

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 1559 W

DATED 9 June 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Supervision of Relief works: Pro. Revenue  
Dept. directing that a telegram be sent to  
the Govt of India stating that the Madras  
Govt is trying to get officers locally for the  
— from other departments and that there  
is no immediate necessity for aid from  
outside, Recorded

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## GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

## REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following telegram from the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department, dated Simla, the 13th May 1897:—

Your monthly famine telegram of 5th instant reports that relief arrangements are restricted in parts by want of subordinate officers. Government India desire to know whether difficulty is serious and if so whether we can afford you any assistance in the matter. We are arranging to supply Bengal Government with a large number of non-commissioned officers and men of British and officers of Native army for appointment as subordinate officers relief works. Would similar expedients be useful in Madras.

ORDER—No. 362, Revenue, dated 20th May 1897.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered that the following telegram be sent to the Government of India:—

"Your telegram 13 regarding army officers for supervision relief works. Government trying to get officers locally from other departments. No immediate necessity for aid from outside. Will apply as soon as it is found that external help is needed."

(True Extract.)

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for Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement,  
Land Records and Agriculture).  
,, the Public Works Department.

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