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From, Major. C. H. P. Christie, R.E.
Examiner of P. & W. Accounts, Madras

To, The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

No. 2296.

Madras 23rd April 1890.

Sir,

I have the honor to request that, when applying for cheques in payment of the salaries of members of your establishment you will kindly include the whole of each salary in one cheque, and not ask for payment of such salaries partly by separate cheques and partly out of the general cheque for the office establishment. The practice of issuing cheques for part salaries tends to confuse the record of payments, and increases the trouble of check and audit. If an officer wants cash he can always make his own arrangements for obtaining it.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant


Major. R. E.
Examiner of P. & W. Accounts, Madras

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Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Madras,

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OFFICE NOTE.

From

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To

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Your Circular letter
No. 2296 of 23rd April
1890.

Your request will
be noted, but when the
head quarters of the
Government are at
Ootacamund, it is
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on the Bank of Madras
and a portion by cheque
on the Nilgiri Treasury.

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There is of course no objection to drawing one cheque for that part of the office establishment which is at Madras, and another for the portion at Ootacamund. But the practice of drawing two cheques (one on Madras Treasury and the other on Nilgiri Treasury) on account of the dues of one officer, besides confusing the record, is contrary to the spirit of the rules, the intention of which is that an officer shall be paid at his station, and that he shall make his own arrangements for remittances to any other place at which he may have to make payments. I will however accept any decision, to be uniformly acted upon, as to what is the station of the officers in question.

C.

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N^o 2296, dated 23rd April 1890

N^o 2088C, dated 1st May 1890

Office note from Do - do - do N^o 2769, dated 14th May 1891

For orders.

Ever since the move of Government to the Hills began, the Members of the Secretariat Establishments have been permitted to draw a portion of pay at Madras and a portion at Ootacamund.

The Accountant General has raised no objection to the arrangement with respect to the pay of members of the Chief, Revenue and Military Secretariats, and no objection has hitherto been made in the Public

works Department. It may be presumed therefore that no material inconvenience has been experienced in the Audit offices during all these years.

Prior to 1st April 1890, the portion of pay of Members of the P.W. Secretariat required at Madras was obtained on cheques granted by the Executive Engineer Presidency Division, and the portion to be drawn at Ootacamund, by cheques on the local bank granted by the Executive Engineer Nilgiri Division. From 1st April 1890 however the Examiner took over the duties of disbursing officer for head quarter establishments, and the part pay for April of the P.W. Secretariat Establishment at

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at Ootacamund was drawn on cheques granted by the Examiner on the Treasury here.

The Examiner now objects to the arrangement which has been in force for so many years, and insists on the pay of the members of the P.W. Secretariat at Ootacamund being drawn either wholly at Madras or wholly at Ootacamund.

He further wants either Madras or Ootacamund to be nominated as the permanent station at which the pay is to be drawn during the season, so that the pay of whole of the Establishments must be drawn either at one place or the other throughout the season regardless of the convenience of individual members.

It will be seen from his note to E.G. No 2323 dated 24th April 1890, put up herewith, that he even declines

declines to allow whole
salary to be drawn al-
ternately at Ootacamund
and Madras.

The Examiner bases his
objection on the note to
P.W. Code para 471 (standing
Order No 817 of 1889), but this
should not apparently be
made applicable to the
exceptional circumstances
of the Government move to
the Hills.

In the case of ordinary
transfers, an officer's new
station becomes his permanent
headquarters until he is
again moved, and of course
he will draw pay at his
permanent station, but the
Secretariat establishments
move up and down periodically - most of the members,
down to inferior servants,
have

and whether they draw
whole pay at Madras or at
Ootacamund, they will be
put to loss on account of
Commission and remittances,
and perhaps to serious delay
owing to necessity for such
remittances.

Submitted that the Examiner
should be told that the case
of the Secretariat establish-
ments during the move to the
Hills should be treated
exceptionally, and that no
alteration need be made
in the arrangements which
have been so long in force,
and which are not objected
to by the Accountant General
in the case of other departments.

Certainly.

W.S.
21 May.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Circular from the Secy. P.W. Dept. No. 2296 of 23.4.50
 Office note to — do — 2088C of 1.5.50
 — do — from — do — 2769 of 14.5.50

H.S. The Govt. in Council is of opinion that the case of the Secretariat establishment during the move to the Hills should be with respect to payment of salaries, should be treated exceptionally, the circumstances of the Govt. move not being analogous to ordinary transfers -

Such establishments have

in all departments of the
fort, have been permitted,
since the move to the ^{Hills} ^{whole}
began, to draw part or,
relay at Madrid and
part ^{or while} at Ootacamund
according to convenience,
the periodicity of the
move entailing on most
members the necessity
for maintaining double
establishments. No
objection to this arrange-
ment has been raised
by the accountant Genl,
and some has hitherto
been made by the
audit office of the P.W.
Dept.

3. H.E. in Council ~~is~~
therefore directs that
no alteration be made
in the arrangements
which have been so
long in force.

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P.W. D. San Marcos
San Marcos

P. 11.50 W. of 23rd May
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