

Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 4272 W
4285

DATED 10th Feb 99

16/2/99

Post Office, ^[Despatch Abstract.] Post Master's Quarters at
Gokavaram

Directing, with reference to the
Sanction of the Govt. of India be applied for to
the proposed expenditure of Rs 1440 on the
construction of a — in the Sadavandh.

Post Office, Post Master's Quarters at Gokavaram

Requesting sanction to the Construction
of a — in the Sadavandh at an estimated
cost of Rs 1440.

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Directing, with remark, that the sanction of the Government of India be applied for to the proposed expenditure of Rs. 1,440 on the construction of a — in the Gó dá vá ri district.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read—the following papers:—

G.O., No. 831, Financial, dated 28th September 1898.

Read—the following paper:—

From the Postmaster-General, Madras, dated 3rd Sept. 1898, No. B.D. 1-1/19037.

Adverting to the sanction conveyed in G.O., No. 307, dated 24th March 1898, for the construction of three departmental buildings for use of the Post offices at Gokavaram, Adatigala and Chodavaram (in the Gódvári district) at a cost of Rs. 1,260, 590 and 590, respectively, I have the honour to forward herewith, for the information of Government, an extract of paragraph 1 of letter No. 1083 G.D., dated 17th August 1898, from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, together with the enclosures referred to, and to request that, under the circumstances stated therein, the Government will be pleased to accord sanction to the expenditure and to issue instructions for the necessary transfer of funds from the District Post grant for 1898-99 to the Public Works Department.

Order—No. 831, Financial, dated 28th September 1898.

The estimate is approved and will be transferred to the Public Works Department, the sum of Rs. 1,480 being placed at the disposal of that department from the District Post grant for the current year.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) F. J. WILSON,
for Chief Secretary.

From the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, dated 15th November 1898, No. 1735 G.D.
From the Postmaster-General, Madras, dated 6th January 1899, No. B.D. 1-1/34943.
Office-note from the Examiner, P.W. Accounts, dated 6th January 1899, No. 44 B./B.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

The estimate for constructing a seventh-class Post office and Postmaster's residence at Gokavaram, Gódvári district, is recommended for sanction with the following remarks:—

- (1) As the nature of soil is not noted, it is impossible to say whether the foundations are sufficient. This should be looked to during construction.
- (2) The flooring should be stone slabs or tiles over the concrete.
- (3) An error in the data for "plastering with mortar (one coat) with white-washing" from Rs. 3-9-0 to Rs. 2-9-0 reduces the total of the estimate to Rs. 1,440 after allowance has been made for the flooring ordered in the preceding paragraph.

21st January 1899.

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

ORDER—No. 427 W., dated 10th February 1899.

The estimate, as altered by the Chief Engineer, for constructing a seventh-class Post office and Postmaster's quarters at Gokavaram, in the Gódvári district, amounts to Rs. 1,440. As the rent calculated on the capital cost of the residential portion of the building exceeds 8 per cent. of the salary of the occupant, sanction of the Government of India will be applied for to the proposed expenditure.

2. The grant of Rs. 1,480 made by the Financial Department will be treated as an addition to the Public Works grant under Provincial Civil works.

[Here enter No. 428 W., dated 10th February 1899.]

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Postmaster-General, Madras.
" Financial Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Buildings and Roads,
Civil Works.

LETTER—from

COLONEL A. W. SMART, R.E.,

Ag. Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Public Works Department,

To

THE JOINT SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I am directed to request the sanction of the Government of India to the construction of a seventh-class Post office and Postmaster's quarters at Gokavaram, in the Gódvári district, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,440, of which the residential portion absorbs about Rs. 944. The rent calculated on the latter sum, in accordance with Code rules, amounts to Rs. 6-4-0 per mensem, while 8 per cent. of the pay of the occupant is only Rs. 1-3-4.

2. The Postmaster is entitled to free quarters under the rules of the Postal department, and his duties require that he should live close to the office. It is not possible to construct a pucca building within the amount fixed by Code rules, and a temporary structure will require constant repairs and be more costly in the long run.

