

Public Works (1896) Department.

G.O., No. 2151W

DATED 24 July 96

[Despatch Abstract.]

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J. J. Young Asst Engineer
Govt of India's letter regarding the
position of — as regards military promotion
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should be addressed
to the Secretary.*

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
GENERAL.

Simla, the 13th July 1896.

The following is forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department for information and guidance.

By Order,

C. F. Walke

Under Secy.to the Govt.of India.

No.1742 G., dated the 13th July 1896.

From - The Secretary to the Government of India,
Public Works Department.
To - The Chief Commissioner of Burma.

In reply to your Secretary's letter No.4160-178 E., dated the 17th April 1896, submitting for disposal a representation from Honorary Lieutenant and Deputy Assistant Commissary J.J.Young, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, against his transfer from the Bengal to the Madras Unattached list on the ground that such transfer has completely blocked his further Military promotion, I am directed to request that Lieutenant Young's attention may

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be drawn to the orders of the Government of India contained
in Public Works Department Circular letter No. 1012 G., dated
28th April 1896, ruling that fitness for departmental promo-
tion shall be regarded as a factor in awarding Military pro-
motion beyond the rank of Conductor.

He should be informed that had these orders been in
operation at the time of his promotion to the rank of Deputy
Assistant Commissary, or had it been then known, as subsequent-
ly reported, that he was unfit for departmental promotion, he
would not have been promoted to his present Military position,
and the Government of India have decided on these grounds
that he should not be promoted to higher Military rank.

I am accordingly to state that under these circumstances
Lieutenant Young's position has not been adversely affected
as regards military promotion by his transfer from the Bengal
to the Madras Unattached List.

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