

1. No. 6
2. Date 7/11/68
3. Initials of Receiver

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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	385	Press Mis.
Dated	25-3-	19 1868

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
25th March 1868.*

No. 181. Read the following letter from the President of the Central Committee for the late Paris Exhibition, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 20th March 1868.

I have the honor to forward a letter from Major Michael, late Commissioner to the Paris Exhibition, enclosing an Account of the expenditure incurred in purchasing and transmitting contributions from this Presidency.

I solicit the sanction of Government to the bill, subject to the audit of the Accountant General, and I beg that the sum of 500 Rupees may be placed at Major Michael's disposal, as an advance to meet the expense of freight, landing charges, &c., on the purchased articles expected.

From Major J. MICHAEL, late Commissioner for Madras to the late Paris Exhibition, to the President of the Madras Central Committee for the late Paris Exhibition; dated Madras, 20th March 1868.

I have the honor to submit an Account of the expenditure incurred throughout the Madras Presidency in purchasing and transmitting contributions to the Paris Exhibition of 1867.

2. The amount authorized in Order of Government, No. 30, dated 11th January 1866, was Rupees 15,000, while the sum expended on all heads is Rupees 9908-11-11, for which a bill and vouchers are herewith submitted for the sanction of Government.

3. The saving effected on the grant is, therefore, Rupees 5091-4-1.

4. With reference to my letter to your address, dated 20th February, detailing the purchases which I made for Government from the money recovered by sales of exhibits, I beg to say that detailed accounts of receipts by sales and disbursements on account of purchases will be furnished hereafter when they are received from Mr. Dowleane. Meanwhile, there will be freight and landing charges, &c., payable here on the purchased articles when they arrive, and I request that a sum of Rupees 500 may be held at my disposal to meet these expenses as they occur.

No. 182. ORDER THEREON, 25th March 1868, No. 385.

The Accountant General is authorized to pass the charge of Rupees 9908-11-11 on account of expenses incurred in connection with the Paris Exhibition.

2. A sum of Rupees 500 to cover further charges for freight, &c., and to be accounted for hereafter, is placed at Major Michael's disposal, as late Commissioner for Madras, as requested.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant General.

„ Examiner of Claims, with bill and vouchers.

„ Honorable H. D. Phillips, President of Local Committee.

London. 20th March 1868.
My dear Sir,
The Chief Secy. of the Exhibition

Have the honor to forward
to you for Major Michael, the
Comptroller to the Paris Exhibition
enclosing an account of the
expenses incurred in purchasing and
submitting contributions for the
Exhibition.

I solicit the sanction of the Committee
to the bill, subject to the audit of
the Accountants General, and they
that the sum of 500 £ may be
placed at Major Michael's disposal
as an advance to meet the expense

of freight, landing charges &c
on the ~~particulars~~ ^{particulars} ~~particulars~~ ^{particulars}

Have the honor to be
very respectfully

Yours very truly

Wm. H. Smith - Secy.

President of the General

Committee for the Cal.

Paris Exhibition

