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Public Works (1896) Department.

G.O., No. 2364-54.

DATED 15/8/96.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Indent: Ordered that an — for wrought iron hinges required for use in the current official year, be forwarded to the Director General of stores for ^{approval} compliance.

Ditto. Forwarding for favour of very early compliance an — for wrought iron hinges urgently required for use on works in progress during the current official year.

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Ordered that an — for wrought iron hinges required for use in the current official year, be forwarded to the Director-General of Stores for very early compliance.

No. 2364 W., 15TH AUGUST 1896.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following papers:—

From H. A. MOSS, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, to the
Superintending Engineer, V Circle, dated 1st August 1896, No. 84 S.

I have the honour to submit a special indent No. 10 for wrought iron hinges
required for immediate use from England, and to request you will kindly arrange to
telegraph to England for the same.

The stock of these hinges has been exhausted, and the hinges available in the
local market are weak and will not stand the weight of such doors and windows as
are now being prepared. We have a large number of doors and windows being made
and expect indents for more to come. It is therefore considered necessary to get a
supply of good hinges now from England.

No. 226 W.

Copy submitted to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, with the
request that arrangements may be made to telegraph to England for the hinges
indented for, as they are urgently required for works in progress.

(Signed) C. C. RAWSON, Lieut.-Col., R.E.,
7th August 1896. Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

From the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated 14th August 1896, No. 2398 D./B.

ORDER—No. 2364 W., dated 15th August 1896.

Ordered that the indent for wrought iron hinges required for use in the current
official year be forwarded to the Director-General of Stores for very early compliance.

[Here enter No. 2365 W., dated 15th August 1896.]

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
,, Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. C. M. Thumbarwamy.

GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Government {1896} of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Recd.

Enclosures

} 1896.

Regd.

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Letter, No. 2365 W., 15th August 1896.

AUGUST.

Indent

Forwarding, for favour of very early compliance, an — for wrought iron hinges
urgently required for use on works in progress during the current official year.

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No. 2365 W., 15TH AUGUST 1896.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

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 STORES,
INDIA OFFICE, LONDON.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for favour of *very early* compliance, an indent, in duplicate, for wrought iron hinges urgently required for use on works in progress during the current official year.

2. The requisite certificate by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts relative to the provision of funds is endorsed on the original indent.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

OOTACAMUND,
15th August 1896.

Exd. C. M. Thumbuswamy.

No 84 S. of 1st August 1896

From H. A. Moss Esquire
Genl. Supt. P.W. Stores,

To the Supg. Engineer, V Circle

Sir,

I have the honour to submit a Special Indent No 10 for Wrought Iron Hinges required for immediate use from England and to request you will kindly arrange to telegraph to England for the same.

The stock of these hinges has been exhausted and the hinges available in the Local market are weak and will not stand the weight of such doors and windows as are now being prepared. We have a large number of doors and windows being made and expect indents for more to come. It is therefore considered necessary to get a supply of good hinges now from England.

I have &c

Signed - H. A. Moss

Genl. Supt. P.W. Stores.

No 226 W.

Enclosure

1 Indent in
triplicate

Copy submitted to the Chief Engineer P.W. Dept. with the request that arrangements may be made to telegraph to England for the hinges indented for, as they are urgently required for works in progress.

7th August
1896

Ch. Lamm
7/8/96
Col. R. E.
Supg. Engineer V Circle

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7.8.96

From
The Supt Engineer
3rd Circle
Encls 4 in triple

P. W. CURRENT No. 7195

To
The Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.
Quos: 10.8.96

Dated 7th August 1896
Recd.

Encls 1 Indent in triplets

A. 226 W.
Wrought Iron Bridges required
for immediate use from
England.

Submit a Special Indent
for - & requests to arrange
to Relegraph to England for
the same.

L.S. 320 1/15/8

NOTES.

Reference to P. W. D. Code.

Vol. I, Chapter X, paras. 83 to 86 and Appendix O.

1. All articles required for the public service, which cannot be manufactured in India, are, as an almost invariable rule, to be obtained by indenting on the Secretary of State. The Store Department at the India Office constitutes a special agency, which is maintained for the express purpose of purchasing stores in England on account of the Government of India, and, save in the special cases mentioned below, stores of European manufacture must not be bought in India, or obtained direct from Europe independently of the India Office.

2. The special cases in which, with the previous sanction of the Government of India or of the Local Government, as the case may be, stores of European manufacture may be obtained in India, are:—

- (a) When for any special reason it may be more economical to do so;
- (b) When stores indented for from England have not arrived, and inconvenience to the public service is anticipated from the delay in the supply;
- (c) When the stores are perishable.

