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 (2) புதுக்கித் திருப்பிய நாள் 1/90
 (3) ஆதாரங்குறிப்பவர் சுருக்கொப்பம் 10/9

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21st August 1890, No. 2266 W., Public Works.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

Read—the following paper :—

G.O., dated 19th July 1890, No. 1969 W., Public Works.

Read—the following office note from Major C. H. P. CHRISTIE, R.E., Examiner of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 21st June 1890, No. 3645 :—

Under article 1164 (b) of Civil Service Regulations, certificates for actual expenses for halts at head-quarters do not require to be countersigned except in the cases of *non-gazetted or of menial officers*, in which cases the head of office is required also to certify that it was necessary for such officers to keep up the whole or part of his camp equipage, as the case may be. In the previous edition (Civil Travelling Allowance Code, Provisional Issue, section 18, rule 1, last clause), countersignature by the head of office was required only in the case of *ministerial officers*, and the modification now introduced in the rule makes it necessary to modify the footnote on form No. M. 153-A certificate for actual expenses, &c., a copy of which is enclosed.

2. There is however nowhere, as far as I can find, any authorised definition of a "gazetted officer." In connection with other rules in which the same expression is used, the practice has been to treat officers whose appointments are gazetted in part I of the Gazette as gazetted officers; but I can trace no authority for this practice, and moreover there is no rule as to what should be gazetted in part I and what in part II of the Gazette. There is no guarantee for the correct application of any rule in the Civil Service Regulations or elsewhere in which the term "non-gazetted officer" is used.

3. I beg therefore that the Government of India may be moved to define the terms "gazetted officer" and "non-gazetted officer" so far at any rate as they concern the Public Works Department, so that the rule in the Civil Service Regulations may be properly applied.

4. The immediate cause of this reference is an inquiry by the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, as to whether the certificate of the head of office (on the actual expense certificate) is required in the case of upper subordinates. Pending orders on the question asked, I propose to accept such certificates as heretofore, *i.e.*, requiring countersignature only in case of claims by ministerial officers.

Order—dated 19th July 1890, No. 1969 W., Public Works.

Ordered to be forwarded for the consideration of the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 1970 W., dated 19th July 1890.)

(True Extract.)

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

21st AUGUST 1890, No. 2266 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

Endorsement—dated 19th July 1890, No. 1970 W., Public Works.

Forwarded.

(By Order.)

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

From G. H. D. WALKER, Esq., Under-Secretary to the Government of India,
Public Works Department (General), to the Secretary to the Government
of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 4th August 1890,
No. 2084 G.

With reference to your No. 1970 W., dated the 19th ultimo, forwarding for consideration a note from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, asking for a definition of the terms "gazetted officer" and "non-gazetted officer" in connection with article 1164 (b), Civil Service Regulations, regarding certificates for actual expenses for halts at head-quarter, I am directed to request that the Examiner may be informed that he is to require certificates in the case of all officers not borne on the Engineer, Superior Accounts, or Superior Revenue establishments, or holding honorary rank therein.

ORDER—dated 21st August 1890, No. 2266 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. J. Moses.
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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 21st.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 21st Aug. 1890, No. 2266 W.

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Certificates

Letter from the Government of India stating that the Examiner is to require — for actual expenses for halts at head-quarters, in the case of all officers not borne on the Engineer, Superior Accounts, or Superior Revenue establishments or holding honorary rank therein, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.

(G. No. ¹²⁰¹/₈)

GOVT. OF MADRAS.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

KEEP-WITH

CURRENT No.

Madras, 21 June

1890.

dated

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OFFICE NOTE No. 3645.

To

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Under article II(4)(b) of Civil Service Regulations, certificates for actual expenses for halts at head quarters do not require to be countersigned except in the cases of non-gazetted or of menial officers, in which cases the head of office is required also to certify, that it was necessary for such officers to keep up the whole or part of his camp equipage, as the case may be. In the previous edition (Civil Traveling Allowance Code Provisional issue section 18, rule I last clause), counter-signature by the head of office was required only in the case of ministerial officers, and the modification now introduced in the rule makes it necessary to modify the foot note on form No. M. 153 A certificate for actual expenses etc. a copy of which is enclosed.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

G H W Walker

Under Secretary to the Government

of India

Documents accompanying

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 21st Aug 1897

Read the following

Office note from the Gov. S.W. Accounts A.C. No. 3645 of 21st June '97
Proceedings of Govt. S.W. Dept. A.C. No. 1969-70 W of 19 July '97
From the Govt. of India S.W. A.C. No. 2084 G of 4 August '97

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Communicated to
officers of the S.W. Department
for information and
guidance.

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To
The Chief Engr for Irrigation;
Coasg. Engr for S.W.
Subg. Engineers
Coasg. Archt. to Govt.
Examiners S.W. Accts.

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Govt. of Madras.

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G.O. 21st Aug 90 22065.

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Letter from the Govt of
Madras stating that the Exam^r
is to require — for actual
expenses for halls at
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Revenue Accounts or holding
honorary rank therein.
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