

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 1091W

DATED 27th April 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Rent

Proceedings Judicial Dept approving the proposals of the Inspector Genl of Police that the — now charged for the occupation of ^{the present} buildings by the special force at Malappuram in the Malabar District may be foregone & considering that the new quarters should be completed as soon as possible, recorded.

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The Judicial Dept.

No. 441.

Dated 21st March 1897.

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SUBJECT,

Approving the proposals of the I. & O. Police that the rent now charged for the occupation of buildings by the special force at Mallapuram in the Malabar District may be foregone & considering that the new quarters should be completed as soon as possible.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following paper:—

From the Inspector-General of Police, No. 624, dated 19th February 1897:—

I have the honour to ask that until new buildings are erected for the Malapuram special force in Malabar the rent now charged for the occupation of the present buildings or rather ruins may be foregone.

2. The temporary buildings were constructed in the years 1885-86 at a cost of Rs. 6000 in the following scale:—

Guard room	Rs. 1,000
Inspector's quarters	1,000
4 European Head Constables' quarters	1,440
Cook-room and latrine	300
Clearing and Contingency	260
	<u>Rs. 3,900</u>
75 Constables' huts	2,100
Total	<u>Rs. 6,000</u>

Rent is recovered from the occupants at the rates fixed, the monthly rental amounting to Rs. 51-6.

3. Permanent quarters and huts for the special force have been sanctioned and the estimates for the work are also approved of by Government but estimates are not finally sanctioned by the Public Works Department owing to the question of rent but the work will, I hope, be begun after the question of rent is decided by Government of India.

4. The Superintendent now reports that the temporary thatched huts are in a very bad state and suggests that rent should not be collected from the occupants from 1st January 1897 for reasons stated by him. I think the Superintendent is right. The buildings are really not fit to live in; they are eaten through with white ants, very damp and most uncomfortable in every way. The men have continually to spend small sums of their own in repairing the huts and considering

that the accommodation is so very bad it is, I think, very hard to charge rent any longer on its account. I hope the new buildings will be proceeded with as soon as possible and that in the meanwhile the rent now charged be given up.

O R D R R :- No. 441, dated 26th March 1897

The Inspector-General's proposal is approved.

3. The Government considers that these quarters for the special force at Mallapuram should be completed as soon as possible and the Public Works Department will be requested to forward an early reply to G.O., No. 931 Judicial, dated 8th June 1896 asking if the estimate cannot be reduced and to arrange to make provision for the execution of the work from savings of the Reserve.

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(True Extract)

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for Chief Secretary.

To

The Accountant-General
--- Public Works Department ✓
--- Inspector-General of Police

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