

Public (1897) Department.

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G.O., No. 419

Dated 13-4-77

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Resending the sanction of the Govt of India
to the Transfer, free of charge, to the Nalgiri
Vol. Rifles of the exercise yard attached to
the European prison at Port of Spain as an
armoury &c.

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Public (1897) Department.

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Office note No 571
to the Secy P.W. Dept.

Your 998. C. d1

18th inst. It is intended From the Secretary P.W. Dept.

to reply to the Govt of
India, in the Public Dept, and
Order

as soon as ascertain

whether necessary
and if so have been

sent from the Revenue

Dept, and the appor.

unity will then

be taken to request

formal sanction to

the transfer of the

walls in question has

been reported

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SUBJECT.

Requesting to state with
reference to G.O. No 524
Dris. Rev d 27-1-96. Whether
the reply is to letter from
the Govt of India Military
Dept. No 2087 Wd 3rd August
on the subject of the transfer
to the Milford Volunteer Rifle
of the exercise yard of the
old European prison in
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No. 2502 W., 10TH OCTOBER 1895.



GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following papers :—

From Major-General Sir E. H. H. COLLEN, K.C.I.E., Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department (Special and Miscellaneous), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department, dated Fort William, the 20th February 1895, No. 556 M.W.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 2571 W., dated the 15th October 1894, recommending that the old Police Magazine at Cochin be repaired at the cost of the State, and transferred, rent free, to the Malabar Volunteer Corps, for the storage of their ammunition, on the understanding that the Corps keeps it in good repair in future.

2. I am to say that the Government of India understand that the old Police Magazine is classed as a provincial civil building, and that the cost of the repairs, which it is proposed to carry out at the cost of the State before handing the building over to the volunteers, will accordingly form a charge against Provincial funds.

3. I am further to observe that the practice of allowing volunteers the use of Government buildings rent free, on condition that they are kept in repair by the Corps, is opposed to existing regulations, and has been found to give rise to inconvenience.

4. The Government of India are therefore of opinion that, in the present and all similar cases, where an obligation rests on the Corps to provide the required accommodation from the capitation grant, the volunteers should be charged rent for such buildings, the property of Government, as they are allowed to occupy; but that in fixing the rent, consideration may be given to the circumstances of each case.

5. Where provincial buildings are no longer required by the Local Government, and it is considered desirable to assist a volunteer corps, the buildings might be made over altogether to the volunteers free of charge, in which case the State would be relieved of the cost of their maintenance. The previous sanction of the Government of India should, however, be obtained in each case.

6. I am to add that existing arrangements, made with the concurrence of the Government of India, under which volunteers are allowed to occupy buildings on condition of carrying out the repairs, need not be disturbed.

Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department.

(By order.)

(Signed) J. DALLAS, Captain, R.E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

From His Excellency the Lieutenant-General C. M. CLARKE, Commanding the Forces, Madras (Volunteers—Buildings), to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Ootacamund, 28th May 1895, No. 974 M.W.

Adverting to Government of Madras Public Works Department Memorandum No. 1062 C. of 14th March 1895, I have the honour to state that the Malabar Volunteer Rifles are willing to pay a rent of Rs. 12 per annum for the old Police Magazine at Cochin, provided the necessary repairs are executed, and the building maintained in future by the State.

From J. HANNAN, Esq., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 1st August 1895, No. 300 W.

With reference to your Memorandum No. 1995 C., dated 10th June 1895, I have the honour to state that the estimated cost of thoroughly repairing the old Police Magazine at Cochin is Rs. 270 (two hundred and seventy) and to submit a statement in the usual form giving data for calculating the normal rent of the building.

From Colonel J. PENNYCUICK, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, to His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, Madras, dated 15th August 1895, No. 760 D.

