Public Works (1899) Department.

RAILWAY BRANCH.

G.O., No. 926. Ry

DATED 19th Aug. 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Supply of pig-lead

Recording Endorsement from the Govt. of India forwarding for info. & guidance, Copy of its circular No. VI Ry. of 18/7/99 stating that Ry. Adm. should in future obtain their normal requirements of lead by indent from England in the usual way having recourse to Arsenals & ordnance Depôts for small & urgent demands only.

BACK PAPERS.

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3rd September 1891, No. 2347 W., Public Works.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

Read—the following paper :—

G.O., dated 17th August 1891, No. 763, Financial.

Read—the following paper :—

Resolution of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department (Accounts and Finance—Stores), dated Simla, 6th August 1891, No. 3232.

Read—the following paper :—

Despatch from the Right Honorable Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, dated 9th July 1891, No. 15 Financial (Stores).

Abstract.—Requesting that officers requiring pig lead may be directed to utilise the large stocks of this metal, which are available in the various Arsenals and Ordnance depôts throughout India in preference to indenting on the India office.

Order—

Ordered that copy be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the Military and Public Works Departments, and to the Mint Masters, Calcutta and Bombay, for information and guidance.

(Signed) J. E. O'CONOR,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Enclosure.

Despatch from the Right Honorable Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to the Government of India, dated 9th July 1891, No. 15 Financial (Stores).

Indents are from time to time received for pig lead for various departments in India although large stocks of such lead, suitable for nearly all purposes, are, it is understood, available at the various Arsenals and Ordnance depôts throughout India. I request, therefore, that indenting officers may be directed to utilise these sources of supply, where practicable, in preference to indenting on this office.

Order—dated 17th August 1891, No. 763, Financial.

Communicated to the Public Works and Military Departments.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

ORDER—dated 3rd September 1891, No. 2347 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Under-Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways. ✓ communicate to all DEs
To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Superintendent of Works, Periyár Project.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of {1891} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 3rd.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 2347 W.

-X.1336 **SEPTEMBER.**

No. ~~872~~ 2484 Dated 16 Septr 1891.
Copy forwarded to A, Am E.C.R
E.K.B and S.N.R.

Vide Ar: № 1544: 28.9.91.

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Pig Lead

Proceedings in the Financial Department, communicating Resolution of the Government of India issuing instructions to officers indenting for — to utilise the various Arsenals and Ordnance depôts in India in preference to indenting on the India office, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.

Letter to Inspector general of Ordnance

No. 1544

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South Indian Railway,
AGENT'S OFFICE,
~~NEGAPATAM~~, Trichy 28th Septr 1891.

No. 2647 ~~14/91~~
1-10-91

From

The AGENT,
SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY

To

The CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR RAILWAYS,
MADRAS.

papers
WCL 29/9/91

Sir, submitted
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Sir,

Referring to your endorsement No. 1336 dated 16th September 1891 on a Copy of the Madras G. O. No. 2347 W. 3rd September 1891. I beg to inform you that this Company requires 6 tons of Pig lead for works on the V. G. State Railway. If this quantity can be supplied from the Madras Arsenal and Ordanance Depot I shall be obliged by your obtaining the Sanction of Government to the Officer in charge of the arsenal — meeting our application —

I am,
Sir
Your most Obedient St.

William Betts
Agent.

ask the Arsenal authorities
29/9

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REGISTER.
No. 1340
FILE
No.

From
The Agent,
South Indian Railway,
Negapatam.
To
The Consulting Engineer for Railways,
Madras.
Dated 28th September 1891
Received
No. 1544
Enclosure

Form No. 10.

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Madras, 1 October ~~30th September~~ 1891.

To

The Inspector-General of Ordnance, Fort St. George

No. 2647 Reply No. B/11717 of 30-10-91.

Sir,

Reminder.

Subject.

Adverting to G.O. (Financial) No. 763 d/17th Augt: '91, communicating copy of a despatch from the S of S. to the Govt: of India, regarding the supply of pig lead by the various Arsenals & Ordnance Depôts ~~throughout~~ India, I have ~~the~~ honour to forward a copy of a letter from ~~at the instance of~~ the Agent, S. I. Ry:, × No. 15-44/28-9-91 & to request that you will kindly arrange for supplying him with any lead he may require that you can spare. ~~for 6 tons of Pig lead required for works on the N. G. S. Ry:, being sent to his address at Trichy: direct, with a bill of cost, packing charges &c.~~

Tad
30. IX. 91

No. ~~2647~~ 1419 2648 Dated 1st ~~Septr:~~ 1891
Copy forwarded to A, in reply to his No. 1544; 28th Septr: '91.
C.A. for infn.

