

Endorsement from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, on letter from the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, stating that the cost of the canal entrance into the harbour is an integral portion of the scheme for a —, communicated to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, for information and guidance.

No. 409 I., 11TH MAY 1896.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Irrigation.

READ—the following papers:—

Office-note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 20th February 1896, No. 464 D./A.

With reference to your official memo. No. 729 C., dated 8th February 1896, I beg to inform you that the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, has been addressed, as desired, and a copy of the letter is enclosed for your information.

ENCLOSURE.

Copy of letter from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, dated 18th February 1896, No. 128/A.

In forwarding (i) copy of G.O. No. $\frac{1084}{A}$ I., dated 14th December 1895, sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 9,50,000 for a canal from the Madras Harbour to the Buckingham Canal, and (ii) a copy of office-note No. 101 A., dated 6th February 1896, suggesting that the estimate was not complete and that the ultimate cost, including proposed additions, would possibly be in excess of the powers of sanction of the Local Government, and (iii) official memorandum from the Secretary to the Madras Government, Irrigation Branch, No. 729 C., dated 8th February 1896, requesting that a reference be made to you on the subject, I have the honour to request the favour of your informing me whether under operation of Public Works Code, II, VI, 6, it would be correct to accept the sanction of the Local Government to the estimate for the project as it now stands omitting the cost of the canal entrance into the harbour which, it is stated, will be met by the Harbour Trust Board out of a contribution to be paid by Government from Provincial Funds.

From A. R. BECHER, Esq., Officiating Accountant-General, Public Works Department (Irrigation), to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated Calcutta, the 23rd March 1896, No. 11 I.

In reply to your letter No. 128 A., dated 18th February 1896, I have the honour to state that, in my opinion, the cost of the canal entrance into the harbour is an integral portion of the canal scheme, and its cost should therefore be included in that scheme.

No. 949 D./A.

For perusal and favour of return.

A copy of my letter No. 128 A., dated 18th February 1896, was forwarded to you with my office-note No. 464 D./A., dated 20th February 1896.

1st April 1896.

(Signed) D. C. GORDON,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

No. 409 I., 11th May 1896.

ORDER—No. 409 I., dated 11th May 1896.

Communicated to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, for information and guidance, in continuation of G.O. No. 190 I., dated 21st February 1896.

(True Extract.)

Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.,
Irrigation Branch.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. *II*
 " Superintending Engineer, ~~II~~ Circle.
 " Executive Engineer, Buckingham Canal Division.
 " Marine Department.
 " Financial Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.
Spare Copies

A/ No. 409 I. dt 11th May 1896.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
IRRIGATION BRANCH.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the

READ the following

From the Examiner of P.W. Accounts—Office note No. 464 D.A.
 dated 20-2-96
 Office note No. 949 D.A.
 dated 1-4-96.

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Communicated to
 the Chief Engr. for Irr.
 for information and
 guidance in continua-
 tion of G.O. No. 190 I. dated
 21st February 1896.

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To the Chief Engr. for Irr.
 " S. E. II Circle
 " Ex Engr. Buckingham
 Canal Div.
 " Marine Dept.
 " Financial Dept.

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16. 11. 1895
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Scheme for Canal from
Madras Harbour to the Buckingham
Canal to include the cost of
the Canal entrance into the
Harbour.

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dated 189 .

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1000-9-12-95

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 OF MADRAS.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS,

Madras, 20th February 1896.

OFFICE NOTE No. 4641 D/A

To
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With reference to your official memo No. 729 C. dated 8th. February 1896, I beg to inform you that the Accountant General, P.W. Department has been addressed as desired, and a copy of the letter is enclosed for your information.

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Copy of letter from the Examiner, P.W. Accounts, Madras. to the Accountant General P.W. Department No. 128 A dated 18th February 1896.

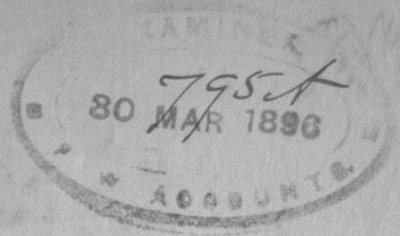
In forwarding (i) copy of G.O. No. ^A1084 I dated 14th December 1895 sanctioning ^{an} estimate of Rs. 950000 for a canal from the Madras Harbour to the Buckingham Canal and (II) a copy of Office Note No. 101 A dated 6th February 1896 suggesting that the estimate was not complete and that the ultimate cost, including proposed additions, would possibly be in excess of the powers of sanction of the Local Government, (III) Official Memorandum from the Secretary to the Madras Government, Irrigation Branch No. 729 C dated 8th February 1896 requesting that a reference be made to you on the subject, I have the honour to request the favor of ^{your} informing me whether under operation of P.W. Code II, VI, 3 it would be correct to accept the sanction of the Local Government to the estimate for the project as it now stands omitting the cost of the Canal Entrance into the Harbour which, it is stated, will be met by the Harbour Trust Board out of a contribution to be paid by Government from Provincial Funds.

(True Copy)

Abraham Jacob
An Superintendent of Routine Branch.
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All communications
should be addressed to
the Accountant General.

No. 11 I.



ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Irrigation.

To The Examiner of
Public Works accounts,
Madras.

Calcutta, the 23rd March, 1896.

Sir,
In reply to your letter no. 1284
dated 18th February 1896, I have the honour to
state that in my opinion the cost of the canal
entrance into the harbour is an integral
portion of the canal scheme, and its cost
should therefore be included in that scheme.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
W. S. S. S.
Offg. Accountant General.

H. S.
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Documents accompanying
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N. 949 ^D/_A of 1st April 1896

To I X B R 80

For perusal and favor of
return.

A copy of my letter N. 1208
of 10. 2. 96 was forwarded to you
with my Office Note N. 464
of 20. 2. 96.

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[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes and signatures]

James Case
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