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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

Resolution of the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department (Salaries, Establishments, &c.—Rules and General Matters), dated Simla, the 19th April 1892, No. 1637.

Read—

Resolution in this Department, No. 2232, dated 7th May 1890.

Read—also the following extracts from Despatches to and from the Secretary of State :—

Paragraph 2 of Despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 130, dated 9th July 1891.

I desire to direct your attention to the observations in paragraph 12 of the Despatch of the 13th July 1882, No. 81, Public, as to the necessity of submitting, for the consideration of the Secretary of State, any extensive reorganisation of administrative machinery in India.

Despatch to the Secretary of State, No. 342, dated 16th December 1891.

We have the honour to forward, for Your Lordship's consideration, copy of correspondence regarding a revision of the establishment of Naib Tahsildars in the Punjab, at an additional expenditure of about Rs. 18,000 a year.

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3. We take this opportunity of suggesting, with reference to paragraph 2 of Your Lordship's Despatch, No. 130 (Financial), dated the 9th July 1891, the issue of somewhat more definite instructions to enable us to decide, in the exercise of the powers of financial control which have been delegated to the Government of India, whether proposals like that now recommended require Your Lordship's sanction. The orders now in force are contained in Lord Hartington's Despatches Nos. 160 (Financial), dated the 25th May 1882, and 81 (Public), dated the 13th July 1882, and Lord Kimberley's Despatch No. 47 (Revenue), dated the 27th May 1886, in which it is laid down that any proposal which involves either (1) a considerable increase of establishments, or (2) the regulation of payments of allowances to a large body of public servants, or (3) a general reorganisation of administrative machinery, should be submitted to Your Lordship, irrespective of the fact that no specific appointment may be created and no salary increased beyond the limits of our powers of sanction. We did not regard the reorganisation of the Punjab process-serving establishment, to which the Despatch of 9th July refers, as being of sufficient importance to require a reference to Your Lordship, either on account of the increased expenditure involved, or on more general grounds; and, but for the receipt of that Despatch, we should not have considered it necessary to trouble Your Lordship with the present reference from the Punjab.

4. We think it would be convenient if the orders quoted in the preceding paragraph were, so far as their nature permits, made more definite. And we propose that it should be laid down, as the rule for future practice, that any scheme for revision of establishments, the estimated annual cost of which exceeds one lakh of rupees, should be reported for Your Lordship's sanction apart from any other rule, but that less costly

measures need not be reported merely on account of the amount of expenditure involved. We should of course be careful to refer any proposal which, apart from the amount of expenditure, appeared to us to involve issues of sufficient importance to warrant their being brought to Your Lordship's notice before orders issued.

Despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 33, dated 25th February 1892.

I have considerd in Council Your Excellency's letter, dated the 16th of December 1891, No. 342, and sanction your revision of the establishment of Naib Tahsildars in the Punjab, at an additional expenditure of about Rs. 18,000 a year.

2. On the general question of a revision of establishments, you ask that you may receive permission to carry into effect, without reference to the Home Government, any scheme which involves a smaller annual cost than a lakh of rupees, provided that it does not include appointments or additions to salary which under other regulations need the Secretary of State's approval, nor contain points of sufficient importance to warrant its being brought to his notice before orders are issued.

3. It is probably desirable that the orders on this subject should be expressed with more precision than hitherto; but Your Excellency's proposal is wider than I am prepared to accept. I think that where urgency does not exist, a revision of establishments which will add more than Rs. 25,000 a year to the expenditure should not be announced or brought into effect until it has received the sanction of the Secretary of State in Council, even though on other grounds it may not, in the whole or in part, require his previous approval.

Resolution—

The Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition be made to the audit rules prescribed by Resolution No. 2232, dated the 7th May 1890, in order to give effect to the instructions contained in the correspondence read in the preamble:—

"Under Rule III add—

(4) Revisions of establishments which involve expenditure of more than Rs. 25,000 a year."

Ordered—

That this Resolution be communicated in continuation of No. 2232, dated 7th May 1890, to all Local Governments and Administrations, to all Departments of the Government of India, to the Heads of Department subordinate to this Department, to the Comptroller and Auditor-General and to all Accountants-General and Comptrollers.

(Signed) A. KENSINGTON,
Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ORDER—dated 11th May 1892, No. 521, Financial.

Recorded.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Public Works Department.

Exd W H. French.

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Additions to Establishments.

Recording Resolution of the Government of India adding a rule to those defining the powers of that Government in respect of —.

for the order

Re 1751-W dt 23-6-90
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No. 1562 W dt 23d May '92

Communicated to the officers concerned in continuation of G.O. No. 2482 W dt 17-9-90.

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