Rd
1.10.91

P. No. 60—B.

No. $\frac{B}{117^{17}}$

Office of the Inspr. Genl. of Ordce.
Fort Saint George,
30 October 1891.

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From

Colonel T. WALKER, R. A.,
Inspector General of Ordnance.

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To

The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor, with reference to your No. 2647 dated 1st. Instant, to inform you that the small stock of lead in Madras Arsenal has been already disposed of: nor is it probable that there will be any considerable accumulation in the future.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant

H.A.K. Jennings Captain R.A.
For Insp. Genl. of Ordnance

No B 11717
1452

From
Colonel T. WALKER, R. A.,
Inspector General of Ordnance,
Fort Saint George.

To
The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
Madras

DATED 30 Octr 1891.
RECEIVED 31.10.91

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States that the small stock of lead referred to has been disposed of.

No 1541/2891 dated 3rd Novr 1891.
C. forwarded to A for infn. in contn: of this Office No 1419/2648 d/ 1st Octr: 91.

P. No. 60—B.

No O/18002 Office of the Inspr. Genl. of Ordce.
Fort Saint George,
25 February 1892.

10/179 B

From
Colonel T. WALKER, R. A.,
Inspector General of Ordnance.

To
The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to my Letter No B.11717 dated 30th October 1891, I have the honor to say that arrangements have now been made by which demands for lead can be met. Lead required at Guntakal can be demanded from the Bellary Arsenal.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt servant
T Walker Colonel R.A.,
Inspector General of Ordnance

No 265/450
Copy forwarded to A for infn. in contn: of this Office No 1541/2891 d/ 3rd Novr. 91.

Madras.
29.2.92

WLS
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No 0 18002

From

Colonel T. WALKER, R. A,
Inspector General of Ordnance,
Fort Saint George.

To

The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
Madras

DATED 25 February } 1892
RECEIVED 26. 2. 92.

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Ordnance Department
Stores - Supplies.

No. 1676 D.

Government of India
Military Department
Simla, the 19th April 1892.

To
The Director General of Ordnance
in India

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 11,000 A, dated the 29th March 1892, I am directed to say that the Resolution of the ~~Finance~~ Finance and Commerce Department No. 3232 of the 6th August 1891, authorizes the supply of pig lead from Arsenals and Ordnance Depots only to Officers entitled to procure pig lead by indents on the Secretary of State for India.

Dy C

I am &c:
Sd/ M. J. King Harman Col.
Dy: Secy to the Govt of India

Copy to Finance Department.

True Copy
W. Shearburn

Chief Clerk
Office of I. G. of Ordnance
Madras Circle

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Letter to Inspector General of Ordnance Madras No 13250 of 11/6/92 -

full Dr Clt lit W.H. 11/6

No. 891

South Indian Railway Co., Ld.,
AGENT'S OFFICE,

TRICHINOPOLY, 10th June 1892.

15/179.A.

Submitted B 11/6.

From

The Agent,
SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY,

To

The CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR RAILWAYS,
MADRAS.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the arrangement notified in letter No. 0/18002 of 25th February last from the Inspector General of Ordnance to yourself, as advised under cover of your endorsement No. 265 of 29th February 1892, the Acting Chief Engineer applied to the Inspector General of Ordnance, Madras, for two tons of pig lead required for works on the Villupuram Guntakal line, but that officer, by his letter No. 0/3463 of 3/6/92 informed Mr. Spalding that he is unable to comply with the demand because the Government of India has decided that lead can only be issued to such Railways as demand stores through the Agency of Secretary of State for India.

Up B

I have therefore to request the favou of your informing me whether the Inspecto General is correct in his action.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Ser

William Beth
Agent

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REGISTER
No. 828
FILE
No.

From
The Agent,
South Indian Railway,
Trichinopoly,
To
The Consulting Engineer for
Railways,
Madras.
Dated } 10.6. 1892
Received }
No. 891
Enclosure.

Form No. 10.

16/179 A.

Madras, 11th June 1892.

To

The
Inspector General of Ordnance
Madras.

No. 1325 Reply No. 0/4,315 of 18.6.92

Reminder,

Subject.

Sir,

I understand from the A S.I.R that it has been ruled that pig lead can only be issued to such railways as demand stores through the Agency of the Secy of State. Would you kindly favor me with a copy of this ruling as it has not as yet been communicated to me

HDL
11/6/92

P/p Rec 19/6

17 Submitted M 20/6

Letter to [illegible] 767
22/6/92

17/179.A.