3. Indents for public works stores, other than railway stores, so long as they are within the grant assigned for the purpose, should be sent direct by the Secretaries in the Public Works Department of the several Local Governments and Administrations to the India Office; three copies of printed and two of manuscript indents should be sent, and a copy be submitted to the Government of India.

Note.—Copies of indents chargeable to Provincial and Local Funds are not required to be sent to the Government of India.

4. This form of indent should invariably be adhered to, other modes of application being entirely discarded, and requisitions in the body of letters, which may be overlooked or misunderstood, being specially avoided.

5. The columns (which sufficiently explain their own meaning) must be filled up without alteration, and others are not to be substituted, any remarks that may be considered necessary being confined to the column for that purpose, which should contain every explanation that may guide in the supply and pattern of the articles required.

6. Where an established proportion for general stores has not yet been fixed, it should consist of three years' ordinary expenditure: the quantities in store at the date of requisition being added to the quantities due upon former indents, the difference between the aggregate of these two columns and the established proportion is the proper quantity to be asked for. This procedure if duly attended to, will always keep up an ample supply for general service; if, however, in exceptional circumstances, it is found desirable to exceed the established proportion, the reason for so doing must be inserted in the column of remarks. The calculation of the established proportion on the basis of three years' ordinary expenditure is not applicable in the case of railways.

7. The columns printed in red ink are to be left blank for completion in England.

8. In the column of remarks, the port to which stores are to be consigned should be stated, and also the names of the last two or three vessels whose consignments have been included in the quantity in store as shown in column 6.

9. Each indent must be accompanied by a certificate of the necessity for the stores indented for, and that they cannot be advantageously procured of local manufacture or from surplus stores of other departments, railways or administrations.

10. In the case of stores for imperial purposes (including all state railways) in a year not yet begun, the sanction of the Government of India must be obtained to the proposed allotment before the Examiner can give his certificate; but for stores for provincial services (except provincial state railways) the sanction of the Local Government or Administration will suffice for the Examiner.

11. When it is expected that the outlay will be provided partly in one year and partly in another, the following addition should be made to the Examiner's certificate—"and that the balance of the estimated outlay in England, or £ () will be provided by the Government of India in the estimates of the year 189 -9 . Vide Government of India letter No. dated

12. In preparing indents attention should be paid to the rules on the subject in appendix O. (P. W. Code, vol. I.)

Madras PROVINCE.

Annual indent on England for Stores.



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Special
Annual indent for Stores required in the P. W. Department Madras Presidency

* Imperial, Provincial, Local, Mysore, or Berar.
 † This column will be left blank, if the charge is not debitable to the Imperial revenues.
 ‡ These columns will be left blank for filling up in England.

Madras, for the service of the Indian Government.

Dated this fourth day of August 1896, at Macon

2. The Indent should be paged, and the signature attached to the last line of the Indent.
3. The quantities entered in the indent should invariably be given in English weights and measures.

I certify that funds to meet the outlay which it is estimated will be incurred in England in connection with this indent during the year 1896-97. (a) will be provided in the estimate of that year to the extent of £100 10-0 vide office letter no. 30890 of 14th August/96 from the Secy to Govt. P.W.D.

No. 2398 $\frac{2}{13}$ dated the 14 August 1895.

(iv) I. K. Gordon

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,

Madras Presidency Province.

* *Signature.*

† Frank.

(a) Here insert either "have been provided for in the estimates of the Public Works Department to the extent of £

" or

FURTHER PAPERS.

Public Works (1894) Department.

CURRENT No. 7421

Order

From

The Examiner P.W. Sects.
Madras.

No. 2398. J/B.

Dated 14 August 1896.

Received

Enclosures Nil.

Spare copies Nil.

SUBJECT.

Indent for English Stores
Forwarding — No. 10,
with the required certi-
ficate.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

From the Supdg. Engineer, V Circle, No. 226 A.D., 7 August 1896

From 8000 of Madras to Supg. Eng. (Vacuor)
Director Genl of Stores India Office
(Sanctioned)

Please send immediately.

(Expetere)

to Madras

(Hibridam)

wrought iron

(Allucita)

hinges.

of the following size

(Spintosi)

six inches

(Balbarum)

by

one inch

(Caprice)

$\frac{1}{4}$ inch

(Accersis)

1500

(Gilburn)

P. W. 40.
2,000-6-6-96

The following urgent
telegram will be despatched
to the Director General of Stores,
India Office, London.

a Please send immediately
to Madras wrought iron
hinges of the following size
six inches by one inch $\frac{1}{2}$
inch, 1500, four inch by
one inch, one thousand, three
inch by one inch, one thousand.
Indent will follow."