3. The cost of the work will be met from the grant for District Post under Provincial Funds.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Signed) A. W. SMART, Colonel, R.E.,
Ag. Secy. to Government.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
10th February 1899.

Ed. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Government {1899} of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Recd.

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Enclosures

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Letter, No. 428 W., 10th February 1899.

FEBRUARY.

Post Office and Postmaster's Quarters at Gokavaram

Requesting sanction to the construction of a —, in the Gódávári district, at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,440.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:—

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Dept.
No. 831, dated 28 September 1898

From the Suptg. Engineer I Circle No. 1735 G.D., dated 15 Nov/98.

From the Post Master General, Madras, No. B.D. 1 No. 1, dated 6 Jan/99.
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Office note from the Examiner P.W. Accounts, No. 443/10, dated 6 Jan/99.

Note by the Chief Engineer P.W.D., dated 16 December 1898.
21-1-99

Circulated to His Excellency the Governor

ORDER.

No. 427 W 910-2-99.

The estimate, as altered by the Chief Engineer, for constructing a 7th Class Post office and Postmaster's quarters at Gokavaram in the Godavari District amounts to Rs 1440. As the rent calculated on the Capital cost of the residential portion of the building exceeds 8 per cent of the salary of the occupant, sanction of the Govt. of India will be applied for to the proposed expenditure.

2. The grant of Rs 1480 ^{incorp} placed by the Financial Department will be treated as an addition to the P.W. grant under Provincial Civil Works.

To the Suptg. Engr. I Circle
" Exr. P.W. Accounts
" Post Master General, Madras
" Financial Department.

AKR
10-1-99.

May

P. W. 4
[1,000-14-11-98.]

108. 31.1-99/14.2.99

P.T.C.

(H.E. No. 428 w. dated 10th February 1899.

To

The Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India
P. W. Department.

Sir,

I am directed to request the sanction of the Government of India to the construction of a 7th Class Post office, and Post-master's quarters, at Gokavaram, in the Godavari District, at an estimated cost of Rs 1440, of which the residential portion absorbs about Rs 944.

The rent calculated on the latter sum, in accordance with Code rules, amounts to Rs 6-4-0 per mensem, while 8 per cent of the pay of the occupant is only Rs 1-3-4.

2. The Post-master is entitled to free quarters under the rules of the Postal Department, and his duties require that he should live close to the office. It is not possible to construct a pucca building within the amount fixed by Code rules, and a temporary structure will require constant repairs and

and be more costly in the long run.

3. The cost of the work will be met from the grant for District Post under Provincial Funds.

I have &c.

ACK
20-1-99.

L. H. Bell
20-1-99

Encl

Note. The estimate is disposed of in the Note by C.S. P. V. & the technical note

L. H. Bell
21-1-99

int 14/1/99

note by E.W.

The Estimate for constructing
a 7th Class Post Office & Post
Master's Residence at Gokha-
varan - Godavari District -

~~Est Rs 1480. estimated to~~
~~Rs 1440 in this Office is~~
is recommended for

Sanctioned with the following
Remarks.

(1) ^{As} the nature of soil ^{is} not being
noted, it is impossible to
say whether the foundations
are sufficient. This should
be looked to during construction.

(2) The flooring should be Stone
Slabs or Tiles over the Con-
crete.

(3) an error in the data
for "Plastering with Mortar (1 coat)
with white washing" from Rs

3-9 ^{to Rs 2-9-0} reduces
the estimate amount to

Rs 1440, after allowance has been
made for the flooring ^{APR}
advised in the
preceding para. 16.12.98.

[Signature]
21.1.99

Current No. 9601Letter No. 1735 G. O.Dated 15/17 Nov 1898From the Supr. Engineer 1st Circle

TECHNICAL NOTE.

Name of Work Constructing a 7th ClassPost Office & Post Master's Residence
at Gokavaram - Godavari DistrictAmount of Estimate, Rs. 1450

PARTICULARS OF ESTIMATE, as corrected

Main Building _____ Rs. 1348

Subsidiary Buildings _____

Contingencies _____ 57Petty Supervision _____ 35

Land Compensation _____

Total Rupees ... 1440

PARTICULARS OF CONSTRUCTION.

