Public Works (1898) Department.

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G.O., No. 1911 W

DATED 29 July 98

[Despatch Abstract.]

European Stores: The local purchase of Portland cement required for the improvements to the iron pipe sewer in the lake at Ootacamund, the [illegible] Water works, sanctioned

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[P. W. 27. / 1,000–23-6-98.]

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CURRENT No. 5744

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Order

The local purchase of 70 barrels of Portland Cement is sanctioned.

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Cy 18.7.98

20.7.98

From The Sanitary Engineer
5th Circle

No. 1378

note. The India office price of the Portland cement has been obtained from the P.W. Stores — It is Rs 2-14 less than the price paid by the Sanitary Engr. — It is stated that the cement was urgently required for the improvements to the iron pipe sewer in the [illegible], & for the water works, & it is proposed to sanction the application —

The General Supdt P.W. Stores says that he can supply Indian cement if required, but the English cement [illegible] been purchased some time also — Messrs Arbuthnot & Co have prices are undertaking to

Dated 6th July 1898.

Received 11.7.98

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SUBJECT.

70 Barrels of Portland Cement.

Submitting the application for sanction to the local purchase of — with the [illegible] cert.

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the Supt of Lighthouses to supply Madras Portland Cement of excellent quality at a much cheaper rate than cement can be obtained from England. they also undertake to allow the cement to be tested, and to take back any cement that does not pass the required test. Mr Ashpitel, who is carrying out elaborate tests, will report further on the matter, and if his report is satisfactory, it will be quite worth while to obtain cement generally from Messrs Arbuthnot, & to have a special subordinate in Madras to carry out the necessary tests.

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16-7-98.

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2280W	27-5-97 (")
724W	12-8-97 (")

The local purchase of the cement for which sanction is now asked was unavoidable for 2 reasons

(1) the work was urgent & there was no time to get it from England

(2) Mr Somers Eve was working in water, & wanted a quick-setting cement, which Madras cement is not, whatever other good qualities it possesses.

20-7-98

[illegible] PW

Office of the Executive Engineer
on Special Duty,

No. 100.

Ootacamund, 1st June ~~May~~ 1898.

From,

J. F. Somers Eve, Esq.,
Executive Engineer,
on Special Duty,

To,

The Superintending Engineer
Fourth Circle.

Sir,

With reference to your No. 268/M, dated 23rd April 1898 herewith returned, I have the honor to forward an application in the prescribed form for the purchase of 70 barrels of Portland cement locally, and to request you will be good enough to obtain early sanction of Government thereto.

Enclosure one

x not received

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedt. servant,
J. F. Somers Eve
Executive Engineer
on Special Duty.

No. 297/W

Submitted to the Chief Engineer P.W.D. for favor of sanction.

Supdg Engineer 4th Circle

Coimbatore
4th June 1898

SUPG. ENGINEER'S OFFICE, M.D., FOURTH CIRCLE.
No. 461. M
4 JUN. 98

PUBLIC WORKS STORES DIVL. OFFICE, MADRAS.
Regd. No. 8956
24 JUN. 1898

From,

J. F. Somers Eve Esq.,
Executive Engineer,
on special Duty.

Dated 1st } June 1898.
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No. 100.

Enclosure one.

70 Barrels of Portland Cement

Forwards for sanction an application in the prescribed form for the purchase of — in the local market.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE, V. CIRCLE, P.W.D., MADRAS.
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SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE, V. CIRCLE, P.W.D.
No. 5831 W
17 JUN 1898

PUBLIC WORKS STORES DIVL. OFFICE, MADRAS.
Regd. No. 8956
24 JUN. 1898

CURRENT No. ~~494~~ 5.3 5744/58

From The Supg. Engineer 4th Circle.

~~Order~~ Govt. No. 2869 C dt. 15/6/98

No. 297/W

Dated 6th June 1898

Received }
Registered } 11. 6. 98

Enclosures One.

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SUBJECT.

European Stores.

Submits for favor of sanction application for local purchase of certain —

Forwarded to the Supg. Engr. V Circle with the request that the "estimated cost if obtained from the India office" may be entered in the statement. It should also ~~be reported~~ be stated if the cement can be supplied from the P. W. Stores.

A. C. Russell
Under Secy. to Govt.

17.6.98

Cy. No. 252 P.W.S.

Forwarded to the Genl. Supt. P.W. Stores for compliance, and return

Colonel R.E.
Supg. Engr. V Circle

22/23 June /98.

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Copy of a letter from H. A. Moss Esquire, General Superintendent, P. W. Stores, to the Superintending Engineer 5 Circle. No. 79 S.E. 5 dated 29 June 1898.

I have the honour to return herewith application for sanction to the local purchase of 70 barrels of Portland Cement forwarded with your No. 252 P.W.S. dated 22nd June 1898 with the estimated cost of English Portland Cement filled in as requested. English Cement is not available in these stores but the cement manufactured in the Madras Cement Works can always be supplied if desired.

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No. 437 W.

Enclosure: 1
P.W. No. 2869 C. / 15.6.98

To the Chief Engineer, P. W. Department, with reference to his No. 2869 C. dated 15 June 1898 herewith returned.

Colonel R.E.
Offg. Supg. Engineer 5 Circle

Dated 6th July 1898.

15.7.98

Public Works (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 6528

From The Examiner, P. W. Accts, Madras.

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No. 941 St/A

Dated 5th August 1898
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SUBJECT.

European stores required for Coimbatore Dn. — Returns duly noted the list sanctioning the local purchase of —

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Application for sanction to the local purchase of European Stores under paragraph 3, Appendix X, Vol: II, P.W. Code.

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17 JUN 1898

Description or class of Stores	Number or Quantity	Actual Cost in India			Estimated cost if obtained through the India office			Work for which the Stores are required	Clear & concise explanation as to why the Stores could not have been obtained by indent on England.	Clause under which sanction is applied for.	Remarks.
		Average price or rate	Incidental charges carriage &c.	Total cost	Average price or rate	Incidental charges freight & exchange	Total cost.				
Portland Cement	70 Barrels	Rs. a. P. ~~692-6-11~~ 679-2-5	Rs. a. P. 415-1-0	Rs. a. P. 1094-3-5	- 300	- 550	- 880	Improving the Iron Pipe Sewer in the Lake & Water Supply Ootacamund.	As cement was urgently required, there was no time to obtain it from England.	Clause 3.	Note. The last consignment of cement obtained locally was a little cheaper than that obtained from England thro' the P. W. Stores. The price has risen both here & in England since then

Ootacamund
~~[illegible]~~ 1st June 1898.

I certify that the articles enumerated in this application are not available in the Presidency Public Works Stores.

J. F. Somers, Enl.
Executive Engineer
on Special Duty.

EXAMINER,
P. W. ACCOUNTS.
1 - AUG. 1898
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No. 261 M
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24 JUN 1898
MADRAS

Enclo: No. 1 to Endt. No. 2 9/7

No. 941 A/A dated 5th August 1898.

To

Sr.

Noted and returned with reference to foot note in G. O. No. 1911 W dated 29 July 1898.

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