2. In the meantime, the
indent will be forwarded
to the Examiner of Public
Works

Works for the requisite
certificate as to funds.
The allotment of Rs 39,387
for "London Supplies" will
be augmented, later on,
if necessary.

Indent for hinges
four inch
(Carenten)
by
one inch
(Captruce)
one thousand
(Ancala)

three inch
(Balurram)

by
one inch
(Captruce)
one thousand
(Ancala)

Indent will follow
(Inflamus)

To the S. E. V Circle
" Exar P. W. Accts with
indent

N^o 2364 P. W. d/15 August 1896

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

From the S. E. V Circle No: 226 W d/7 August 1896.

" Exar P. W. Accts No: 2395 D. of the 8-26.

Ordered that the indent
for wrought iron hinges required for
use in the current official year be
forwarded to the Director General
of Stores for very early compliance.

H. E. No: 2365 W d/15 Aug 96

To the S. E. V Circle ✓
" Exar. of P. W. Accts ✓

Recd
26/8/96

To
The Director General of Stores,
India Office,
London.

Sir,

I am directed to forward for
favour of very early compliance,
an indent in duplicate for wrought
iron hinges urgently required for
use on works in progress during the
current official year.

2. The requisite certificate by the
Examiner of P. W. Accounts relative to
the provision of funds is endorsed on the
original indent.

I have &c

Note. The original indent has been
sent to the Examiner in view to his
furnishing the requisite certificate.

Special
 Indent for surgery
 hinges.

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W
 The Genl Supt
 P.W. stores submit an
 indent on England
 for wrought iron
 hinges, & requests
 Genl. to telegraph
 to England for the
 same.

Bill
 A draft
 telegram to England
 is submitted
 in which - it has been
 reduced to a few
 words as possible
 with the aid of
 the code, but
 notwithstanding this
 it will be an
 expensive one, viz.
 26 words costing
 72/3/5 (at 205.7 pence)
 P. 76/1/1
 It seems strange
 that the necessity
 for so large a sum

Despatches
 Show me
 before issuing
 P.W.
 15/8

Copy 1478

of ~~letters~~ ^{was} not
forseen when the
annual Home index
was sent, or at least
earlier in the year, so
that a special index
might be sent
without the necessity
for a telegram.

For orders.

C₂

10/8/96

^{in detail} ^{were sent by}
If the ^{most} ^{was} ^{not} ^{of}
^{most} ^{was} ^{as} ^{was} ^{the}
^{ought} ^{to} ^{be} ^{sent} ⁱⁿ
^{which} ^{was} ^{the} ^{latest}
^{copy} ^{of} ^{the} ^{is} ^{later}
^{was} ^{that} ^{the} ^{work}
In this matter ^{the} ^{work}
^{the} ^{work} ^{is} ^{the}
^{the} ^{work} ^{is} ^{the}

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12/8/96

There are a great many
buildings in progress, but
for which of these the bricks
are required, the General
Supt. does not say, and

If there is no information
in this office to show.
The telegram seems too
large to send for such
a purpose, and is likely
to attract attention at the
India office, even if
passed without remark
by the Local Govt. which
is not probable.

The incident showed,
apparently, go home in
the regular way, and
the General Supt. be called
on to explain why he
allowed his stock to
run into this way.

The budget was available
to him, and he should
have exercised some fore-
sight - but the fact prob-
ably is that the frequent
changes of Superintendents
is the cause of bad
management.

L.S.

12 Aug 96

Send matter in ordinary
way is sent

19/8/96

GENERAL.
ESTABLISHMENT.

Gobt. of {1896} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 5th.

Recd.

Encl.

No. 2259 W., 5th Aug. 1896.

AUGUST.

Indent

Forwarding an — for rolled steel girders required for improvements to the Taluk office at Negapatam, for favour of early completion.

No. 2259 W., 5TH AUGUST 1896.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

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 STORES,
INDIA OFFICE.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for favour of early compliance, an indent in duplicate for rolled steel girders required for improvements to the Taluk office at Negapatam. A statement showing the details of the girders also accompanies the indent.

2. The requisite certificate by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts in regard to provision of funds is endorsed on the original indent.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

OOTACAMUND,
5th August 1896.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.
Spare Copies

GENERAL.
ESTABLISHMENT.

Govt. of {1896} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 5th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O. No. 2258 W., 5th Aug. 1896.

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AUGUST.

Indent

Ordered that the — for rolled steel girders required for improvements to the Taluk office at Negapatam, be forwarded to the Director-General of Stores for compliance.