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Delegation of Powers.

Delegating to certain heads of departments the power of sanctioning excess expenditure under article 215 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, subject to the restrictions mentioned in the resolution of the Government of India, No. 830 P., dated 16th February 1898.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—again the following papers:—

G.O., No. 1565, Financial, dated 3rd September 1878.

Abstract.—Communicating to the departments of the Secretariat and to the High Court, resolution of the Government of India prescribing fresh rules to regulate the allowances, while out of employ, of an uncovenanted officer dismissed from his office, or suspended as a penalty for misconduct or pending enquiry into his alleged misconduct.

G.O., Nos. 833, 834, Financial, dated 6th October 1897.

Read—also the following paper:—

Resolution of the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department (Pay and Allowances), dated Calcutta, 16th February 1898, No. 830 P.

Read again—

Resolution in this department, No. 2550A.—1541, dated 22nd August 1878, prescribing rules regulating the allowances of an uncovenanted officer dismissed from office or suspended from office as a penalty for misconduct or pending enquiry into his alleged misconduct.

Read also—

Letter from the Government of Madras, in the Financial Department, No. 834, dated 6th October 1897.

Observations.—Under clause (*b*) of article 215 of the Civil Service Regulations, an officer suspended or dismissed may, under certain circumstances, upon re-instatement, be granted by the revising or appellate authority, according as the officer is honourably acquitted or otherwise, an allowance equal to the whole or to a part of the salary to which he would have been entitled if he had continued to hold the appointment from which he was suspended or dismissed. The grant of this allowance is, however, subject to the condition prescribed in the same article, that, without the permission of the Local Government, no expenditure may be incurred in excess of what would have taken place if the officer had remained on duty. With a view to save correspondence, the Government of Madras suggest that the power of sanctioning expenditure in excess of what would have taken place if the officer had remained on duty, which is reserved to the Local Government, may, up to a certain limit, be delegated in the Madras Presidency to the Board of Revenue in all its departments and to certain specified heads of departments.

Resolution.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council considers that the suggestion of the Government of Madras may with advantage be accepted, and is accordingly pleased to rule that, in cases where the extra cost involved does not exceed Rs. 100 and the period during which an officer has remained unemployed through suspension or dismissal does not exceed four months, the power of sanctioning excess expenditure may be delegated by a Local Government to heads of departments or officers above the rank of Collectors or District Judges, and may be exercised by heads of departments under the Government of India.

Ordered, that this resolution be communicated to all Local Governments and Administrations; to the several departments of the Government of India; to the heads of departments under the Finance Department; to the Comptroller and Auditor General; and to all Accountants-General and Comptrollers.

(By order.)

(Signed) J. B. BRUNYATE,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Order—No. 192, *Financial, dated 28th* February 1898.

The power of sanctioning excess expenditure under article 215 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations will, subject to the restrictions mentioned in the foregoing resolution, be delegated in this Presidency to the Hon'ble the Judges of the High Court; to the Board of Revenue in all its departments; to the Inspectors-General of Police, Prisons and Registration; to the Surgeon-General; and to the Director of Public Instruction.

(True Extract.)

A Edgington
for Chief Secretary.

To all Departments of the Secretariat. (Roll)
„ the Hon'ble the Chief Justice (with C.L.).
„ the Board of Revenue (all departments).
„ the Inspector-General of Police.
„ the Inspector-General of Prisons.
„ the Inspector-General of Registration.
„ the Surgeon-General.
„ the Director of Public Instruction.
„ Accountant-General.

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