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7TH OCTOBER 1889, No. 2796 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following :—

G.O., dated 6th September 1889, No. 587, Financial.

Resolution of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce (Accounts and Finance—Rules and General Matters), dated Simla, 19th August 1889, No. 4236.

Read again—

Resolution in this Department, No. 1163, dated the 8th February 1862.

Resolution—Under the Resolution read in the preamble, the substance of which has been reproduced in rule 11, chapter 76, of the Civil Account Code, vol. II, heads of Account offices in the Civil and Military Departments have the power to write off irrecoverable sums not exceeding one rupee without reference to Government. The Governor-General in Council has decided to extend the powers of Account officers in dealing with irrecoverable sums of public money as laid down in the following rule :—

Any of the officers named on the margin has power to write off, without reference to higher authority, sums, not exceeding one rupee in each case, which from any cause may have become irrecoverable or in his judgment are such as should be passed, though not covered by ordinary rule. He may also write off similar sums, above one rupee and not exceeding ten rupees in each case, when he is satisfied that Government would on reference sanction such a course; but he must report these items, in excess of one rupee, in half-yearly statements for the periods ending 30th June and 31st December to be rendered to the Provincial Government for Provincial items and to the Government of India for Imperial items.

A register will be kept in each Account office for these items, showing (1) the account in which the item is charged; (2) its description; (3) amount; (4) reasons for admitting the item; and (5) the order and signature of the head of the Account office. The half-yearly statement to be submitted to Government will be an extract from this register of the items exceeding one rupee.

Order—Ordered that this Resolution be communicated to the several Local Governments and Administrations; to the Military and Public Works Departments; to the Director-General of the Post Office; to the Comptroller and Auditor General; and to the several Accountants-General and Comptrollers.

(Signed) E. LAWRENCE,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Order—dated 6th September 1889, No. 587, Financial.

Communicated to all departments.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
Asst. Secretary.

ORDER—dated 7th October 1889, No. 2796 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. R. E. DRAKE-BROCKMAN, Lt.-Col., R.E.,
Ag. Joint Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Examiner, Railway Accounts.

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of {1889} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated October, 7th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 7th Oct. 1889, No. 2796 W.

OCTOBER.

Irrecoverable Sums

Orders of the Government of India authorizing heads of certain Accounts offices to write off— not exceeding Rs. 10 in each case, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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OF MADRAS.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 6 November 1889.

OFFICE NOTE No. 1589.

To

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With reference to G.O.No.2796W dated 7th.October 1889, communicating orders of the Government of India authorising an examiner to write off without reference to higher authority sums not exceeding one rupee in each case, which from any cause may have become irrecoverable, or in his judgment are such as should be passed, though not covered by ordinary rule, I beg that the Government of India may be asked to say the ruling may be held to extend to cases of sums which are probably not actually irrecoverable, but the recovery of which could not be effected without an expenditure of paper, stamps and trouble quite out of proportion to the amount involved.

2. As a case in point, the amount paid as interest on the overdue leave and pensionary contributions of an officer recently employed as a local fund engineer is short of the amount

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due by I anna and IO pies. I am quite certain that the cost of paper, postage and time of all concerned in effecting the recovery will greatly far exceed the amount involved, but I am not certain that the case falls within the rule, as it is not yet proved that the amount is irrecoverable, and there is no charge to be passed: it is in fact a question of waiving a claim not considered worth corresponding about.

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3. Cases of this kind really are frequent and it is in connection with such cases that a summary procedure for dealing with them would afford sensible relief, whereas cases of irrecoverable dues and of bona fide losses to be written off (within the limits prescribed) are not very frequent, and rules already existing allow Supg. Engineers and Examiners to write off or pass such sums in almost every case that could occur.

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Ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India for consideration

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