No. 0/4315

P. No. 60—

Office of the Inspr. Genl. of Ordc
Fort Saint George,
18th June 1892

From

Lieutt Colonel A. F. Fletcher ~~T. WALKER~~, R. A.,
Offg Inspector General of Ordnance.

To

The Consulting Engineers
for Railways,
Madras.

Sir,

Dep B

With reference to your letter No 1325 dated 11th Instant, I have the honor to forward a copy of Government of India Military Department letter No 1676 D dated 19th April 1892.

Tell A M 20/6

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

A. F. Fletcher Lt Colonel R.A.
Offg Inspector Genl of Ordnance
Madras Circle

Govt A's letter No 591 d/18 June 1892 has to be answered – see last para.
TAD
20.vi.92

He must be told he can't have it M 20/6

REGISTER
№ 986
FILE
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No 0/4315

From
~~St.~~ Colonel ~~T. WALKER~~ A. F. Fletcher, R. A.,
~~Offg.~~ Inspector General of Ordnance,
Fort Saint George.

To
The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
Madras

DATED
RECEIVED 18th June } 1892.

Forwards copy of Govt. of India M. D. letter No. 1676 D, dated 19th April 1892 ___

FROM No. 7.

MADRAS, 22nd June 1892.

18/179A

To

Agent, S. I. R.

No. 767 Reply No. , dated

SIR,

In reply to your No. 891 d/10th June '92, I have the honour to state that the action of the I. G. of Ordnance in having declined to comply with the Co. Engr's. demand for pig lead is correct, and ~~you~~ it cannot, therefore, ~~have it~~ be supplied to you by him.

TAO
21.VI.92

Ret.

21st June, 1892

Reminders.

Subject.

Public Works (1899) Department.

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Railway
CURRENT No. 985

From The Govt of India.

Order No. 926. Ry dated 18/8/99

Recorded

No. 1099 R-8.

Dated 18th July 1899
Received 2nd August '99
Registered — do —
Enclosures
Spare copies

16.8.99.

SUBJECT.

Supply of pig-lead

Forwarding for information & guidance, copy of Govt of India Cir no VI Ry d/18/7/99 stating that Ry Adminis should in future obtain their normal requirements of lead by Indent from England in the usual way having recourse to Arsenals & Ordnance Depots for small & urgent demands only

To

The Consg Engr for Rys

Despatched on 18/8/99

5/8/99

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JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVT. OF MADRAS RY.
RECEIVED
2 - AUG. 1899

[Heads of Departments.]

Circular No. VI Ry.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY STORES.

To

THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR RAILWAYS, CALCUTTA, LUCKNOW AND ASSAM.
THE MANAGERS, NORTH WESTERN, OUDH AND ROHILKHAND, EASTERN BENGAL AND EAST COAST (STATE) RAILWAYS.
THE ENGINEERS-IN-CHIEF, INDUS BRIDGE, GHAZIABAD-MORADABAD, GODAVARY BRIDGE-WORKS AND HURDWAR-DEHRA RAILWAYS.
THE PORT STORE-KEEPER, STATE RAILWAY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA.

Simla, the 18th July 1899.

Supply of pig-lead.

SIR,

In supersession of the orders contained in Government of India, Public Works Department, Circular No. XV Railway, dated 18th September 1891, requiring pig-lead for use on railways to be procured from the various Arsenals and Ordnance Depôts in preference to indenting on the India Office, which procedure was adopted in order to utilize what, it was understood, were surplus stocks of lead, I am directed to state that it has been ascertained that Ordnance Depôts and Arsenals are at present only able to meet small demands. In future therefore railway administrations should obtain their normal requirements of lead by indent from England in the usual way, having recourse to Arsenals and Ordnance Depôts for small and urgent demands only.

Not received

I have the honour to be,
SIR,
Your most obedient Servant,

C. J. COLE,
Under Secretary.

Documents accompanying.
Nil.

No. 1099 R. S., dated the 18th July 1899.

Copy forwarded to the officers noted in the margin for information and guidance, and to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce and Military Departments, and Accountant General, Public Works Department, for information, with reference to Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, Resolution No. 3232, dated 6th August 1891.

The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Railway Branch.
The Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department, Railway Branch.
The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department.
The Secretary to the Government of Burma, Public Works Department, Railway Branch.
The Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor General, Rajputana and Central India.

By order,

C. J. Cole

Under Secretary.

G. C. Press, Simla.—No. 681 P. W. D.—22-7-99.—430.

To
The Joint Secy to the Govt. of Madras,
Public Works Department, Ry. Branch.