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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 1st August 1899.

Custody of Cheque Books and the use and accounting for Service Labels (Postage).

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
THE JOINT SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, RAILWAY BRANCH.
THE SECRETARIES TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, GENERAL AND RAILWAY BRANCHES.
THE SECRETARIES TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF BENGAL, THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH AND THE PUNJAB, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
THE SECRETARIES TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BURMA, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, GENERAL AND RAILWAY BRANCHES.
THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES, ASSAM AND COORG.
THE RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD.
THE AGENTS TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA, RAJPUTANA AND BALUCHISTAN.
THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF MILITARY WORKS.
THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR RAILWAYS, CALCUTTA, LUCKNOW AND ASSAM.
THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF TELEGRAPHS.
THE MANAGERS, NORTH-WESTERN, OUDH AND ROHILKHAND, EAST COAST AND EASTERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAYS.
THE ENGINEERS-IN-CHIEF, HARDWAR-DEHRA AND GHAZIABAD-MORADABAD RAILWAYS.
THE ENGINEERS-IN-CHIEF, GODAVERY AND INDUS BRIDGE WORKS.
THE ENGINEERS-IN-CHIEF, KOHAT-BANNU, RANAGHAT-GANGES AND KATIHAH, AND BARA-AJMERE-MARWAR RAILWAY SURVEYS.
THE PORT STOREKEEPER, STATE RAILWAY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA.

SIR,

SIR,

It having come to the notice of the Government of India that the rules in Public Works Code, Volume II, Chapter I, paragraphs 87 and 87-A, which require that cheque books shall be kept in the personal custody of disbursing officers, are not as generally observed as they should be, I am directed to bring the matter to your notice, and to request that the importance of these rules being strictly followed may be impressed on all disbursing officers.

I also observe that the use and accounting for service labels (post-
paid) appears from a recent case of fraud in the Punjab

2. I am also to observe that the use and accounting for service labels (postage) is another matter which it appears from a recent case of fraud in the Punjab does not receive the attention it needs.

The rules on this subject will shortly be revised by Standing Orders.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Chercher

Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Documents accompanying.

Nil.

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Nil.
To The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
and the Government Railway Branch.

