

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 3 W

DATED 4 January

[Despatch Abstract.]

Uncommenced Works, stating that the Govt
is not at present disposed to make any
allotments for — and that the demand for funds
for certain work at the Govt Leprosy Hospital, Madras
should be renewed after the restriction on expenditure
is withdrawn.

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Public Works (1896) Department.

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Order *25.12.96*

As it has been decided ~~from~~
to restrict expenditure on works
not intended for Famine Relief;
the Govt. is not at present disposed
to make any allotments for un-
commenced works. The demands
should be renewed after the
restriction is withdrawn.

*The Consulting Architect
to the Government
of Madras*

No. 4636

Dated 17th December 1896

Received 18.12.96

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25/12/96

SUBJECT.

*Reporting the amount
that can be spent on
building an upper story
to Female Ward Lying
Hospital, during the
current official year.*

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The Consulting Architect to Govt

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Office of the Consulting Architect to Govt.
Chopank, Madras,
17th December 1896.

From *H. S. J. Harris Esq.*
Henry Swin, Esq., C. S. C.,
Consulting Architect
to the Government of Madras,

To
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department

Sir,

x original
with Encl 11253

Enclosures.

With reference to para 2 of L.O
No 3302 w dated 18th November 1896, I have the
honour to report that if the execution of the
work is immediately sanctioned, a sum
of Rs 1500/ can be spent thereon, during the
current official year.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

Ch. Davis

Consulting Architect to Govt.

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Government { 1896 } of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

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G.O., No. 3302 W., 18th November 1896.

NOVEMBER.

Government Leper Hospital, Madras

Returning to the Consulting Architect, for report on certain point, an estimate of Rs. 7,190 for building an upper story to female ward at the —, and sanctioning the estimate of Rs. 2,700 for constructing a laundry in the hospital.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

From the Consulting Architect to Government, dated 7th September 1896, No. 2974.

From Surgeon-Colonel D. F. BATEMAN, Acting Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 21st September 1896, No. 441.

I have the honour to submit, for the sanction of Government, the accompanying plans and estimates for the erection of an upper story to the European female ward to accommodate native females and a laundry in the Government Leper Hospital, Madras, at an estimated cost of Rs. 7,190 and 2,671, respectively.

2. In my letter, No. 569, dated 19th December 1895, I forwarded a list of these works in addition to those proposed to be carried out during the current year, and they appear in class I-B of the Final issue of the Public Works Department budget communicated to this office in endorsement order, No. 537, dated 16th May 1896. The works are absolutely necessary—the former to prevent the great over-crowding which at present exists in the institution; and as regards the latter the washing at present is conducted in a small ill-ventilated building which was formerly a bath-room attached to a latrine, and as it is most advisable that a leper institution should have its own laundry, this work is one that is urgently required.

No. 2012, Public.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

OOTACAMUND,
5th October 1896.(Signed) A. T. ARUNDEL,
Ag. Chief Secretary.*Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.*

Upper Story to Female Ward.—It is not considered safe to construct an upper story over foundations so slight as those existing, particularly as the soil is shown as sandy clay; and the weakness of these foundations is accentuated by the fact that more substantial foundations are allowed for the Leper Hospital laundry where the walls proposed are only 13 feet high, whereas those of the female ward would be 30 feet above basement. Therefore, this portion of the estimate should be abandoned unless the Consulting Architect can give good reasons for the foundations being sufficient.

Laundry in the Government Leper Hospital.—The corrugated iron roof over the boiler is too low. The headway should be altered from 5 feet to 6 feet. To provide for this alteration, the estimate is raised to Rs. 2,700.

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Col., R.E.,
Chief Engineer,
11th November 1896.

ORDER—No. 3302 W., dated 18th November 1896.

With the papers recorded above, the undermentioned estimates in connection with the Government Leper Hospital at Madras have been received :—

	RS.
(a) Building an upper story to female ward	7,190
(b) Constructing a laundry	2,671

The estimate for item (a) is returned to the Consulting Architect for report on the point raised by the Chief Engineer in paragraph 1 of his note quoted above. The estimate for item (b) has been raised to Rs. 2,700 by the Chief Engineer and is sanctioned for the altered amount.

2. The Consulting Architect will report the amount that can be spent on the latter work during the current year.

3. The sanction accorded in paragraph 1 has been registered as Provincial No. 111 W. of 1896-97, and classified as Civil Buildings—Original Works.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Architect to Government, with eleven enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Public Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.