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Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 2702 W

DATED 12 Oct 98

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Record rooms.

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No. 2702 W., 12TH OCTOBER 1899.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers:—

Procs. of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), Mis. No. 3841, dated 25th Aug. 1899.
Endorsement of the Revenue Department, dated 5th September 1899, Mis. No. 3186.

ORDER—No. 2702 W., dated 12th October 1899.

In paragraph 7(3) of G.O., No. 3163 W., dated 9th December 1898, it was ordered that, in future, record-rooms should have nothing inflammable in their construction, i.e., roof trusses and framing and the record racks should be of iron, and the doors and windows should be iron-barred, with wooden shutters, if necessary, opening outwards.

2. In its resolution read above, the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), represents that it is unnecessary to make this order cover the small isolated offices in salt factories or preventive circles, which are most of them tiled and as far as possible outside the municipal limits and generally held in Inspectors' houses. The Board accordingly suggests that the order in question shall be of optional application in the case of all buildings for all officers under the grade of an Assistant Commissioner.

3. It will be observed from paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 1363 W., dated 29th May 1899, that the order referred to above does not apply to buildings under construction, and, *a fortiori*, it is not applicable to buildings already in existence.

4. With regard to the question of record-rooms for officers of the Salt Department below the rank of Assistant Commissioner, to be constructed in future, it has to be noted that the number of records in such offices is comparatively small, and it is not necessary to provide fire-proof rooms in them. The Board's proposals are therefore approved.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To Superintending Engineers,
„ the Revenue Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:—

Proc of the Board of Revenue, Separate Revenue, Mis No 3841
date 25th August 1899
Endorsement in the Rev. Dept. Mis. No. 3186 Rev. 5 Sept. 1899

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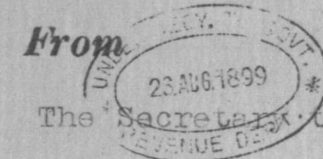
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Revenue (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 7452

Sp. with P.W.D. order
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Encl. No. 3186 Revenue.
Order



The Secretary to the Commissioner
of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue,
Madras.

Transferred to the Public
Works Department.

Mis. No. 3841

J. Freeman
Ag. Secretary to Government

Dated 5-9-
25th August 1899.
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SUBJECT.

To P.W.D. for C. 2
G.O. No. 476 dt. 1.9.99.

Requesting the orders of Government as to
whether it was its intention to apply the
precaution that future record rooms should
have nothing inflammable in their construc-
tion only to large offices, and, if other-
wise, suggesting that it be of optional
application in the case of all buildings
for offices under the grade of Assistant
Commissioners.

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BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
<i>Pres</i>	<i>162</i>	<i>Rev</i>	<i>10-1-99</i>
<i>Pres</i>	<i>1363</i>	<i>W</i>	<i>29-5-99</i>
<i>Pres</i>	<i>3163</i>	<i>W</i>	<i>9-12-98</i>

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.



Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue).

Dated 25th August

1899.

Mis. No. 3841

The Hon'ble Mr. J. Thomson.

Read Government Order Mis No. 2098, Revenue, dated 9th June 1899.

Resolution.

One of the precautions ordered to be taken in Government Order No. 3163 W, dated 9th December 1898, for the protection of public buildings from fire was that record rooms to be hereafter constructed should have nothing inflammable in their construction, i.e., that the roof trusses and framing and the record racks should be of iron and that the doors and windows should be iron barred, with wooden shutters, if necessary, opening outwards. The Board communicated this order to its subordinate officers under the impression that it was applicable to all the record rooms, but now doubts whether it was not the intention of Government to apply it only to large offices. Even if otherwise, the Board would now respectfully urge that it is unnecessary to make the order cover such small isolated offices as those in salt factories or to Preventive Circles the offices of which are, most of them, tiled and as far as possible outside the Municipal limits and generally held in Inspectors' houses. Such of the Assistant Commissioners as have not been provided with separate office buildings are at liberty to hold their offices in their own houses, and it will be out of the question to apply the Government Order in such cases. The

Board begs to submit statements showing the present housing of records of the department and would suggest that the order in question be of optional application in the case of all buildings for offices under the grade of an Assistant Commissioner.

(True extract)

R. S. Luaham
25/8/99
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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Statement showing the offices held either in G. ^{houses} buildings or private buildings.

