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the present proposal.

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greatly changed since the
proposals were
considered, for instance
the military works at
all the stations have
been transferred to the
Military Works Dept.
In only stations at which
the P.W.D. now undertakes
Military works are

Cawnpore - Detachment Bn. Dept
1 Regt. main Dept
Colaba - Detachment Bn. Dept
Mallapuram - do -
Trichinopoly - 2 Regts. G.S.
Vizagapatam
Jamalkot } 1 Regt. G.S.
Berhampore - Addressing G.S.
Vizagapatam - Gun. Dept. Details

At stations at which
there are no Regular Troops
the Barrack Department
would probably be of a
very trifling nature -
The G.P.S. Barracks at

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Cawnpore is the only
station at which a
number of the Barrack
Department are employed
to work under the P.W.D.
All the duties at the
other stations can be
carried out by the
existing P.W. Staff -
of the stations named,
Cawnpore is now the
only one where we
a warrant officer of
the Barrack Dept
attached it is -
~~Accordingly~~
There seems no reason
~~for considering~~ why
the transfer
should not
G.P.S. be made
at once. A reply
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I think under
present circumstances
there is no objection
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Note for the Hon'ble Member.

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epatam European Infantry Volunteer Company

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these are no Barracks
troops the Barrack
Department duties would
probably be of a very
trifling nature.

The Govt. of India
thinks that Cannanore
is the only station at
which a member of the
Barrack Dept. will be
needed to work under
the P.W. Dept., and that
the duties at the other
stations can be carried
out by the existing
Public Works staff.

Of the stations named
Cannanore is now the
only one which has a
Warrant officer of the
Barrack Dept. attached
to it.

There seems no reason
why the proposals of the
Govt. of India should not
be accepted at once.
A reply has been drafted
accordingly.

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Establishments
Barrack Department

No 3740 M. W.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 22nd September 1893.

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

To

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

SIR,

I am directed to state that the Government of India have under consideration a proposal for assimilating the system under which Barrack Department duties in the Madras Presidency are carried out to that prevailing elsewhere in India. At present, the duties which in India generally are associated by the Barrack Department under the supervision of the Officers of the Military or Public Works Department are at present carried

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out in the Madras Presidency under the Quarter-Master-General's and Commissariat Departments. Should the proposal referred to above be sanctioned, the duties in question would be carried out under the officers of the Military Works Department at stations where ordinary Military Works are in charge of that Department, and at stations where Military Works are in charge of the Public Works Department the supervision of any Barrack Department work would similarly be entrusted to the local Executive Engineer of the Public Works Department. It is understood that at most of the Madras stations in the latter class, the amount of Barrack Department work is trifling and could be undertaken by the existing Departmental establishment, but that at Cannanore the quantity

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of work is sufficient to demand the services of a member of the Barrack Department establishment. Same to say that in the event of the Barrack Department duties being transferred as proposed, most of the present establishment (Barrack Masters and Barrack Sergeants) would be transferred to the control of the Military Works Department, and that the man required for Cannanore would be sent to the Public Works Department from the establishment transferred in the same way that Barrack Department establishment is supplied for stations in Burma, and for some stations in the Bombay Presidency. The cost of new supplies and Repairs and of certain other expenses falling under the head of Barrack Department expenditure, together with the pay of any man sent to the Madras

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Public Works Department as indicated above would be a charge against Military Works Funds, and to meet the cost of supervision, the local Public Works Department would be entitled to take credit at the usual rate of 10 percent upon the expenditure incurred (exclusive of payments on account of salary of any Barrack Department Establishment) this percentage also being debited against Military Works Funds.

2 I am to ask that, under the orders of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the Government of India may be informed whether there is any objection to the transfer to the local Public Works Department of the Barrack Department duties at the stations where ordinary Military Works remain in charge of the Madras Public Works Department.

I am, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

W. J. King Kennan Lt.
for
Secretary to the Govt of India.

Government of Madras.

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From

The Govt of India
Military department

ENCLOS.

No. 3170 M.W

Dated 22.9.93

Regd. Received 2.10.93

SUBJECT.

Barrack department duties:

Noting to be informed
whether there is any objection
to transfer to the local
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following

Letter from the Govt. of India Military Deptt.
No. 3170 MW dated 22nd September 1893.

Ordered that the
Govt. of India be
addressed.

To
The Military Deptt.
with copy of letter to the
Govt. of India.

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M. E. No. 2662 W dy 18 Oct 93

To

The Secty. to the
Govt. of India
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Sir,

I am directed
to acknowledge the
receipt of your letter
No. 3170 M.W dated 22nd
Sept. 1893 on the subject
of the transfer to the
Local Public Works Dept.
of the Barrack Department
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to the P.W.D. at certain
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...to Madras P.W.D. Dept.
and to instruct you in
reply that His Excellency
the Governor-in-Council
has no objection to the
proposals made by
the Govt. of India.
The local Public Works
Establishments will be
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...to be prepared
undertake the required
duties on orders to that
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Dated 24/11/93

Read. Encl.

G.O., 18 Oct 1893. No. 2661-24.

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