Public Works (1896) Department.

G.O., No. 971 W

Dated 18-3-96

[Despatch Abstract.]

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No. 971-W., 18TH MARCH 1896.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

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From O. C. LEES, Esq., Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Civil Works—Buildings), to the Joint-Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Calcutta, the 12th March 1896, No. 91 B.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 638 W., dated the 21st February 1896, requesting that the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras, may be authorized to admit the necessary charges on account of the maintenance of fruit trees in the compounds of certain Government buildings in the Kistna district which are occupied as residences.

2. In reply, I am to say that the Government of India consider that the maintenance charges must be treated as part of the repair charges of the houses and should therefore be covered by the rent or revenue realized. If this view be accepted by His Excellency the Governor in Council, I am to add that sanction to the outlay on the maintenance of the fruit trees can be accorded by the Local Government in exactly the same way as sanctions to outlay on all other repairs.

ORDER—No. 971 W., dated 18th March 1896.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, with refernce to G.O. No. 3252 W., dated 19th December 1895.

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(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, II Circle.
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Sir,

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A. C. Lees

Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Documents accompanying :-

Nil.

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