

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 632 R

DATED 9 September 1977

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2nd Road from Chinnampet Station to Thakkolam

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 Lt Board North Arcot stating that funds are not
 available for the construction of the proposed H.
 with the remark that no grant from Provincial
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 the road, Com to: the Agent of the Agency charges

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From The Local + Mun Depart

Order No. 632 R dated 9.9.97.

Communicated
to the Agent & Manager
Madras Railway with refer.
ence to his letter No. 8662
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of 4 March 1897.

No. 1645 L.Mis

Dated 30. 8. 97

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SUBJECT.

Railway Feeder Roads.

Coming to the P.W.D. with
remark, letter from the
President, Bd Board, N. Area
reporting that funds are
not available for the con-
struction of the proposed
feeder road from the
Chinnamapet Ry. Station
to Thak. Kolana.

To
the Comptroller for Ry.
Agent Man. M. R.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following paper:—

Memo: From the Public Works Department, No. 1331 C, dated 9th March 1897, referring letter from ^{the} Agent, Madras Railway, enquiring when the proposed feeder road from Chinnamapet, ^{station} to Thakkolam will be undertaken by ^{the} Ranipettai Taluk Board.

Letter from the President, Taluk Board, Ranipettai, North Arcot, Dis. No. 522 of 97 dated 21st April 1897.

With reference to your endorsement No. 368 dated 20th March 1897 on the memorandum No.1331 G dated 9th March 1897 of the officiating joint Secretary to Government, Public Works Department appended to the letter No.8662/200 dated 4th March 1897 of the acting Agent and Manager of the Madras Railway Company, I have the honour to inform you that the Board is not prepared to undertake the work in question as there are no funds available.

Indorsement of the Local and Municipal Department, No. 696
dated 25th June 1897.

The District Board is requested to state whether the construction of the road in question cannot be undertaken from the large balance of Rs 52040 available for general purposes with which the budget for 1897-98 is expected to close the year, especially in view of the fact that the allotment for communications provided therein falls short of the minimum ~~as~~ prescribed in G.O.No. 1686 L dated 14th September 1895 by Rs 8630-Vide paragraph 4 (2) of G.O. No.541 L dated 18th March 1897.

With reference to Memo. No.696/25-6-97, I have the honour to enclose copy of the resolution of the District Board.

2. Taking the opening balance as shown in the supplemental Treasury account for March 1897 (the Accountant General's finally audited figures have not yet been received) and after the necessary allotment to the Ranipettai Taluk Board referred to in the resolution, the balance remaining to the District Board available for general purposes (excluding the working balance which it is not allowed to draw upon) is Rs 5520. To this, however, should properly be added a sum of about Rs 10100 representing a kist of land cess postponed in the North Palar taluks of the district which was not collected last year and reduces pro tanto the opening balance which it will increase the receipts of the current year by an equal amount.

3. The District Board did not consider it right to expend on the object proposed a sum of Rs 4000 out of this comparatively small balance because in addition to the usual expenditure from the balance, it will, unless the season changes, be necessary to make allotments to Taluk Boards for the improvement of water supply in the district, which is at present bad. They further considered that if the road were made the taluk Board could not keep it up considering its finances which they have had to supplement.

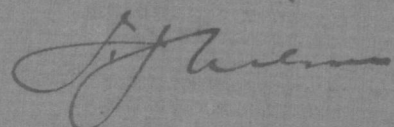
4. The heavy expenditure entailed by the plague camp at Arkonam has crippled the resources of the Board.

Order No. 1645 L. Vis., dated 30th August 1897.

The President's letter, read above will be communicated to the Public Works Department.

2. In the present state of the Provincial finances, no grant can be made for the construction of the road in question.

(True extract)



for Secretary to Government.

To

The Public Works Department.

,, President, District Board, North Arcot.

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