Surface soil } Particulars of Soil notSub-soil } not givenFoundations. Concrete in Mortar
4 feet deep.Basement Random rubble 1st Soil
in Mortar 3 1/2 high.Walls Random rubble in Mortar
heights given in plan &
Estimate.Plinth area of office + verandah
 $= 15\frac{1}{2} \times 18 = 279.$ Net area of building includes
Court yard = 810Cost of building Rs. 1460∴ cost of office = $\frac{1460 \times 279}{810}$ = Rs. 496Gardens Rs. 944Sanction estimate, & point
out omissions to state nature
of soil & subsoil & error in
rate.

A. H.

J. 12. 98.

V. see inside

12/12/98

T.

Please prepare the required
E. W. note.12/12/98GW

Plastering or Pointing 1 Coat & 2 Coats
White washing.

Flooring. Concrete in mortar 4 1/2"

Roofing. Bamboo hurdle, pautiles
& Chumam borders.

Doors and Windows Country wood battens
tand.

Roof timbers Country wood

Scantlings Condit

Rates. Data has been furnished
in principal items.

The plinth area of the ~~main~~ building is
5-10 square feet, and the cost per square
foot will be Rs. 1-12-5 including
back yard.

The plans and estimates have been countersigned
by the Supt. Engr. 1st Circle
and

REMARKS.

This estimate was called for
in G.O. No 307 dated 24th
March 1898 & provided for
the construction of a 7th
Class Post Office & Post
master's Residence at
Gokavaram, Godavari
District.

The estimate is approved
in the Financial Dept
and a sum of Rs 1480
is placed at the disposal
of the P.W. Dept. from
the District Post Grant
for the current year.

*Economy is evidently not con-
sidered*

*Nevertheless the flooring must
be stone slabs or tiles. Concrete
is a hopeless bad floor*

Data can be passed.

✓
W.S.
5-12-98

*An error in the rate for
Plastering & white washing from
Rs 3-9-0 to Rs 2-9-0 reduces the
estimate amount from Rs 1480
to Rs 1440.*

W.C.
2-12-98.

Public Works (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 8276

No. 4463 C of 11-10-98

From

The Financial Dept

No. 831

Dated 28. 9. 98

Received

Registered

Enclosures 3.

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SUBJECT.

Approval & transfr. to the P.W.
Dept the estimate amounting
to Rs 1480, for the construction
of a 7th class Post office &
Post master's residence at
Gokavaram in the Godavari
Dt., & directing that the reqd
sum of Rs 1480 be placed at
the disposal of the P.W. Dept
from the Dt Post Grant for
the current year.

Rev. K
I B X
To The S.E.T Circle
with Report. the estimate

APR
11-10-98
Dr.

APR
8-10-98
Dr.

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12/10/98

BACK PAPERS.

FURTHER PAPERS.

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Financial Department.



PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following paper :

(True Extract)

⁷⁰
The Public Works Department with enclosures ✓
in Portsmouth General. in original.
Accountant-General
~~1888~~ in the enclosure

John
As Chief Secretary.

Public Works (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 9601

From the Supg. Engineer
First Circle

No. 1735 G.O.

Dated 15. 11. 98.

Received 3
Registered 21. 11. 98

Enclosures Two (1 plan)

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SUBJECT.

The Pass Postoffice and Post
master's residence at Gota-
-naram - Submit original
pencil design for the - and
also the original letter from
the Supd. of Post offices Cochin
in which the reqd. dimensions
are given

T
For early accounting
of the estimate.
A.K.
22. 11. 98
D.W.

Rm.

D.W.

This Estimate cannot
be checked without the
design referred to in
para 2 of the report
accompanying the Est.,
which is not to be found
in the file -

10. 10. 98.

Order for the Design.
A.K.

10. 10. 98.

Order

FURTHER PAPERS.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POST OFFICES

COCANADA DIVISION

From

To

The Executive Engineer
Gidauri Eastern Dist.

No

5327

dated *Rejshumun* the *1st* *July* 1896

Reply to no

dated

1896

Sir

With reference to your no 1205
of 15. 6. 96, I have the honor to give
below the information called for.

