

Public Works (1897) Department.

Urgent

G.O., No. 2163 W

DATED

7 August 97

[Despatch Abstract.]

*Famine Relief works. Pro: Financial
Department requesting the Accountant
General to place Rs 50000 at the
disposal of the P.W. Department for
at Vizagapatnam, contd. to the
officer concerned*

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From

The Financial Dept

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No. 590

Dated 27th July 1897

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SUBJECT.

Directing the acct^y Gen^l
to place 50000. at the
disposal of the Board
for famine relief works
at Vizagapatam

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G.O., No. 595, 30th July 1897.

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Famine Relief.

Directing the Accountant-General to place a sum of Rs. 50,000 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for certain — works indicated by the Collector of Vizagapatam.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., No. 590, Financial, dated 29th July 1897.

ABSTRACT.—Recording Proceedings, Revenue Department, requesting the Famine Commissioner to submit early a revised forecast of famine expenditure, and also letter from the Government of India sanctioning an additional grant of 14.96 lakhs of rupees for famine expenditure in Madras during 1897-98.

READ—also the following papers :—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 7th July 1897, Mis. No. 5051.

Read—the following telegram from the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 6th July 1897 :—

“Request a further grant of Rs. 1,00,000 for relief works under Public Works Department. Amount recommended in Board's Proceedings, No. 3699, dated 22nd May last, exhausted.”

Resolution—dated 7th July 1897, Mis. No. 5051.

Submitted for the orders of Government. The Board has received to-day a report from the Collector pointing out that prices have gone up 25 per cent. in the last fortnight, that ragi is now at 11 seers per rupee, and that a large and immediate expansion of relief works is inevitable unless favourable rain falls at once. The Board considers the grant must be made.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Endorsement No. 1297-R.

Transferred to the Financial Department.

12th July 1897.

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 12th July 1897, Mis. No. 5224.

Read—the following telegram from the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 7th July 1897 :—

“Government sanction for transfer of funds * to Public Works Department (*vide* Board's Proceedings, No. 3622, dated 22nd May last) not received. Solicit early orders.”

* Rs. 66,000.

Resolution—dated 12th July 1897, Mis. No. 5224.

Submitted to Government.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Endorsement No. 1334-R., dated 16th July 1897.

Telegram from the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, dated 16th July 1897.

Telegram from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated 18th July 1897.

Your wire 16th. One lakh required in addition to famine budget grant 83,000 already spent.

Memorandum.

The budget grant for the Vizagapatam division under “33. Famine Relief” is Rs. 46,000; but it will be seen from the accompanying telegram from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, that Rs. 83,000 has already been spent and that one lakh is now required in addition to the budget grant. This amount cannot be provided from the Public Works assignment without stopping ordinary works.

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Col., R.E.,
19th July 1897. Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

ORDER—No. 595, Financial, dated 30th July 1897.

An allotment of 50 should suffice for the present for the famine-relief works indicated by the Collector, and the Accountant-General will be requested to place this sum at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.
“ Public Works Department.
“ Revenue Department.
“ Famine Commissioner.
“ Collector of Vizagapatam.
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following paper^s:-

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, Madras, No.5051, dated 7th July 1897:-

Read the following telegram from the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 6th July 1897:-

Request a further grant of Rupees 100,000 for relief works under Public Works Department. Amount recommended in Board's Proceedings No.5699, dated 22nd May last exhausted.

Resolution

Submitted for the orders of Government. The Board has received today a report from the Collector pointing out that prices have gone up 25 per cent in the last fortnight, that ragi is now at 11 seers per rupee and that a large and immediate expansion of relief works is inevitable unless favourable rain falls at once. The Board considers the grant must be made.

Endorsement of the Revenue Department thereon, R.No.1297, dated 12th July 1897:-

Transferred to the Financial Department.

Memorandum from the Public Works Department, dated 19th July 1897.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement
Land Records and Agriculture, No.5224, dated 12th July 1897:--

Read the following telegram from the Collector of
Vizagapatam dated 7th July 1897:--

Government sanction for transfer of funds to Public ^{Rs.} 66,000
Works Department vide Board's Proceedings No.5622 dated 22nd
May last not received. Solicit early orders.

Resolution

Submitted to Government

Endorsement of the Revenue Department thereon,
No.1534 R, dated 16th July 1897:--

Transferred to the Financial Department in continua-
tion of endorsement No.2423, dated 15th May 1897, and with re-
ference to G.O.No.470 Financial, dated 12th June 1897.

ORDER, No. 590, dated 29 July 1897

A n allotment of .50 should suffice
for the present for the famine relief works indicated by the
Collector and the Accountant General will be requested to place
this sum at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

/True Extract/

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For Chief Secretary

To *Mm*
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The Public Works Department ✓

" Accountant General

" Revenue Department

" Famine Commissioner

" Collector, Vizagapatam