L., Local and Municipal.

The statements received from the Public Works Department will be forwarded to the Accountant-General with the following remarks, and with the request that he will make the necessary adjustments in the accounts, in communication with the Examiner of Public Works Accounts:—

(1) The contribution for the scrutiny of the undermentioned estimates should be calculated on the amounts of the original estimates, as submitted to the Superintending Engineers, with reference to No. I (a) of the rules sanctioned in G.O., dated 29th April 1889, No. 1137, Public Works Department, communicated with G.O., dated 15th June 1889, No. 1360 L.:—

Districts.	Works.	Amount of estimate.	
		As submitted to the Superintending Engineer.	As shown in the statement received from the Public Works Department.
		Rs.	Rs.
Ganjam	Constructing the remaining portion of the 5th mile and miles 6 and 7 of road from Haradakhandy near Berhampore to Digupudi	9,949	10,000
Vizagapatam	Road from Parvatipur to Chollapadam from 7th to 15th mile	33,382	33,730
Bellary	High school-house at Harpanahalli	7,585	7,203
	Reforming the road from Harpanahalli to the limit of the taluk <i>via</i> Arasikera and Oochangidrug	7,080	7,148

(2) As the re-making of the road from the 8th to the 18th mile of the Heramandalam-Battili road in Ganjam has been undertaken as a professional agency work for famine relief purposes, and the necessary allotment has been sanctioned from Provincial funds, no charge for the scrutiny of the estimate should be recovered from Local Funds—*vide* G.Os., dated 21st March 1889, No. 686 L., paragraph 4, and 27th June 1889, No. 1459 L.

(3) As the President, District Board, South Canara, states that the estimate, amounting to Rs. 45,370, for constructing the coast road from Pavambur to Karnad includes Rs. 8,000 provided for compensation for lands and for the construction of the Kolnad bridge, for which a separate estimate will be submitted for scrutiny, the contribution should be calculated on the net amount of Rs. 37,370 after deducting these two items.

(4) It appears that in certain cases, the charges have already been recovered by the Accountant-General. In future, no adjustments should be made until the charges are finally approved by Government in the Local and Municipal Department.

(True Extract.)

W. Meyer

For Chief Secretary.

To the President, District Board, North Arcot.
 " " " Bellary.
 " " " Coimbatore.
 " " " South Canara.
 " " " Ganjam.
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Forwarding to the Accountant-General, with remarks, statements showing the amounts of estimates for — scrutinized by the Public Works Department during the quarter ending 30th June 1889, and requesting him to make the necessary adjustments in the accounts in communication with the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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