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Public Works (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 773 W
DATED 22nd March 1898.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Incomplete Payments. Pro: Revenue Dept. regarding Board
Pro: Submitting letter from the Collector of Maddurah
regarding the complaint of - on the work performed
by the P.W.D. recorded.

22.3.98.

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From

The Rev. Dept.

Order

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No. 1207 Lris.

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Dated 9 March '98.

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Enclosures

The Executive Engineer's remarks which are replied to by the Collector are not available. Spare copies they were transferred to the Revenue Dept. in original. It is perhaps not necessary to forward the correspondence.

SUBJECT.

Recording B.P. sub-
missing letter from the
Coll. of Cuddapah re
the complaint of irregular
payments on works pro-
ferred by the P.W.D.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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L.P. WD

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 original to
 the Revenue
 Dept with
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Deputy Collector, Cuddapah Division, also noticed that there was unpunctuality in sending vouchers on the Pragudipad work and asked the Assistant Engineer to instruct officers in charge of other works to follow the same course. The above correspondence shows that delays in payments were caused by unpunctuality on the part of D.P.W. subordinates. The papers are herewith forwarded for the perusal of the Board and Government and eventual return. As for the want of supply of small coin, I have to state that proper precautions were taken and orders issued to the Treasury Deputy Collector to keep the Sub-treasuries sufficiently supplied with small coin. The allegations about want of forms and a copy of Appendix VI to the Famine Code referred to by the Executive Engineer are due to some misapprehension, as there was sufficient stock of them in the Collector's office and as all Tahsildars were duly given the required number of forms and copies of instructions whenever a work was newly opened in their taluks.

2. With reference to para 4 of the B.P., I have to bring to the notice of the Board and Government that the statement of the Executive Engineer that the kitchens in this district were stated by the District Medical and Sanitary officer to be a scandal is without any foundation whatever. The reports received from the District Medical and Sanitary officer from time to time on the state of kitchens in this district have been on the contrary exceedingly favorable. Copies of these reports were forwarded to the Famine Commissioned by the District Medical and Sanitary officer. The statement made by the Executive Engineer seems to have been most hastily made.

RESOLUTION. - Submitted to Government, with reference to G.O. No. 3484 Mis. Rev. 3/8th July 1897. *X not comm. 6860*

ORDER thereon No. 1207 Mis. 3/9th March 1898.

Recorded.

(True extract)

W. Marjantbank

For Ag. Secy. to Government.

Bd. of Rev. (Sett. &c.)
Works Dept.