

Public Works (1898) Department.

Railway Branch

G.O., No. 413-14. *By*

DATED *15th March 1898*

[Despatch Abstract.]

Automatic Vacuum brakes

Ordered that the Govt. of India be furnished with the certain information in connection with the statement showing all cases in which the — failed to act in working of trains on the Madras Railway during the 2^d half of 1897.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY STATISTICS.

To

The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department, Railway Branch.

Calcutta, the 22nd February 1898.

Sir,

With reference to the statement showing all cases in which the automatic vacuum brakes failed to act or caused delay in the working of trains on the Madras railway during the second-half of 1897, forwarded with your letter No. 173 R., dated the 1st February 1898, I have the honour to request the favour of your furnishing information with regard to the following points:-

- (i) Description of train and the duration of delay, if any, in connection with the failure on the 11th September 1897.
- (ii) Duration of delay, if any, in connection with the failure on the 14th September 1897.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Wm Lammater
Captain, R.E.

Offg. Under Secretary.

Documents accompanying:-

Nil.

M.L.M.

(No. I.)

No. 9581

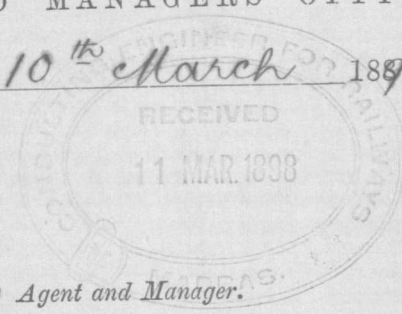
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MADRAS RAILWAY.

AGENT AND MANAGER'S OFFICE,

Madras, 10th March 1898.

From



The Agent and Manager.

Madras Railway

To

The Consulting Engineer for Railways.

SIR,

Madras.

With reference to your endorsement No. 602 of the 1st instant, on copy of a communication from the Government of India, I have the honor to furnish below the desired information.

(1) The train in question was a "passenger" train. There was no delay.

(2) There was no delay.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Wm. S. M. N.
Agent & Manager.

Enclosed.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Sp. 4/3. Secy dated 15/3/98
 READ the following

Letter from the Govt of India No. 108 N. & 22. 2. 98
— Gov. Agent, Madras Rly, No. 9581 d/ 10. 3. 98
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Ordered that the
Govt of India be informed
accordingly.

No. 4/4. Secy d/ 15/3/98.
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The Secy to the Govt of India,
P. W. Dept

Sir,
In reply to your letter
No 103 N. Stat., d/ 22 Feb 98,
I am directed to state that
the automatic brake failure
on the 11th Sept 1897 occurred
on a 'passenger' train, and that
no delay resulted therefrom
either on that date or on the

Document accompanying: 14th item.

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