

Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 2818 W

DATED 25th Oct 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Office of the Government Botanist, Ootacamund.

Pros: Rev. Septe ^{transferring to the Rtd. Septe,} ~~forwarding for consideration~~

Pros of the Board of Revenue requesting the
issue of the necessary orders for the
execution of certain works to the ———,
command to the Comd. Archt for necessary
action -

P.W.
Revenue (1899) Department.

8376
CURRENT No. 6295

From

The Board of Revenue, Revenue
Sett, &c.

Order

Endt. R. No. 1419.

Transferred to the Public Works
Department for the issue of the ne-
cessary orders for the early execu-
tion of the proposed repairs.

(By Order).

Almarponbani

Ag. Under Secretary to Government.

Dotacamund.

6th October 1899.

Dated 27th Sept: 1899

Received at Dotacamund 9-10-99
29th

Registered --do-- at Madras 11-10-99

Enclosures 1 { Plans } 10/10/99
{ others }

Spare copies.

SUBJECT.

Buildings.

To the P. W. Dept with estimates.

" Board of Rev: Rev: Sett: &c.

Submitting to Government esti-
mates for improvements of and repairs
to, the ----- used by the Government
Botanist as his office.

11/10/99 Babar at Madras
big
9-10-99
M. S.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
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FURTHER PAPERS.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture),

Dated 27th. September 1899. 189.

No. 4861 Mis.

Mr. Higgins.

Read again the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, (Rev: Sett: Land Records and Agriculture) No. 4210, Mis., dated 25th. August 1899:—

Read the following letter from C.A. Barber Esq., Government Botanist, No. 71 dated 11th. August 1899:—

In enclosing here in the estimate for the repairs and improvements of the Government Botanist's Office building together with all the correspondence in original connected therewith, I wish to state that the repairs and improvements noted therein are quite indispensable and urgently needed in order that the work of the office may not be impeded.

In order to avoid delay, I am requested by the Sub-Engineer in charge to ask you to send the approved estimate to Mr. De Winton at this place with a copy to the Sub Engineer, the Consulting Architect to Government being at present in Ceylon.

The charge for Coir-matting is excluded, and appears to me to be excessive. I have estimated the quantity required as 1318 square feet, at a cost of Rs. 61/. and will include in my furniture estimate about to be forwarded for approval.

Resolution. No. 4210 Mis. d. 25-8-99.

The estimates will be returned to the Consulting Architect approved.

(True Copy and Extract)

(Sd.) C. Benson.

Deputy Director for Secretary.

To The Consulting Architect, with estimates returned.

Read again also the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, No. 4615, Mis., dated 14th. September 1899:-

Read the following letter from the Consulting Architect, No. 1971, dated 8th. September 1899:-

With reference to your No. 4210 Mis., dated 25th. August 1899, I have the honour to inform that there are no funds at my disposal to carry out the Minor Improvements to the Government Botanist's Office at Ootacamund; the work must lie over till Government can see their way to allot funds applied for by this division.

. The repair estimate will be put in hand.

Resolution. No. 4615 Mis. d. 14-9-99

The Government Architect is requested to return the papers forwarded with Board's Proceedings No. 4210 dated 25th. August 1899.

(True Copy and Extract)

(Sd.) P. Rajaratna Mudaliar.

Secretary.

To The Consulting Architect.

Read also the following letter from the Consulting Architect, No. 2093, dated 18th. September 1899:-

With reference to Board's Proceedings No. 4615 Mis., dated the 14th. Instant, I have the honour to return the Report and Estimates (to be kindly returned) for repairs and improvements to the Office of the Government Botanist at Ootacamund forwarded with Board's Proceedings No. 4210, Mis., dated 25th. August 1899.

Resolution.

The papers read above will be submitted to Government, with the recommendation that orders may be issued in the Public Works Department to make a special allotment to carry out the improvements to the Government Botanist's Office, which are reported to be very urgently needed. The amount required is Rs. 350.

(True Copies and Extract)

C. Benson

Dy. Director for Secretary.

To

The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with estimates. (to be returned)
Copy to the Government Botanist.