

Public Works (1896) Department.

G.O., No. $\frac{2158}{2159}$ W

DATED 27 July 1896

[Despatch Abstract.]

Telegraph System - ordered that the
Director General of Telegraphs be
addressed regarding the intension of him
to Ramachandrapuram, in Godavari
District

The Director General addressed

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No. 2158 W., 27TH JULY 1896.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads,
Civil Works.

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Resolution—Mis. No. 2937, dated 29th June 1896.

Submitted to Government, with reference to its Order, Mis. No. 571, dated 10th February 1896.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. C. C. CARR,
Acting Secretary.

No. 1373 R., Revenue.

Transferred to the Public Works Department, with reference to G.O. No. 262 W., dated 23rd January 1896.

OOTACAMUND,
10th July 1896.

(Signed) LIONEL DAVIDSON,
Ag. Under Secretary to Government.

ORDER—No. 2158 W., dated 27th July 1896.

The Director-General of Telegraphs will be addressed.

[Here enter No. 2159 W., dated 27th July 1896.]

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
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Govt. of {1896} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated July, 27th.

Recd.

Encl.

No. 2159 W., 27th July 1896.

JULY.

Telegraph System

Forwarding copy of Proceedings embodying a letter from the Collector of the Górávari district urging on public grounds the connection of Rámachandrapuram with the —.

No. 2159 W., 27TH JULY 1896.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads,
Civil Works.

LETTER—from

THE HON'BLE COLONEL D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department,

To

THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF TELEGRAPHS.

SIR,

With reference to paragraph 2 of your letter No. 8231, dated 4th January 1896, I am directed to forward, for your favourable consideration, a copy of the Proceedings of this Government, No. 2158 W. of this date, embodying a further letter from the Collector of the Gódávári district, urging on public grounds the connection of Rámachandrapuram with the telegraph system, even if an office there does not pay, or does not pay in the first instance.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Joint Secretary to Government.

OOTACAMUND,
27th July 1896.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.
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N^o 2158 W. dated 27 July 1896

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Read the following

Endorsement in the Revenue Dept. on
 Pros. of the Board of Revenue, Land
 Revenue, No. 2937 Mis., d/29-6-96.

H.E. No. 1373 R., d/10th July '96.

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To
 The Suptg. Engr. I Circle.
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Extension of telegraph
system to Ramachandrapur
The Government of Madras

10-7-84

Telegraph office at Ramachandrapur
from the Collector of Government
reporting on the communication

of forwarding a
No. 107/10-7-84
2000, 10-7-84
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Government of Madras.
1896.

DISPOSAL.

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

No. dated

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Recd: 16.7.96

CURRENT No.

From

The Revenue Department

ENCLOS.

No. 1373 R

Dated 10.7.96

Received

SUBJECT.

Telegraph office at Ramachandra

puram : Transferring letters
from the Collector of Godavari
reporting on the advisability

of opening a —

- No. 407W, d 26-2-96
- 262W, d 23-1-96
- 3102 W, d 3-12-95
- 3101W, d 3-12-95
- 2140W, d 29-8-94

21-5-268 Rm

Ref No 595 of 26
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Godavari District Collector's
Office 14.6.86
Despatched 19th June 1886
Camp: Ramachandrapur

From

V. Abroori Squire
Collector, Godavari

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Ramachandrapur
Collector.

Camp
16/6/06

BOARD'S GEN. REG. NO 3308 OF 1896
LAND REVENUE

Revenue - Department.

From

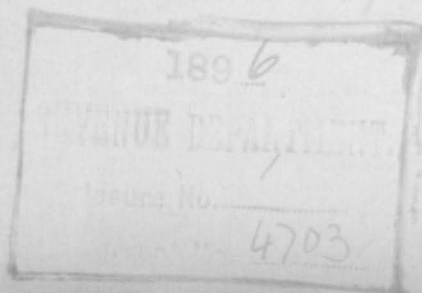


Ref no 595 of 96
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Dated 14th
Recd 19th } June 1896
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Subject

Reporting on the advisability of opening a telegraph station at Ramachandrapur in reply Board's ~~reference~~ ^{reference} on Government No 372 of 14-2-96. 1896



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Resolution:-

Submitted to Government with reference to its Order, No.571 Mis., dated 10th February 1896.

(True Extract)

/Sd/R.C.C.Carr,

Ag.Secretary.

To

The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with Collector's letter in original to be returned.

ABSTRACT.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Current Number. 4703

Endorsement No. 1373 R.

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10th July 1896.

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Recd: 14/7

Regs: 16.7.96

Dated 29th June 1896.

Received 2nd July 1896.

Enclosures¹

No. 2937 Mis.

SUBJECT.

Submitting to Govt. with refer-
ence to its Order, No. 571 Mis., dated
10th February 1896, letter from the
Collector of Godavari furnishing in-
formation in regard to the prospects
of a telegraph office being opened at
Ramachendrapuram.

To

The Public Works Dept.

P. J. O.

SLUSA.

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