I have the honor to be
Sir.

Yours most obedient Servant

Super Spain

Superior Student Noo
Cocorudo Jr.

VII class

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10 x 12

Post office

 8×12

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Polinastres Residuum

Venanda
12 x 5

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No. 1735 GD

FROM

W. C. Demorgan Esq. M. I. C. E.
SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

FIRST CIRCLE.

TO

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WALTAIR,

Camp. Dogaun

15.11 1898

SIR,

With reference to your
Memorandum No. 4463C of 11th October 98,
I have the honour to submit herewith, the
original pencil design for the 7th Class
Post office and Post Masters residence
at Gokawaram.

2 The original letter received
from the Superintendent of Post offices
Canada Division in which the dimensions
of the required accommodation is
given is also submitted for your
perusal and return.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Yours most obedt Servt

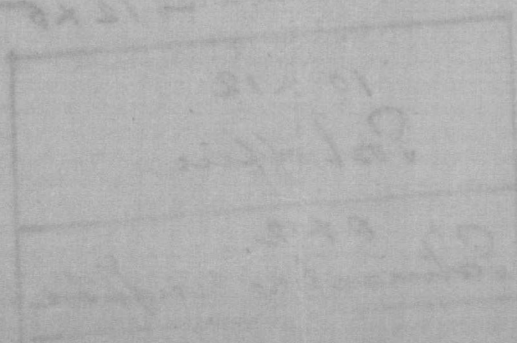
W. C. Demorgan
15.11

Super Engineer 1st Circle

W. C.

Enclosures. 2
1. Pencil design
1. orig. letter

10/11/98
2.3.20



No. 3C 82-1-99

Memorandum

42734

With reference to G.O. No. 831
 Financial, dated 28 September 1898,
 approving the estimate of Rs 1480
 for constructing a 7th class
 Post Office and Postmaster's
 quarters at Gokaveram in the
 Godavari District, the undersigned
 has the honour to request that
 the Postmaster-General will be
 so good as to report the pay
 of the postmaster at Gokaveram
 and whether he is entitled to
 free quarters under the rules
 of the Postal Department.

APR

16.12.98.

[Signature]

[Signature]

To
 The Postmaster-General
 Madras.

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[Signature]

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✓ 44630, 11. 10. 88

From

The Postmaster General,

MADRAS.

No.

Dated } 189 .
Received

No. of Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Inform that the pay of the
Departmental Branch Postmaster
of Ekurum is Rs 15 a month

HC

Post Office Department.

From G.S. Curtis Esq.,
H. FARRER, Esq.,
Offg: POSTMASTER GENERAL, MADRAS,

To

THE Under SECRETARY

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Public Works DEPARTMENT,

MADRAS.

No. B.D.1 No.1 dated MADRAS, the 6th January 1898.

34943

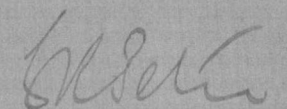
SIR,

With reference to your memorandum
No.3 C dated 2nd January 1899, I have --
the honor to state for the information
of Government that the pay~~ee~~ of the --
Departmental Branch Postmaster at ---
Gokaraj is Rs.15/- per month and that he
is entitled to free quarters under the
rules of the Postal Department.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



For Postmaster General.



Public Works (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 207

From
The Examiner, P. & A. Co.,
Madras

Order

No. 44 B/B

Dated 6th January 1899

Received

Registered

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SUBJECT.

Allotment of Rs 1480 for
Post office at Gokanaram
— Forwards for disposal
a Communication regarding
—

H.C.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

No. B. D. 1 No. 1
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Postmaster General's office
Madras 13 December 1898.

(Sd) G. R. Peter
for Postmaster General

No 6329

Fort St. George
Accountant Genl. office
16th December 1898

Manly
Asst: Accountant General.

No. 44 $\frac{B}{B}$ dated 6th January 1899

To
W.

Forwarded to W for favour of
disposal, as the document was appa-
rently by an oversight sent direct-
to this office instead of through
you.

Parker

For C.

13/1

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