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Note

A copy of all budget
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to the Comptroller
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Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Madras, 23rd June 1894

OFFICE NOTE.

From

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To

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Settle - from the Govt. of
India No 168 A.C.W d/9-6-94

For favour of
explanation -

The following are the
dates on which the orders
of the Govt. of India on
the preliminary budgets
were despatched to your
office -

Military Works - 20th April 1894
(S.O. No 962 W d/9-4-94)

Imperial Civil Works - 18th April
1894 (S.O. No 918 W d/4-4-94)

Provincial Civil Works - 12th May
1894 (S.O. No 1087 W d/30-4-94)

Incorporated Local Civil Works -
19th April 1894 (S.O. No 922 W
d/5th April 1894)

Repat. enq. Let me
see the order with C's
date of receipt also

Irrigation - The orders of the Govt. of India were communicated on 21st April with S.O. No 3413 d/9th April 1894 - The final Budget was communicated on 17th May with S.O. No 3589 d/30th April 1894.

It will thus be seen that except in the case of the Provincial Budget, the orders of the Govt. of India were despatched to your office within the date mentioned by the Govt. of India, and it may be pointed out that S.O. No 922 W dated 5th April 1894 on the Incorporated Local Budget contained also the orders of the Govt. of India on the Provincial Budget

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Copy of letter from the Accountant General P.W. Department to the Examiner, P.W. Accounts Madras, No 557 L. dated 31st May 1894.

With reference to the Madras Form D for 20th April 1894, I have the honour to point out that the grants shown for Military Works and Provincial & Incorporated Local Civil Works do not agree with those passed in Budget orders.

Reply to above No 1896 D d/11th May 1894

With reference to your letter No 557 L dated the 31st May 1894, I have the honour to inform you that the figures entered in Form D for 20th April were those of the Preliminary Budgets as the Final Budgets & Budget orders were not then to hand. The correct figures will however be taken in the Returns for 20th May 1894.

(True Copies)

Mahomed Yacoob

for Supt. Routine Branch

No. 2632 D of 28-6-94.
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To 'W.

The Budget Estimates were received in this office on the dates shown below:-

Imperial Military Works	21st. April 1894
„ Civil „	18th. April 1894
Provincial Civil Works	16th. May 1894.
Incorporated Local	21st. April 1894
Irrigation	18th. May 1894.

and were, therefore, with the single exception of the Imperial Civil Works Budget Estimates not to hand on the 20th of April when Form D. for that month was prepared.

2. In his letter No. 557 G. of the 3rd. May 1894 the Accountant General P.W. Department called upon this office to explain certain discrepancies between the amounts entered as grants in Form D for 20th. April 1894 and those passed by Government of India in Budget Orders & this inquiry had reference only to three Finance heads viz Military Works and Provincial and Incorporated Local Civil Works and this office's reply (a copy of which is herein enclosed together with the Accountant General's (P.W.D.) letter referred to above) consequently referred to those three Budgets only, but the reply was not very clear and was taken to mean that none of the Budget Orders had been furnished to me up to the 21st April 1894, when as a matter of fact one of them had been received.

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All communications
should be addressed to
the Secretary.

25 JUN 1894

No. 168 New.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.
Civil works.

To The Secretary to the
Government of Madras,
Public Works Department.

Simla, the 9th June 1894.
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Sir,

The Accountant General Public Works
Department has brought to notice that up to the
21st April 1894, the Examiner Public Works accounts,
Madras, has not been furnished with copies
of the orders of the Government of India on
the Budget estimates for 1894-95.

* Irrigation Branch.
Military works.
Imperial civil works.
Provincial and Incorporated
Local Civil works.

2 I am directed to request that in
future, arrangements may be made to communicate
Budget orders to the Examiner as soon as
possible after receipt.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
H. H. Halliday
Secretary to the Govt. of India

Document accompanying:-
Nil.

Statement with reference to Co office Note N^o 2632B dated 28th June 1894

Budget.	Date of despatch from this office	Date of receipt in Co office	Remarks
Military books	20. 4. 94	21. 4. 94	The copies of the order were not signed till late in the afternoon of the 20 th April. The pawn's delivery book shows that the copy for C was given to the pawn for delivery the same evening.
Imperial Civil books	18. 4. 94	18. 4. 94	The pawn's delivery book shows that the cover containing the order was received by one of Co's office pawns on the 12 th May. But as the 13 th May was a Sunday and Co's office was closed on the 14 th and 15 th May on account of the strike = outside holidays, the cover was apparently not opened till the 16 th May. The date of despatch was taken from the entry made by the Despatcher in the original of the order, he now explains that the original being required for reference, he made the entry before the order actually issued fully expecting that it would issue on that day as it was ready for despatch. There was a delay however in getting copies signed, and the order did not issue till the evening of the 28 th April. The remarks against N ^o (1) supra apply here also.
Provincial Civil books	12. 5. 94	16. 5. 94	
Unrecorded local	19. 4. 94	21. 4. 94	
Irrigation	17. 5. 94	18. 5. 94	

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I enclose a statement drawn up by me, accounting for the difference in dates between duplicate from this office & receipt in Ci office of the various Budgets.

The letter from C to the acct of the M.D., which gave rise to the present reference was dated 20 April, while the G.F.J. report that the Budget orders had not been rec'd in Ci office on the 21 idem - on the latter date most of the orders had been received by C.

In future it would be well perhaps to forward to C at once on

receipt - a 50
quack after G.F.J.
Resolutions on our
preliminary Budgets

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✓ Note.

The Govt of India request that in future, arrangements may be made to communicate budget orders to the Examiner as soon as possible after receipt.

The usual course with all communications from the Govt of India is to communicate them to the Examiner with the "order thereon" of the Local Govt. but in the case of budget orders, a copy can be sent to C // as soon as the papers reach the Secretariat. In his capacity of Financial Asst^t to W, C could have ab-
sented the papers in question ^{at once} if he had asked for them.

H.S.

Yes -

Recd for 20th July 94

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