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27TH SEPTEMBER 1889, No. 2719 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following paper :—

From Colonel A. C. TOKER, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 16th September 1889, No. 1977-A.

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of your endorsement No. 1713-W. of the 28th June last, to the Public Works Department of this Government, submitting certain inquiries by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, in regard to the submission of reports on the military qualifications of Majors of Royal Engineers serving in Civil Departments, as laid down in clause (d), paragraph 2 of India Army Circulars, clause 165 of 1888.

2. In reply, I am to say that—

(i)—The Examiner, Public Works Accounts, is correct in supposing that the report above referred to is only required in the case of the promotion of a Royal Engineer Major to a full pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy and is not necessary for promotion to the half-pay rank of Lieutenant-Colonel for which the only conditions are, seven years' service in the substantive rank of Major and that the officer applying for the promotion must have attained this rank before the 1st January 1887.

The General Officer's report on the military qualifications of Majors of Royal Engineers in civil employ is intended to afford the Commander-in-Chief sufficient information to enable his Excellency to give an opinion as to the eligibility of the officer for promotion by selection to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, should such an opinion be called for by the Horse Guards. This report is, therefore, not absolutely a condition of promotion, but *merely* a precaution against the possibility of rejection.

(ii)—The procedure to be observed in applying for promotion to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy is not specifically laid down, but the usual course to be followed in such cases would be to address the Horse Guards through the Commander-in-Chief in India.

Copy forwarded to the Public Works Department, with reference to their endorsement No. 2342-G. of the 14th August 1889, and to the Adjutant-General in India for information.

ORDER—dated 27th September 1889, No. 2719 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Military Department, and to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with reference to his office note No. 796, dated 8th June 1889.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Military Department.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

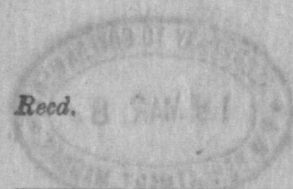
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Govt. of {1889} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 27th.



Encl.

G.O., 27th Sept. 1889, No. 2719 W.

SEPTEMBER.

Majors of Royal Engineers

Letter from the Government of India regarding submission of reports on the military qualifications of — serving in Civil Departments, communicated to the officers concerned.

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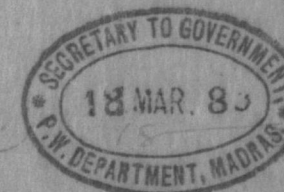
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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 16th March 1889.

OFFICE NOTE No. 354



To Recd.

W.

Please state whether Govern-
ment of India P.W.D. Circular No.III
P.W. communicated with G.O.No.698 W.
dated 8th.March 1889 regarding the
annual confidential reports on
officers of Royal Engineers serving
in India should be codified, and if
so, whether in the body of the Code
or as an appendix.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 8th June 1889.

OFFICE NOTE No. 796

To

W.

With reference to G.O.No.850
dated 21st.March 1889, it is necessary
to codify the rules and forms commu-
nicated to me in the marginally noted
communications, and it will probably
be desirable to embody in the rules
as codified the ruling contained in
circular from the Adjutant General in
India, which I understand has been cir-
culated to all Royal Engineer Officers
with reference to Proceedings of the
Madras Government No.864 W.of 7th. --
March 1889, and I would therefore sug-
gest that this circular may be offi-
cially communicated to me for the pur-
pose.

2. It will, I think, also be desir-
able that the rule as codified shall
make clear a point as to which I have
reason to believe there is consider-
able misapprehension. Rule (d) of the
rules circulated with Government of --

KEEP-WITH

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X Putup with No. 1248 C of 11-3-89

G.O.No.698 W.of 8th.March 1889.

G.O.No.1352 W. of 20th.May 1889.

Memorandum No.1248 C.of 11th.March

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P.W.Department.

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India circular No. III P.W. of 16th. February 1889, requires a report by the general officer commanding the district as to the military qualifications of Majors who are approaching the period for their promotion by selection to the rank of Lieutt. Colonel, and, as I understand the matter, this report is only required as a condition of promotion by selection under Article 7 of the Royal Warrant of 1887 to full pay rank of Lieutt. Colonel, and is not required at all as a condition of promotion, under Article II of the same Warrant, to half pay rank of Lieutt. Colonel, on completion of seven years' service in the rank of Major. I have reason to believe however that some officers are doubtful as to this.

3. Before going any further with the codification of the rules, I should be glad to have the above point cleared up, and I should also be glad to know whether any condition whatever beyond that of having been a regimental Major on the 1st. January 1887, is required for promotion to half pay rank of Lieutt. Colonel, or whether such promotion will be given as a matter of course to any officer who was a substantive Major on the 1st. January 1887, and who applies for such promotion after seven years' service in the rank of Major.

4. It would also be convenient to

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be able to state the procedure to be adopted by an officer who wishes to be promoted to half pay rank of Lieutt. Colonel on completion of seven years' service as Major.

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It is required that the above heading, with number and date of this communication, may be quoted in any subsequent correspondence on the subject.

No. 1977-A

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MILITARY DEPARTMENT

Simla, the 16th September 1889.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
Public Works Department.

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I am,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

A. E. S. S. S. S.

Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Copy forwarded to—

The Public Works Department, with reference to their endorsement No. 2342-G of the 14th August 1889.

The Adjutant-General in India for information.

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Came to the
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For Heads of Departments

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Circular No. XVIII Public Works.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
GENERAL.

Simla, the 10th October, 1889.

Explanation on certain points connected with the submission of reports on the Military qualifications of Majors of Royal Engineers serving in Civil Departments.

The following is forwarded to the Local Governments, Administrations and Officers noted in the margin, for information, in continuation of Public Works Department Circular No. XVII P. W., dated 19th September 1889.

The Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Punjab.
The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Burma, Assam and Coorg.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor-General for Central India, Rajputana and Baluchistan.
The Accountant-General, Public Works Department.
The Director-General of Railways.
The Consulting Engineers in the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Central Division and Lucknow.
The Director-General of Telegraphs.

By order,

G. H. Walker

Under-Secretary.

No. 1977-A, dated Simla, 10th September 1889.

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To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras
Public Works Department

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From

The Govt of India
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Re. the submission of re-
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