

Public Works
~~Memorandum~~ (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 689 ~~Marine~~ ^W

DATED 7th March 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Local allowance

Considering that the Special
— granted to Upper Subordinates of the L House
Dr: Should not be drawn while the Subordinates
are attached to head Quarters at Madras &
ordering that Conductors (one's claim headquarter
accordingly.

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Office note from the Ex^r of N. Accts N^o 1465 of 17. Dec.
Do " " 86 of 24. Jan'y. 89
Letter from the Supdt. of Works, Lighthouse Dⁿ N^o 2123 of 18 Feb'y. 89

ORDER.

ORDER. No: 689 W 87.3.29

H. E. the Governor in Council
Considers that the special local
allowance of one fifth pay
granted to Upper Subordinates of the
Lighthouse D^o should not be drawn
while the Subordinates are attached
to Headquarters at Madras. It will
Commence from the date on which
they take charge of works beyond
Madras limits. Conductor Cooper's
claim will be adjusted ac-
cordingly.

2. The Supd^y of Works, Light House &
.. & C. P. V. Accounts ✓

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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:--

Office Note from the Examiner of P.W. Accounts No: 1465 A/E 2/17th Decr 1998
Office Note from the Examiner of P.W. Accounts No: 86 A/E 2/24th Jan'y 1999
Letter from the Suptd of Works, Light House D^r, Madras No: 2/23 2/18 Feby 1999

Local Allowance

Circulated to

Resd Hm W-A.T. Arnold C.S. FOR ORDERS.

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2991 W 2/23.11.98 Flag L

22 May A

In their letters recorded with the G.O.s quoted in the margin, the Govt of India sanctioned the grant of a local allowance of $\frac{1}{5}$ pay to each of the Upper Subordinates of the Light House D^r. The circumstances under which this allowance was granted are detailed in the letter to the Government of India No: 131 W 2/18th January 1898, and include *inter alia* the inconvenience of having to live at the sites of the works in out of the way places where supplies are difficult to obtain and possibly near malarious swamps; and in consideration of the fact that while so employed their families ^{can} not live with them and the men will be put to extra expense in ma

than elsewhere.

Conductor Cope was posted for duty in the Light House Division early in 1898; & before taking the field, joined the Headquarters Office at Madras where he remained from 1st April to 5th May '98.

During this period he drew the special local allowance in addition to Presidency Allowance and Presidency House rent.

The Examiner raises the question whether the special deputation allowance of $\frac{1}{5}$ th pay should be drawn in addition to the other local presidency allowances. The Superintendent of Works to whom the question was referred is of opinion that the Subordinates should not draw the deputation allowance until they actually take charge of works & while they are attached to the Headquarters Office at Madras. His view seems to be correct & it is proposed to make a declaration accordingly; the deputation allowance already drawn by Conductor Cope while at the Presidency being

Ans
12/3/99

This is right.

MA 27.2.99

If Mr. Cope was living in Madras from 1st April to 5th May I think he was entitled to

Presidency allowance as well as the other allowance of $\frac{1}{5}$. Is there no precedent of the kind?

Ans

10/2/99

Send to D. W. for opinion.
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9) Department.

CURRENT No. 1503

From the Supr. of Works,
Light House, Madras

No. 2123

Dated 18: February 1899.

Received

Registered

20.2.99

Enclosures

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SUBJECT.

Deputation allowe

Improving that the —
should be given from
the date the subordinates
actually took charge
of works.

Public Works (1899) Department

OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF WORKS, LIGHT-HOUSE DIVISION,
Egmore, Madras,

No. 2123 Dated 18th February 1899.

From
F. W. ASHPITEL, Esq.,
SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS,
LIGHT-HOUSE DIVISION,
Madras,

To
THE Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras.

SIR,

With reference to your No. 954
dated 14th February 99. I have the honor
to inform you that, in my opinion, the
deputation allowance should be given
in all cases from the date the subordinate
actually took charge of works and not
for the period during which they were
attached to my office at Madras.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obed^t Servant

W. Ashpitel
Superintendent of Works

E g m o r e , M a d r a s ,

Dated 18th February 1899.

No. 2123

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SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS,

LIGHT-HOUSE DIVISION,

Madras,

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Public Works Department

Madras.

