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Government of Madras.

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DEPARTMENT.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PENSION DEPARTMENT.

26th November 1880, No. 1151.

Pension and Bonus.

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3. The bonus of Rs. 11,400 was, however, paid to the above Bank on the 18th August 1880.

4. I beg to inform you that Mr. Lawford has since requested me to arrange for the payment of his pension at the Home Treasury of the Government of India, and that I have accordingly this day addressed the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, on the subject.

ORDER THEREON, 26th November 1880, No. 1151.

Dated 16th September 1880, No. 42, Financial.

Ordered to be communicated to the Secretary of State with reference to his despatch noted in the margin.

(True Extract.)

*Under Secy. to Govt.*

To the Financial Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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 Mr. W. 81  
 Advertising to f. O  
 5<sup>th</sup> July Noble's Pension:  
 Dep: the undersigned  
 is directed to inquire  
 whether any & if so  
 what payment has  
 been made to the  
 Agent Banks on  
 account of Mr. A. L.  
 Lawford's Pension  
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Otago Command }  
 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1880 }

G.O. of (1880) 24/11/85.  
 PENSION.  
 To  
 THE FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.  
 Dated November, 26th.  
 Issued  
 Recd.  
 G.O., 26th November 1880, No. 1151.  
 NOVEMBER.  
 Pension and Bonus.—Communicating copy of a  
 letter from the Accountant-General regarding  
 the payment of pension and bonus to Mr.  
 Lawford.

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(Copy)

India Office

17<sup>th</sup>

26<sup>th</sup> August 1880.

I am directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. requesting an advance of the sum of £120 on account of the bonus of Rs. 11,400, granted to you on retirement, and to acquaint you, in reply, that, as the bonus in question is payable at Madras, your request cannot be complied with.

I am at the same time to point out that it appears from the copy of the Resolution of the Govt. of Madras, forwarded with your letter under reply, that your pension, which has —, hitherto <sup>been</sup> issued at this Office "will be payable at Madras to the Manager of the Bank, or other 'duly appointed agent'; and I have therefore to request that you will state whether your agents at Madras have authority to receive your pension.

A.C. Lawford, Esq.

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The enclosure to your letter is  
herewith returned, as requested.

I am, &c,

(Ed) Hy. Waterfield

Finl. Secy.

(Copy)

Burton Villa West Dulwich  
N<sup>W</sup> S<sup>E</sup>.

27 Aug: 1880

To The Under Secretary of State for India.

Sir

In reply to your letter of 26<sup>th</sup> inst  
requesting me to state whether my agents  
in elladras had authority to receive my  
pension. I have the honour to refer  
to your letter under date 24 Feb: 1880,  
intimating that the pension would be  
paid through the India Office and  
that the gratuity would be paid to my  
agent in India.

2. Accordingly I have instructed the  
Manager of the Agra Bank to apply for, and  
receive only the gratuity and have said  
nothing to him whatever about the  
pension which I would draw, as usual, in  
accordance with your letter above quoted.

I have, &c,

(Ed) A.C. Lawford.

(Copy)

Burton Villa, Rosendale Rd.

West Dulwich S.E.

Aug. 20<sup>th</sup> 1880.

To The

Under Secretary of State for India.

Sir,

In acknowledging receipt of G.O. Madras Government No. 667 under date 5<sup>th</sup> July 1880 Pension Department, intimating the grant of a Pension and Bonus, which paper seems to have come from the India Office through Messrs. Frindlay & Co. I write to ask if the Secretary of State would be pleased to advance me a sum of £120, the portion of the Bonus which the Manager of the Agra Branch Bank has instructions to remit to me on the realization of the whole sum, but which I have not yet received.

2. I have some ground for asking this favour for, by the long delay in paying

paying the money - no doubt unavoidable.  
I have lost three months interest at least,  
and as the Manager of the Agra Branch  
Bank has evidently received the above  $\text{f.o.}$   
and has long since <sup>been</sup> requested to make a  
remittance, I hope to be in a position to  
return the money on the arrival of the  
next mail under any circumstances  
as I am communicating with the  
outgoing mail of today, within two  
months.

I have &c

(Ed) A.C. Lawford.

I would request that the <sup>enclosed</sup>  $\text{f.o.}$  above  
quoted may be returned.

(Ed) A.C.L.

(Copy)

Government of Madras

Pension Department.

— 5<sup>th</sup> July 1880, - No 667 -

Pension.

Read the following papers —

From Mr. A.C. Lawford d. 27 Feby 1880.

" Exam<sup>t</sup> of P.W. Accounts. 22 May " No 139P

" Acct<sup>t</sup> sent dated 17 June 1880. No 689 A.D.S.

Order thereon 5<sup>th</sup> July 1880 No 667.

Under Resolution of the Gov<sup>t</sup> of India, No  
2079 dated 31<sup>st</sup> July 1879, His Grace the  
Governor in Council is pleased to grant,  
to Mr. Alfred Chalmers Lawford late  
Executive Engineer 1<sup>st</sup> Grade, Madras  
Public Works Dept. a compensation  
Pension of Rs. (200) two hundred per  
mensem from the 1<sup>st</sup> October 1879, in  
consideration of his qualifying superior  
service of seventeen years, eight months  
and five days.