With reference to your letter No. 974 M.W.—*Volunteers—Buildings*, dated 28th May 1895, I am directed to state that it has been ascertained that an immediate outlay of Rs. 270 will be required to carry out the necessary repairs to the old Police Magazine at Cochin, and that the rent of the building calculated according to Public Works Code rules is Rs. 51 per annum. Seeing therefore that Provincial funds will be put to loss by the acceptance of the rent of Rs. 12 per annum offered by the Malabar Volunteer Rifles, I am to inquire whether the Corps will take over the building as it stands free of charge in which case the State will be relieved of its maintenance.

From His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, Madras (Volunteers—Buildings), to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Ootacamund, 17th September 1895, No. 1686 M.W.

Adverting to Public Works Department No. 760 D. of the 15th ultimo, I have the honour to state that the Malabar Volunteer Rifles are prepared to take over the old Police Magazine at Cochin as it stands rent free.

No. 2271, Public.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

OOTACAMUND,
25th September 1895.

(Signed) W. FRANCIS,
Ag. Under Secy. to Government.

ORDER—No. 2502 W., dated 10th October 1895.

The letter from the Government of India No. 556 M.W., dated 20th February 1895, recorded above, will be communicated to His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces and to officers of the Public Works Department for information and guidance as indicating the general policy of Government in respect of the use of Government buildings by Volunteer Corps.

2. The sanction of the Government of India will now be requested to the transfer to the Malabar Volunteer Corps, free of charge, of the old Police Magazine at Cochin.

[Here enter No. 2503 W., dated 10th October 1895.]

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. PENNYCUICK, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces.
„ Superintending Engineers.
„ the Consulting Architect.
„ the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. C. M. Prisson.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of {1895} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated October, 10th.

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G.O. No. 2502 W., 10th Oct. 1895.

OCTOBER.

Old Police Magazine at Cochin

The sanction of the Government of India to the transfer to the Malabar Volunteer Corps, free of charge, of the —, ordered to be applied for, and that Government's letter indicating their policy in respect of the use of Government buildings by Volunteer Corps, communicated to His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces and to officers of the Public Works Department.

No. 998c

Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Madras, 13 February 1897.

CHIEF SECRETARY
OFFICE NOTE.
19 FEB. 1897
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

From

The Secy. P.W. Deptt.

To

The Chief Secretary

With reference to G.O. No. 524 His Rev. dated 27th January 1896, please say whether you are replying to letter from the Government of India, Military Department, No. 2087 M.W. dated 3rd August 1896, on the subject of the transfer to the Milgiri Volunteer Rifles of the exercise yard of the old European Prison at Ootacamund.

2. The Examiner P.W. Deptt. points out that under the Government of India letter

printed with G.O. No. 2502W
dated 10 October 1895 (copy
enclosed) the sanction
of that Government is
required to the transfer
to the Volunteers of the
walls, valued at Rs 4472,
and if you are informing
the Government of India
that the walls as well as
the yard were made over
to the Corps, a request might
be included for formal
approval to the transactions.
Two letters to the Government
of India on the same
subject from different
depts of this Government
will then be unnecessary.

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J. W. Campbell Esq. Secy to Govt.

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Public (1897) Department.

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SUBJECT.

Communicating the sanction
of G.O.I. to the transfer, free
of charge, to the Nilgai
Vol. & Rifles of the exercise
yard attached to the
European prison at Coimbatore
Camp for use as an armory
drill hall.

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READING.

Special and Miscellaneous

It is requested that the above heading, with number and date of this communication, may be quoted in any subsequent correspondence on the subject.

SECRETARY
MADRAS
17 MAR 1897
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

No. 73
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 25th March 1897.

SIR,

In reply to your letter No. 220, dated 6th March 1897, I am directed to state, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, that, under the circumstances represented, the Government of India sanction the transfer, free of charge, to the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles of the exercise yard attached to the European prison at Botacamund for use as an armoury, drill hall, &c.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. J. V. S.

Major, R. C.

Secretary to the Govt of India

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