

Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No.

767 W

DATED

13th March 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Sum Kun Bungalow, Madras

For: Road Dept. Accepting
the recommendation of the P.E. Vehicle, to charge
my half rent for the — during the time
it is under repairs, commencing from the
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G.O., No. 42, 27th January 1899.

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Communicated
to the Supty Engr,
VI Circle.

2. The Supty Engr, VI
Circle, will be requested
to return the estimate
referred to in para 5 of his
letter No. 1723 M D 815th Dec. 1898.

Tumkum Bungalow, Madras.

Accepting the recommendation of the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to charge only half rent for the — during the time that it is under repairs.

To

The Supty Engr, VI Circle

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From Lieutenant-Colonel O. V. BODDY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Trichinopoly, 15th December 1898, No. 1723-M.D.

I have the honour to forward herewith copy of a letter, No. 548-S.E., dated 7th December 1898, from the Executive Engineer, Madura Division, with copy of its enclosure, on the question of a reduction of rent to be made for the occupation of the Tumkum bungalow at Madura by the Collector during the time that it is under repair.

2. I consider that half rent only should be charged.

3. The building is a very ancient one, and probably has been in existence for not far short of 300 years—and some of the material of which it is constructed is very unsatisfactory.

4. Repairs are now being carried out to it on the estimate referred to in G.O., No. 1890 W., dated 27th July 1898.

5. I do not consider that any further improvements should be made to the building, and as it is reported that the Collector does not now want an office room, I consider that the estimate returned to me for sanction with G.O., No. 1207 W., dated 10th May 1897, should not now be carried out.

ENCLOSURES.

From A. JOYCE, Esq., Executive Engineer, Madura Division, to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, dated 7th December 1898, No. 548-S.E.

I have the honour to forward herewith copy of No. 3334 of 5th December 1898 from the Collector. I would most strongly advise that the rent of the bungalow be reduced by one half until the repairs are complete. I would further add that the more the bungalow is got at so as to be properly examined the more dilapidated it appears to be, I would not recommend any further additions or repairs being made to it beyond what are being carried out. The bungalow is not worth it. How bad it really is I cannot write for a certainty. A larger portion of it cannot be examined unless at great expense without endangering the structure. The present Collector informs me that he does not want an office room built, I think that all things considered it would be waste of money. I recommend most strongly that the Collector's bungalow on the race course be built as soon as possible. The Government Architect is with me now and will view the site this evening.

From C. J. WEIR, Esq., Acting Collector of Madura, to the Executive Engineer, Madura Division, dated 5th December 1898, R.C. No. 3334-G1.

I have the honour to state that I consider I should not be made to pay full rent for the Tumkum bungalow until it is repaired. As you are aware one part of it is uninhabitable and under repair, while the remaining portion is rendered uncomfortable by the coolies engaged on these repairs. If you agree with me, I request you will propose such a reduction of the rent as you may consider fair.

Endt. No. 47-C.

Transferred to the Educational Department for disposal.

3rd January 1899.

(Signed) W. B. DEWINTON,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

ORDER—No. 42, Educational, dated 27th January 1899.

The recommendation made in paragraph 2 of the Superintending Engineer's letter is accepted.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.

" Collector of Madura.
" Accountant-General.
" Registrar of the Madras University.
" Director of Public Instruction.

3/ No. 767 W of 13.3.99.
Communicated to the Supty.

Supr. VI Circle.

2. The estimate referred to in para 5 of the Supty. Engr's letter No. 1723 M.D. dated 15th December 1898 will be returned to the Supty. for further consideration.

Exd. C. M. Thambuswamy.

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To The Supty. Engr. VI Circle.

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The Educ. Dept.
has not noticed the
recommendation made
in the last para of
the Supt. Ingr's letter.

There was a recent
G.O. which directed that
the Tankum bungalow
was to be kept in proper
repair as long as it
was occupied by the
Collector, but this G.O.
is said to be in a file
which was sent to you
yesterday.

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S. A. W

The file is out 8.3.99
with me. Sd had better be
asked to return the estimate
he refers to, & we can then
make a reference regarding