2. Mr. Lawford is further granted a Bonus of Rs. (11,400) eleven thousand and four hundred, or twelve months — substantive pay which with the pension now granted will be payable at Madras to the Manager, Agra Bank or other duly appointed agent.

3. Explanation of the delay in the submission of this application is — separately called for.

(True Extract)

(Ed) J. Davies

Exstt. Secty to Govt.

- To the Account<sup>t</sup> General with Register
- " the Examiner of Public Works Accounts
- " Mr. A.C. Lawford
- " the Manager Agra Bank Madras.
- " the Financial Department.

N<sup>o</sup>. 10.

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Copy Correspondence with  
Mr A. C. Lawford.

MA

Referred to in Financial Letter  
Madras, No. 42, dated 16<sup>th</sup> Sep. 1880.

In N<sup>o</sup>. 2202/80

L. D. 2665  
on

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Financial

N<sup>o</sup>. 42.

Letter from Mr Lawford 20<sup>th</sup> Aug 1880  
to " " 26<sup>th</sup> " "  
from " " 27<sup>th</sup> " "  
enc.

MA

His Excellency  
The Most Noble  
The Governor in Council,  
Fort Saint George.

India Office, London.  
16<sup>th</sup> September, 1880.

My Lord Duke,  
In continuation of  
my Despatch of the 3<sup>rd</sup> June,  
N<sup>o</sup>. 29, I forward herewith,  
for your information, a  
copy of a correspondence  
with Mr A. C. Lawford, late  
of the Public Works Department,  
and request that I may be  
furnished with an early  
explanation of the circumstances  
under which Mr Lawford's  
pension, which is issued  
in this Country under the  
authority

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authority of your Letter, dated  
17<sup>th</sup> January, N<sup>o</sup>. 2 (Public Works)  
has been made payable in  
India, and also that I may  
be informed whether any,  
and if so, what payments  
have been made to that  
gentleman's Agents at Madras  
on account of his pension. -

I have the honor to be,

My Lord Duke,

Your Graces' most obedient  
humble Servant

W. Pitt Rivers

G.O. 5<sup>th</sup> July 1880 No. 667  
" 18<sup>th</sup> Aug 1880 No. 873  
" 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 80 No. 878

Financial (Pensions) Dept.  
(Pension).

No. 9

No. 2202

Financial

16<sup>th</sup> Sep. 1880.

The

Letter to Fort St. George.

No. 42.

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Pension Dept.

Regarding said  
explanation of the  
circumstances under  
which Mr. Lawford's  
pension has been made  
payable in India  
I also the informed  
whether any other  
payments have been  
made to Mr. Lawford  
at Madras on acct of  
his pension

Recd at Secy. Secy. 1880

Pension DEPARTMENT.

No. 3879

Fort Saint George,  
Accountant General's Office,  
4<sup>th</sup> November 1880.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL  
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To THE Secretary to Government,  
Pension Department.

SIR,

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Sir

Your obedient servant

H. Douglas

Offg. Account General,

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Vote for Ruder Serp.  
 On enquiry at the  
 Audits Office I am  
 told that Mr Papeler  
 bonds was paid to  
 his agent Mr S.  
 Bury & Co before  
 the 31<sup>st</sup> March 1880.  
 W.C.

By Mr. J.  
 Ruder Serp.  
 was only  
 paid in  
 August  
 Jan

Jan: 5<sup>th</sup> July 1880 - 18<sup>th</sup> 669  
 - 18<sup>th</sup> 923<sup>rd</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> 804<sup>th</sup> 873<sup>rd</sup>  
 2<sup>nd</sup> 978<sup>th</sup>

To the Treasurer of the  
 16<sup>th</sup> Sept 80

Wm

Order drawn 26<sup>th</sup> Nov 1880 No 1157 9<sup>th</sup>  
 All red & blue ink  
 cleared up the bank  
 & the money was  
 cleared up the bank

Perceval 1880 & 1881  
 Wm  
 The Accountant General  
 to the Secretary of the  
 Treasury

18<sup>th</sup> 2455

Dated 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 80  
 Dec 5<sup>th</sup>

Starting that for  
 reasons given no payment  
 has been made to the Agents  
 drawn on Account of the  
 & the do drawing but  
 the balance of 11<sup>th</sup> 1400  
 was paid to them in the  
 18<sup>th</sup> Aug 80 & informing  
 that arrangements at this  
 request are being made  
 at the same time  
 of the 18<sup>th</sup> of Dec 80 for  
 pay of the Treasurer.

Wm

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Govt. of (1880) Madras.

PENSION.  
To *The Honorable Secy*

Dated *26 November*  
Received *2<sup>d</sup> Dec* } 1880. Encl.

G.O., *26<sup>th</sup> November* 1880. No. 1157

*Payable & Bonus Commission*  
Copy of a letter from  
the Account General  
regarding the payments  
of pension & bonus to  
*Mr. Langford*