

Public Works (1896) Department.

G.O., No. 2136 W

DATED 22nd July 1896

[Despatch Abstract.]

Advances to meet tour charges —
Government of India resolution providing
the Code rule with respect to the grant
to officers and subordinates of —
Communicated to officers of the Public
Works Department

Government of India Resolution revising the Code rule with respect to the grant to officers and subordinates of —, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following paper:—

Resolution from the Government of India, Public Works Department (General), to the Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 2nd July 1896, No. 1658 G.

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Paragraph 3 of Government of India, Public Works Department, Circular No. III, Public Works, dated 21st March 1885.
Paragraph 110, chapter IV, Public Works Department Code, Volume I, as modified by Standing Order No. 86, dated 2nd December 1895.
Memo. from the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, No. 322 E., dated 19th February 1896, and enclosures.

Observation.—In the first two documents read in the preamble, it is laid down that “In cases of emergency, Superintending Engineers and other officers in analogous positions, when proceeding on tour over two or more districts, and to a considerable distance from head-quarters, may sanction small advances to themselves and to officers and subordinates accompanying them to meet their tour charges, subject to adjustment on the next issue of pay or travelling allowance,” and in the note to the paragraph of the Public Works Department Code also read above, it is said that “Advances granted under this rule should not be applied to the expenditure of any gazetted officer, which is meant to be covered by his travelling allowance.”

Resolution.—As the intention of this ruling is not sufficiently clear, the Government of India are hereby pleased to order that the rule be brought into accord with that contained in article 137 (d), chapter 8, Volume I of the Civil Account Code, by the substitution of the following rule:—

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2. In special cases of long and expensive tours, Local Governments may, in accordance with article 137 (a), chapter 8, Volume I of the Civil Account Code, sanction similar advances to gazetted officers, subject to adjustment by the officers receiving them on completion of their tours.

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The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor-General for Rajputana, Central India and Baluchistan.
The Accountant-General, Public Works Department.
The Director-General of Military Works.
The Director-General of Railways.
The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow and Assam.
The Director-General of Telegraphs.

Order.—Ordered that this Resolution be communicated to the Local Governments, Administrations and Officers named on the margin, for information and guidance.

(Signed) W. S. S. BISSET, Col., R.E.,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

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

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M. S. Sinet

Col., R.E.,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Documents accompanying.

Nil.

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*No. 1350 W. d. 10-6-95
- 1290 W. d. 27-5-85
- 834 W. d. 1-4-85
- 1209 W. d. 18-6-83*

- Ch. E. for Irri.*
- C. E. for Rys.*
- Suptg. Engineers*
- S. E. on Special Duty*
- C. A. to Govt.*
- Exr. P.W. Accts.*

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*To The Secretary to the Govt of Madras
Public Works Department*

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[For General Distribution.]

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