

Public Works (1897) Department.

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G.O., No. 512 R

DATED 28 July 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Carriage of Coal: Govt of India resolution
on the subject of the rates and conditions for
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railways, Comptroller General's orders 18.2.97.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

Simla, the 8th July 1897.

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ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be communicated to the Local Governments and Administrations.

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ways, Calcutta, Lucknow and Assam. Western Provinces and Oudh,
and the Punjab, the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, the Agents
to the Governor General for Central India and Baluchistan, and the Accountant
General, Public Works Department, for information.

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary.

Documents accompanying.

Nil

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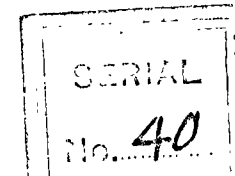
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W. S. S. BISSET, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary.

Documents accompanying.
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

No. 512 R dated 28/7/97
P. W. DEPARTMENT.
By order

READ the following

Govt. of India Circular No. 547 R dated 8th July 1897.

Communicated to
the Agents Madras and South
Indian Railways in continuation
of endorsement No. 1678 dated
27th May 1895.

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The Agent & Manager Madras Rly
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