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attached to my office at Madras.

I have the honor to be

Dear

Your most Obedt Servant

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Superintendent of Wo

Public Works (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 710

From

The Examiner P.W. Accounts,
Madras 1899

Order

No. 86 $\frac{A}{\Sigma}$

Dated 24th January 1899.

Received }
Registered } 25.1.99

Enclosures *original* 4. C No. 1239-46

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SUBJECT.

Local allowances to Upper
Subordinates of the High
House Division — States
that the question of
— in addition to other
allowances may be placed
before Government of India
for orders.

FURTHER PAPERS.

CURRENT No.

189 .

P. W. ACCOUNTS.
18 JAN. 1899
EX. No. 27.
1,000—16-5-98

1898.

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EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 17th December 1898.

OFFICE NOTE No. 1465 *A/S*

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With reference to G.O.No.2991 W
dated the 23rd, November 1898, commu-
nicating sanction of the Government
of India to the grant from 1st. April
1898 of a local allowance of one-
fifth of their pay to the Upper Subor-
dinates of the Light House Division ,
I beg to be informed whether it was
intended by Government that this local
allowance should be granted in addi-
tion to other local allowances viz:
Presidency Allowance and Presidency
House rent which are under ordinary
rules admissible to them while
stationed at the Presidency Town. I
make this enquiry as conductor E.
Cope, Sub Engineer, has claimed the
special local allowance ^{at} ~~and~~ 1/5th.
of pay with effect from 1st. April
1898 but he has also drawn during a
portion of the same period viz:
from 1st. April to 5th. way 1898 ^{inclusive} ^

Presidency

Presidency allowance at Rs.50 per
mensem and Presidency House rent at
Rs.20 per mensem under the authority
conveyed in G.O.No.1103 W dated 3rd.
May 1898.

2. I have passed the latter
allowances provisionally pending reply
to this Office Note.

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For C.
28/11/2

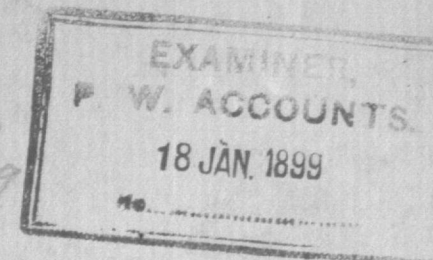
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Public Works (1898) Department.

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CURRENT No. 10488

No: 301C. d/16 Aug. 99

To C

** Perhaps with cch. 261 sent to S. A. W.
23.1.99*



The local allowance
sanctioned by the Govt. of
India is in addition to
Order other authorized local
allowances. This will be quite
apparent from the original
file of G.O. 1239-40 W of 16 May 1898
forwarded herewith for
reference, and favour
of return.

From The Examiner, P. W.
Accts. Hassan

No. 1465 A/2

Dated 17th December 1898

Received

Registered

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W. H. L. 9.1.99

with G.O. 1239-40 W of 16 May 98
R. L.

SUBJECT.

Local allowance to No.
Subordinates of L. H. O.
— Requests to know
whether the grant of —
should be passed in
addition to Presidency
allowance &c.

BACK PAPERS.

No.	Date.
No. 86 ^A / ₂	dated 24 th January 1899.
To.	
W.	
In their letter No. 427 G - dated 17th: February 1898, the Government of India enquired ~~to~~ what local ~~all~~ allowances the Upper Subordinates in the Light House Division were drawing and what increased allowance of the ~~o~~-- same description <u>in lieu</u> of such allow-- ance it was desired by this Govern-- ment to recommend. The reply to this letter, No. 1240 W dated 16th: May 1898, and a perusal of your O.N. No. 1687 C -- dated 19th: March 1898 would seem to show that the intention was to allow only one kind of <u>local</u> allowances. 2. On the above grounds and also on the ground that the grant of -- Presidency Allowance and Presidency - House Rent in addition, would perhaps - be viewed as virtually increasing the rate of local allowances beyond that - admissible under India's orders (2581 G dated the 19th: August 1898 and 2916 G dated 2nd: November 1898) I would -- request that the question be placed beyond doubt, by a reference to the Government of India. 3. Original file returned. 24. 99 For C. 24. 99	

FURTHER PAPERS.