Public Works (189) Department.

✓ **G.O., No.** 3041 W

DATED 21st Nov 99

24/11/99

[Despatch Abstract.]

Hozur Treasury Office at Masulipatam, Kistna Dt.

The estimate, amounting to Rs 5,930 for extending and improving the —— sanctioned for execution when funds are available

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NOVEMBER.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read—the following papers:—

Reference of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), B. No. 536, dated 5th October 1899.

Reference—B. No. 536, dated 5th October 1899.

The plans and estimate for Rs. 5,930 received from the Collector of Kistna for the extension and improvement of the Huzur Treasury office at Masulipatam will be submitted to Government with reference to its order, Mis. No. 3346, dated 12th August 1898.

2. The Collector states that the necessity for the additional accommodation has long been felt, but that its provision has now become a matter of great urgency owing to the instructions of the Government of India conveyed in its resolution, Finance and Commerce Department (Separate Revenue—Stamps), No. 2655 S.R., dated 13th June 1899, communicated with G.O., Mis. No. 2433, Revenue, dated 4th July 1899, which require that all stamp packages should, immediately on arrival, be placed in the strong room and there examined one by one in the presence of the Treasury officer. Mr. Morris adds that there is a provision of Rs. 4,000 for the work in the Public Works (Provincial) budget for 1899–1900, and that the Superintending Engineer has promised to utilize the full amount of the estimate within the year if the additional allotment required is immediately sanctioned.

3. The Board recommends that the plans and estimate may be approved and the necessary orders issued in the Public Works Department for the execution of the work at an early date.

The following extracts from the Collector's original letter on the subject explain in greater detail the necessity of extending the present building:—

> The single lock room is too small and therefore the two Treasury Accountants had to be removed to the office main building, and the shroffing of remittances is being conducted in the open verandah outside the room—an unavoidable but very objectionable procedure. Inconvenience is caused by some of the little space that is in the single lock room being taken up by the almyrahs of stamps and also on occasions the stamp cases received from Madras have to be lodged here pending examination of the contents. The weighing of coin received from the Sub-treasuries has also to be done within this small space. Space in the double lock room is even more insufficient. There is just room to walk between the boxes of treasure, all of which are in use either as ordinary treasure chests or as currency chests . . . .
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(Signed) LIONEL DAVIDSON,
Acting Secretary.

No. 608, Revenue.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) H. TREMENHEERE,
Acting Secretary.

16th October 1899.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 5,930, for extending and improving the Huzur Treasury office at Masulipatam, in the Kistna district, is recommended for sanction with the following remark:—

2. Asphalting floors in the plains are not suitable; stone slabs should be substituted.

3. Rolled steel beams 13″ × 5″ weighing 41·5 lb. should be substituted for teak beams.

(Signed) W. B. deWINTON,
Chief Engineer.

7th November 1899.

Order—No. 3041 W., dated 21st November 1899.

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2. Attention is drawn to the Chief Engineer's note read above.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 88 W. of 1899–1900, and classified as Civil Buildings—Original Works.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, with three enclosures.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

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READ the following :—

Endorsement of the Revenue Dept. No. 608 d/16th October 1898
an endorsement from the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue) Referred B. No. 536 d/5th October 1899.
Note by the Chief Engineer P.W.D d/ 7-11-99

Circulated to

His Excellency the Governor.

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To The S.E. II Circle with 3 enclos.
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" Revenue Dept.

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ORDER.

No: 3041 W. d/ 21.11.99

The estimate amounting to Rs 5930, for extending and improving the Huzur Treasury Office at Masulipatam, in the Kistna District, is sanctioned for execution when funds are available.

2. Attention is drawn to the Chief Engineer's note read above.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 88 W of 1899-1900, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

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7th Nov

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Note.

The estimate is dealt with in the accompanying technical note and the Chief Engineer's note read above.

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Note by E.W.

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E.W.

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C. No. 8640

Dr/

The reason why steel girders was not suggested instead of wooden beams was that the latter existed in the old building & for the sake of uniformity it was thought that the wooden beams provided might remain, however, as W wishes steel girders to be provided a section of 13" × 5" weighing 41.5 lbs per foot is entered in E W's note.

10.11.99

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3041 a/s

Dr/

Public Works Department.

Current No. 8640

Letter No. 604

Dated 16th Oct 1899

From the Revenue Department.

NOTE BY TECHNICAL SECTION.

Name of work Extending and improving the Huzur Treasury office at Masulipatam.

Amount of Estimate Rs 5930.

The plan & estimate under reference provide for extending and improving the Huzur Treasury building at Masulipatam in the Kistna Dist.

The necessity for the additions are stated to be due to the existing accommodation being insufficient as the shroffing of remittances is being conducted in the open verandah &c. The estimate therefore provides for dismantling the rear tiled verandah and for extending the three rooms 19 feet further back and building a new verandah in rear of 8¾ & 12 feet in widths as shown in plan.

Provision has been made for bamboo chicks to the verandahs and bamboo flooring mats for the rooms.

The extension will be built of rough stone in chunam on concrete foundations; the walls will be plastered with chunam inside and pointed outside. The floor will be of 4" concrete laid over 6" of brick rubble & the surface plastered with ½" asphalte. The roof will be ~~[illegible]~~ brick on edge ½ on teak joists & beams for the rooms & sloping Bengal terrace on teak rafters for the verandah.

The scantlings of roof timbers are correct & the rates are fair vide data sheets submitted.

The plan & estimate have been countersigned by the Collector and approved in Revenue Dept.

The laying of ½" asphalte on the floor may be omitted & Cuddapah slabs or cement plaster ~~[illegible]~~ substituted as asphalting in the plains are not suitable.

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Stone slabs & some kind of cement plaster

This may be noticed in note by E.W. and estimate prepared for sanction when funds are available

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Submitted for orders. If the estimate is approved, it may be sanctioned for execution when funds are available.

30/10/99

P.W.

~~Revenue~~ (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 8640

UNDER SECY. TO GOVT.
7-OCT.1899
REVENUE DEPT.

From

The Board of Revenue,
Land Revenue, Madras

~~Order~~ Endt.

approved and transferred to the P.W.D.

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B No. 536 Ref.

Dated 5th October 1899

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No. ... 16.10.99

SUBJECT.

Submitting for the orders of Government plans and estimate for the extension and improvement of the Huzur Treasury office at Masulipatam, Kistna District.

T/ for check HCl 23/10/99

Rs 5930-0-0

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dated 5th October 1899.

The Hon. Mr. J. Sturrock

Reference B. No. 536, dated 5th October 1899

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x page 15 of the final issue of the P.W. Budget; but [illegible] class B works there is no allotment

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Acting Secretary.

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To

The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, ✓

with plans and estimate.

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