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Simla, the 28th July 1899.

The Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department.
The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Railway Branch.
The Secretaries to the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.
The Secretaries to the Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab, Public Works Department.
The Secretaries to the Government of Burma, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.
The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Assam, and Coorg.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor General for Central India, Rajputana, and Baluchistan.
The Director of Railway Construction.
The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Lucknow, and Assam.

officers noted on the margin for information and guidance, with the request that the Director General's wishes in the matter may be complied with as far as practicable.

By order,

D. C. Lees

Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 51 T., dated Simla, the 6th July 1899.

From—The Director General of Telegraphs,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department.

I have the honour to suggest that Railway Administrations be called upon to give the Telegraph Department ample notice of their requirements in the way of extra wires, etc., on existing lines in time, if possible, for inclusion in the Budget of the ensuing year, and thus obviate the difficulty now frequently experienced in providing funds for unforeseen works.

2. A case has just occurred in which the Agent, East Indian Railway, has applied for the provision of 3 wires for the new block instruments which the railway intend to introduce between Howrah and Asansol; the wire on section Howrah to Burdwan to be ready by 1st October and that on section Burdwan to Asansol by January next, involving the provision of 400 miles of wire and heavy reconstruction for 130 miles of line. There is no provision for the work in the Budget of the Telegraph Department for 1899-1900, and the Agent has been asked, through the Consulting Engineer, to apply to the Government of India for sanction to the same.

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To The Secretary to the Government of Madras
Public Works Department.