

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 59 R

DATED 26 January 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Temporary Engineer: Approving the proposal of the agent & manager Madras Railway to offer an increased initial salary of Rs. 400 with the usual fixed allowance of Rs. 75 to a - for that Railway now proposed to be employed.

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No. *82*

MADRAS RAILWAY.

AGENT AND MANAGERS' OFFICE,

Madras, *20th January* 1897

From

The Agent and Manager.

To

The Consulting Engineer for Railways.

SIR,

I have the honour to inform you that Mr. J. A. Percy, Temporary Assistant Engineer, who was appointed on the 18th August last has given a month's notice of his intention to resign our service and it becomes necessary to advertise for an Assistant Engineer to take his place. Considering the difficulty we experienced in obtaining a suitable officer in response to our last advertisement, and the great demand for Engineers that now prevails, it would seem necessary to offer a higher rate of pay. I therefore propose instead of offering the commencing salary of a

3rd class Assistant Engineers viz.
Rs 350. to offer the pay of the higher
grade, Rs 400/- with the usual fixed
allowance of Rs 75. In the establish-
ment rolls of the current half year,
provision is made for two Temporary
Assistant Engineers with salary -
Rs 350 - 500, out of which the -
increased initial salary proposed
to be given to one only whom it is
contemplated employing for the
present, will be met.

Will you kindly inform me -
early if this proposal meets -
with your approval?

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

your most obedient servant.

Healey C. West

Ag. Agent & Manager.

C. No. 342
Recd. 24.1.97

Form No. 21.
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EXAMINER,
RAILWAY ACCOUNTS, MADRAS
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Enclosures

OFFICE OF THE CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR RAILWAYS,

Madras, 21st January 1897.

No. 256

OFFICE NOTE.

Letter from the Agent, Manager Madras Railway, No. 82
dated 20th January 1897, forwarded to the Examiner of Railway
Accounts for favour of remarks.

[Signature]

for E. R.

23/1/97

EXAMINER'S REPLY.

If the Agent and Manager's reasons for
wishing to increase the salary of temporary Engineer
above the minimum of 3rd Class Engineers are
accepted, the Local Government may approve of
the proposed salary, as it is less than the mi-
nimum, viz., Rs 500, fixed by the Govt.
of India for the lowest class of Engineers.

affirms
[Signature]
25/1/97

[Signature]

C.R.

23/1/97

No 59. A dated 26.1.97

DEPARTMENT.

Ry Koch

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Letter from the Agent
& Manager Madras Ry

H.E. No. 82 of 20 Jan: 97

The Agent & Manager
Ry's proposal is approved

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The Agent & Manager
Ry's proposal is approved

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