No.	Names of Circles and Sub-factories.	Remarks.
1	Ganjam	Tiled Circle office constructed in 1898-99.
2	Suria	Office held in a tiled building.
3	Naupada	Do
4	Calingapatam	Do
5	Bobbili	Tiled office constructed.
6	Konada	Do.
7	(Sub-factories) Kuppidiam Bimlipatam Karasa Balacheruvu	A separate sub. office was constructed. Tiled building. Tiled office constructed. Office held in a tiled building.
8	Anakapalle	Tiled office constructed.
9	Polavaram	The office is attached to Assistant Inspector's quarters (thatched).
10	Penuguduru (Sub-factory) Jagannaikpur	Tiled office constructed.
11	Mogalturru	Tiled office under construction.
12	Rajahmundry	Office held in the Jail buildings.
13	Ellore	Office held in a rented building.
14	Manginapudi (Sub-factory) Pandraka	Office constructed.
15	Nizampatam	Tiled Circle office constructed.
16	Bezwada	Office held in a tiled building. A new Circle office is to be sanctioned soon.
17	Narasaraopet	Tiled office constructed.
18	Kanuparti (Sub-factory) Chinna Ganjam	Do
19	Pakala	Do
20	Kavali	Tiled office under construction.
21	Iskapalle	Tiled office constructed.
22	Krishnapatnam (Sub-factory) Dugarazpatnam	Do The office is attached to the Assistant Inspector's quarters (thatched).
23	Tada	Office held in a tiled building.
24	Tiruvallur	Temporarily, the Vayalur Inspector's quarters and office being used.
25	Ennore (Sub-factories) Kattur Vayalur Pulidiwak Attiput Vallur	Tiled office constructed. Unnecessary to build any offices.
26	Madras Depot	Office held in a tiled building.
27	Madras Town	Office is held in a rented building.
28	Covelong (Sub-factory) Vadasamanjeri	Tiled office constructed. Office held in a thatched building on the platform.

30	Markapur	(Sub-factories) { Cheyur Chunampet	Tiled office constructed. Office held in a separate building (tiled). Do
31	Nandyal		Tiled office constructed.
32	Kurnool		Building purchased for office and quarters.
33	Bellary		Office held in a rented building.
34	Hospet		Do
35	Anantapur		Do
36	Penukonda		Office held in a Government building (portion of taluk cutchery)
37	Cuddapah		Building purchased for office and quarters.
38	Madanapalle		Office held in a rented building.
39	Vellore		Do
40	Chittoor		Office held in a Government building (place of arms).
41	Arni		Office held in a rented building.
42	Ranipettai		Under contemplation to utilize the barracks.
43	Salem		Office held in a Government building.
44	Hosur		Office held in a Government building purchased.
45	Tirukkoyilur		The Overseer's shed has lately been transferred to this department.
46	Tindivanam		Office held in a Government building (portion of taluk cutchery).
47	Villupuram		Tiled office constructed.
48	Nellikuppam		Do
49	Cuddalore	(Sub-factories) { Kamblimedu Manambadi	Office held in a separate tiled building. Office attached to Assistant Inspector's quarters (thatched). The clerkshroff is working in the Cuddalore Circle office.
50	Tranquebar	(Sub-factory) - Neidavasal	Office held in a thatched building.
51	Negapatam		Do
52	Vedaranniyam		The office is held in a tiled building.
53	Adirampatnam		Do
54	Kattumavadi	(Sub-factories) { Magilankottai Thambikkanalla-vankottai	Office held in a separate thatched building.
55	Nannilam		Do
56	Vattanam		Separate tiled office.
57	Morekolam	(Sub-factories) { Theethandathana Manakkudi	Office held in a rented building.
58	Tuticorin	(Sub-factory) - Muthuraghu-nathapatnam	The office is attached to Assistant Inspector's quarters (thatched). The office is attached to Assistant Inspector's quarters (thatched). Do Tiled office constructed.

59	Kayalpattam	(Sub-factory) - Arasadi	Office held in a thatched building.
60	Kattanguli	(Sub-factory) - Kulasekharapatnam	Do
61	Tinnevely		The sub-office is attached to Assistant Inspector's quarters (thatched). Office held in thatched building.
62	Srivilliputtur		Office held in a rented building.
63	Coimbatore		Tiled office constructed.
64	Bhavani		Office held in a Government building (tiled).
65	Erode		Office held in a Government building.
66	North Trichinopoly		Tiled office under construction.
67	Tanjore		Office held in the Military barracks at Trichinopoly.
68	South Trichinopoly		Office held in a rented building.
69	Palni		Office held in the Military barracks at Trichinopoly.
70	Madura		Office held in a rented building.
71	Sivaganga		Office held in a Government building.
72	Udipi		Office held in a rented building.
73	Mangalore		Tiled office constructed.
74	Tellicherry		Office held in a Government (tiled) building.
75	Calicut		Office held in a Government building in the Fort.
76	Ponnani		Office at present held in the Commissariat building.
77	Palghat		Office constructed (tiled).
78	Frontier No. I		Offices held in a Government building at Chavakkat.
79	Do	No. II	Office held in a rented building.

Asst. Secretary
25/8/99
Acting Secretary.

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