

Public Works (1898) Department.

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1948 W

DATED

4 August '98

[Despatch Abstract.]

European Stores. The local purchase of Castan
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to report the Cause of difference in cost between
prices of paint in England & India.

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requisition from Officers of the Dept. for European stores, & a separate file will be submitted shortly showing the delay in the despatch from England of stores demanded in indent from Madras. It is proposed to make a representation on this subject to the Dir. General of Stores.		1106W 3-5-98 557C 28-1-98 2127C 13-4-97	
Meanwhile the present appreciation from the Consulting Architect may be sanctioned - The local price quoted by him is considerably higher than the estimated cost if obtained through the India Office but my Honor says that the paint which he wishes to buy is of a superior quality -			
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			The difference in cost is very unimportant & I believe the paint to be the same. W. J. Charlton Ct. - 1st

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OFFICE OF THE CONSULTING ARCHITECT
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
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Copy of a communication from the General Superintendent
P. W. Workokopo Madras to the Consulting Architect
to Government, No. 15CA dated 15th July 1898.

With reference to your letter
No. 1071 of 8th July 1898, I have the honour
to inform you that Fine white paint is
not now in stock, & we have provided for
the same in both annual & special Indents
for the current official year, and the paint
is expected to arrive at Madras between
September & December next, but we have no
means of telling the exact date as it is
not yet in the Bi. monthly return.

(Draught)

W. J. Charlton

Consulting Architect to Govt

No. 1261

Office of the Consulting Architect to Govt.,
Chennai, Madras,
22 July 1898.

From

G. I. T. Harris, Esq.,
Consulting Architect
to the Government of Madras,

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras.

Sir,

2 Enclosures.

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I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to obtain sanction of Government for the local purchase of the paints detailed in the accompanying statement. I have explained fully the necessity for such a purchase in my letter No 114 of 21 April 1898. I enclose a copy of letter No 15 CA of 15 July 1898 from the General Superintendent P. W. Stores Madras, for information.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

G. I. T. Harris

Consulting Architect to Govt.

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Public Works (1898) Department.

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From

E. A. Denny's Esq.
Ex. P. W. Accounts,
Madras & Comp

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Order

File with
No. 1945W of 4.8.98.

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Dated 9. August 1898

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Registered } 10.8.98

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SUBJECT.

Statement shewing the local
purchase of English stores re-
quired for Consulting Architect
Division — Returns noted
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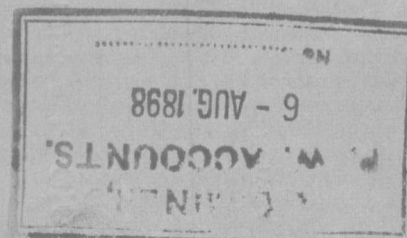
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CONSULTING ARCHITECT DIVISION.

Application for sanction to the local purchase of European Stores under paragraph 3, Appendix X, Vol II, P.W. Code (see Appendix A to G.O., No. 724 W., dated 12th March 1897).

Description or class of stores.	Number or quantity.	Actual cost in India.			Estimated cost if obtained through the India Office.			Works for which the stores are required.	Clear and 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 and ex-charge.	Total cost.				
Imperial Fine White Paint ready mixed	40	31.8-0		1260	365	270-6-8	735-6-8		There is none in B.N. stores & the General Superintendent says that the paint is expected to arrive between Sept & December or to 31st March. It is necessary to facing up & several of the works require painting urgently & will suffer if not painted.		The paint is to be purchased from Messrs. B.N. & Co. & is of a superior quality.
White lead	10	28-0-0		280	85	84-12-8	164-12-8				

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

CONSULTING ARCHITECT'S OFFICE,
Chennai, 21 July 189

Consulting Architect to Government.