

Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No.

2789 W

DATED

2/6/99 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

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Rs 400, commd. to Officers of the
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From C. M. MULLALY, Esq., District Magistrate, Nellore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 11th April 1899, Ref. No. 238-Magl.

I have the honour to enclose herein an estimate for Rs. 1,570 for the construction of a post-mortem shed at Kávali, and to request that sanction for payment of a moiety thereof from Provincial funds may be accorded, as it is more than Rs. 500 up to which District Magistrates can sanction expenditure under G.O., No. 776, Judicial, dated 17th April 1893. The Taluk Board, Nellore, has agreed to pay the other moiety.

2. The estimate is prepared in accordance with the standard plan of designs communicated by the Sanitary Board in No. 834-S., dated 19th November 1897 (type design No. 57), and therefore exceeds the limit of Rs. 400 prescribed in G.O., No. 1247, Judicial, dated 20th June 1893. It has had the approval of the Sanitary Board before being forwarded to this office.

Memo. No. 1459, Judicial.

It is observed that the estimate for the construction of a post-mortem shed at Kávali, submitted with letter, R.C. No. 238-Magl., dated 11th April 1899, from the District Magistrate, Nellore, has been prepared by the District Board Engineer. The District Magistrate is requested to report whether the building, when constructed, will be a Government building under his charge or a Local Fund building under the charge of the Taluk Board, Nellore.

1st June 1899.

(Signed) A. R. KNAPP,
Under Secretary.

To the District Magistrate, Nellore.

From C. M. MULLALY, Esq., District Magistrate, Nellore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 14th July 1899, No. 781-Magl.

With reference to memorandum No. 1459, Judicial, dated the 1st June 1899, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the resolution of the Nellore Taluk Board in regard to the ownership of the Kávali post-mortem shed, and to state that the latter part of the resolution is not in conformity with paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 1247, Judicial, dated the 20th June 1893, which lays down that charges should be borne in equal shares.

ENCLOSURE.

EXTRACT from the Resolution book of the Nellore Taluk Board, No. 67, dated 30th June 1899.

Read letter, Ref. No. 238-Magl., dated 12th June 1899, from the District Magistrate, Nellore, requesting to state if the Taluk Board is willing to register the building of post-mortem room, Kávali hospital, after construction, as a Government building.

Resolution.—The Board has no objection to the post-mortem shed being registered, after its completion, as a Government building provided the Government is prepared to undergo the entire cost of its upkeep.

(Signed) J. WILLIAMS,
President.

Telegram from the District Magistrate, Nellore, dated 6th August 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Stating that the average annual number of post-mortems held in Kávali for police purposes is six.

ORDER—No. 1866 L., dated 20th September 1899.

The Government is unable to sanction the construction of the building proposed, which is unnecessarily expensive. The type design for a mortuary for hospitals with below twenty beds, prepared by the Sanitary Board, appears to the Government to be unsuitable for small out-of-the-way stations, such as Kávali, where the number of post-mortems held per annum averages only six. The Taluk Board should have a plan and estimate prepared for a mortuary which should not cost more than Rs. 400 (G.O., No. 1247, Judicial, dated 20th June 1893). The usual contribution from Provincial funds can then be sanctioned by the District Magistrate. It is not obligatory on any Board in any case and was not obligatory on the Nellore Board in this instance to adopt the type design issued by the Sanitary Board, such designs being only intended as a model to be followed as far as the means and other circumstances of the Local Boards require.

2. The Government considers that it should be open to any Municipal Council or Local Board to ask for the orders of Government in any cases where, owing to financial or other reasons, it may object to adopt the designs drawn up by the Sanitary Board. The following addition will therefore be made to No. 7 of the rules for conducting the business of the Sanitary Board:—

"If a Local Board or a Municipal Council or other authority objects for financial or other reasons to adopt a design or an estimate prescribed by the Sanitary Board, it shall apply to Government for orders in the proper department."

(True Extract.)

for Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Judicial Department (with three enclosures).

- „ the Sanitary Board.
- „ the Sanitary Engineer.
- „ the Sanitary Commissioner.
- „ the Public Works Department.
- „ the Public Department.
- „ the Financial Department.
- „ all Collectors.
- „ all Presidents of District Boards.
- „ all Chairmen of Municipal Councils.
- „ the Surgeon-General.

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