

Public Works (1898) Department.

RAILWAY BRANCH.

G.O., No. 1164. Dy

DATED 22nd Sept 1898.

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P.R. for approval
D.P.

[Despatch Abstract.]

General offices at Rayapuram,
Madras Railway

Sanctioning ^{an} estimate amounting
to Rs 14,292 for ~~the~~ additions & alterations
to the —

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No. 1164 Ry., 22ND SEPTEMBER 1898.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Railway.

Read the following paper:—

From—The Agent and Manager, Madras Railway Company.
To—The Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras.
Dated—Madras, 1st September 1898, No. E. 763/830.

I have the honour to enclose an estimate (with two plans, Nos. 4160 and 4160 A), amounting to Rs. 14,465, being the cost of the following works:—

Two new rooms in the upper storey of the Royapuram offices proposed to be constructed with a view to release rooms on the ground floor for conversion into record-rooms.

Fitting the three rooms released as above with shelves, so as to adapt them to serve as record-rooms.

Extension of the main staircase by means of an iron structure with wooden "raisers" and "treads" to the upper storey in replacement of the existing wooden spiral case.

2. The necessity for the construction of the two rooms in the upper storey arises from the rooms on the ground floor now occupied by the Traffic Audit staff being required for the purpose of storing the records of this, the Chief Engineer's and the Audit offices. The absence of suitable accommodation for this purpose has long been felt, the room in the station yard at present used being damp and unsuited. Further, this room will have to be shortly demolished.

3. With regard to the new staircase, I beg to point out that the present wooden spiral case is highly inconvenient and also dangerous, and it is necessary that it should be replaced by a more convenient structure.

4. All these changes were discussed at an officers' meeting held in my office on the 10th June 1898 and were approved.

5. Information as to provision in the budget and the date on which sanction will lapse is given on the estimate.

6. I request that the sanction of Government will be communicated to me for the proposed outlay.

ORDER—No. 1164 Ry., dated 22nd September 1898.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 14,465, chargeable in the proportion of Rs. 14,292 to Capital and Rs. 173 to Revenue, for the works enumerated in the Agent's letter read above, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction has been registered as No. 22 Ry. of 1898-99.

(True Extract.)

FRANCIS J. E. SPRING,
Joint Secretary.

To the Agent and Manager, Madras Railway.
" Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

*Vide Amis No 1185
Submitting under
Design for the upper
storey at Royapuram
approved in No 3489
File 302*

RAILWAY.

Government {1898} of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Recd.

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Enclosures

Spare copies

G.O., No. 1164 Ry., 22nd September 1898.

SEPTEMBER.

General Offices at Royapuram, Madras Railway

Sanctioning an estimate, amounting to Rs. 14,465, for additions and alterations to the —.

(No. 1.)

No.

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MADRAS RAILWAY.

AGENT AND MANAGER'S OFFICE,

MADRAS,

1st September 1898.

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 2. Plans &
 1. Estimate

MADRAS RAILWAY.

From

The Agent and Manager,

M. R. Co.,

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways

Dated

1888

Recd.

No.

OFFICE OF THE CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR RAILWAYS,
Madras, 22 September 1898.



No 2477

OFFICE NOTE.

Letter from the Agent Manager Madras Railway, No 8763
830, dated 1st September 1898, forwarded to the Examiner of Railway
Accounts for perusal of check as to allocation and
budget provision.

EMS
for E. R.

EXAMINER'S REPLY.

The estimate is correct as to allocation
and requires the sanction of the Local
Government.

Funds are available from the grant
for unsanctioned works Schedule B,
Budget 1898-99.

5-9-98.

Sanction *FM*
21/1/98

EW
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21/1/98

MADRAS RAILWAY.

From

The Agent and Manager,

M. R. Co.,

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways.

To

Dated

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Recd.

No.

Read

Letter from AM No. $\frac{E763}{830}$

11.9.98.

No. 1164. Dtd 22/9/98

Order

The estimate amounting to Rs. 14,465 chargeable in the proportion of Rs. 14,292 to Capital, and Rs. 173 to Revenue, for the work enumerated in the Agent's letter read above, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction has been registered as No. R. 7688-98.

Jd.
SR.

Manager
Agent Maora
Ex-Ad. R. Acct.
Camp Bus. for Rev.

5/10/98

Letter from A.M.

No. $\frac{E763}{830}$

Dated 1.9.98.

To E. R.

This letter asks sanction for an estimate amounting to Rs. 14,465 for building two new rooms in the upper storey of the Royapuram offices to release rooms on the ground floor for conversion into record rooms Rs. 10,275

(ii) putting shelves for the records in the rooms thus released - Rs. 1,000

(iii) Extension of the main staircase to the upper storey in replacement of the existing wooden spiral one - Rs. 3,190

So that it practically means spending the total sum viz Rs. 14,465 in order to provide rooms for filing the records in.

There are no previous papers put up, so I do not know if the subject has been practically settled previously.

I see in my Inspection notes the remark that - new buildings are being built for audit branch at Royapuram. There, I think, must be the same as the present estimate refers to. I had no idea

when on inspection that these
rooms which seemed well in
hand, though I did not go
up to the top of the building
to inspect them, had not been
previously criticized & ~~the~~
estimates sanctioned.

Jd
13.9.98

I knew all about this before. & I think
approved of it, in a general way. in some form
or other. Perhaps when I was in London last
But I cannot recollect how I got to know of it.

Any previous papers?

FWS

13/1/98

ER.

There are no previous
papers.

ER
20.5.98