Revenue Department

Minutes of Consultation

1st to 17th June 1859

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, from 11th to 17th June 1859.

No. 24. Read the following letter from G. N. TAYLOR, Esq., Inám Commissioner; to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department; dated 26th May 1859.

1. In anticipation of the more detailed report which, in accordance with the instructions contained in para. 22 of the Honorable the Governor's minute, it will be my duty to submit as early as practicable, I desire to place before the Government without loss of time a brief outline of the preliminary measures which, with its approval, I propose to adopt in view to carrying into effect the principles which have been laid down for my guidance in the adjudication of the Inams of this Presidency.

2. The particular application of these principles to the several classes of Inams I reserve for consideration hereafter: it will suffice for the present to state that I apprehend no difficulty on that score. I believe on the contrary, even allowing forthe vast variety of tenures which exist in every District, that each case may be fully and fairly met by the Rules which will be framed in accordance with those principles.

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5. The first point to be considered is, the agency to be employed and the establishments to be entertained to assist me in the prosecution of the work before me.

6. In the Government Proceedings dated 20th January 1857, recommending the appointment of an Inam Commissioner it was proposed (para. 39) that the Chief Commissioner should be assisted by a number of Deputies on a salary of Rupees 1,200 each, with suitable Establishments; and this proposition was sanctioned by the late Court of Directors in their Despatch of the 1st September 1858, paras. 30 and 34. Under present circumstances however, and seeing that my work will be limited at first starting to one or two Districts, I propose to forego the assistance of Covenanted Deputies until the increase of work seems to require their appointment, and to employ meanwhile in lieu of one of such deputies two special Uncovenanted Assistants of the grade of 2nd or 3rd Class Deputy Collectors. These officers will aid me in working up details, in the disposal of lapses, and in the adjudication of the Inam cases which will be sent up by the subordinate Agency to be employed in the several Districts.

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9. Such is a brief outline of the order in which I propose to proceed, but a clear statement of the plan will be submitted when fully matured, together with draft rules, tables of commutation, notices and other forms. I request permission to summon to the Presidency the Deputy Collectors I desire to select, for, in order to insure uniformity of practice and to satisfy myself that each officer thoroughly understands what he has to do before starting, it is desirable that I should arrange with them in person the course of procedure. Plain rules (to be submitted hereafter) will be laid down for their guidance, and provided with their instructions they will be accredited by letters of introduction to the Collectors, who will be requested to afford them every possible assistance in collecting information from the Hoozoor Records, in preparing correct Registers, and in the general prosecution of their duties. I cannot too strongly urge the importance of enlisting the active co-operation of all the District officers; our rate of progress will greatly depend upon the degree of support and assistance afforded by the Public officers of all grades, all should be interested in the speedy settlement of the matter and each in his degree should contribute his aid accordingly, I feel confident that the cordial help of Collectors and heads of offices will not be withheld.

10. With regard to the salary and establishment of the Deputy Collectors thus placed temporarily at my disposal, I beg to propose that each selected officer be allowed the pay of the grade next above that to which he stands at present appointed, with the addition of 50 Rupees travelling allowance to those of the 3d and 4th class, and 100 Rupees to those of the 1st and 2d. My choice will not for the present fall upon any officer in the two highest grades of the service, and in the event of a person being selected who has not yet received his appointment as Deputy Collector the salary of such person should not exceed Rupees 250, with 50 Rupees travelling allowance. The standard of establishment will be that fixed for each grade respectively.

11. In regard to an office establishment for myself and the two Special Assistants I have considerable difficulty in determining the precise scale, or the amount of expenditure it will be necessary to incur on this account. While on the one hand it should not exceed the bounds of due economy, it is necessary on the other to provide for the thorough efficiency of the controlling office. Although these establishments are of a temporary nature it is very important that the rates of pay should enable me to secure and retain the best available agency, and it should be clearly understood at the outset that the period of employment in the Inam commission will count as service in calculating claims to pension under the rules.

12. I desire to keep the expenditure on account of my own office establishment, if possible, within 1000 Rupees a month, and that required for the offices of the two Special Assistants at 600 Rupees (that is 300 Rupees for each) making the total estimated expenditure for office establishment 1600 Rupees a month, these establishmenss will be formed gradually as the work proceeds, and as it may be found desirable after actual experience to alter any distribution of the expeditnre which I might now propose. I trust I may be allowed a discretion in apportioning the amount sanctioned according to the future requirements of the office, this descretion is the more necessary because it may be requisite from time to time to depute persons from my office, or from that of the Special Assistants, to assist the Deputy Collectors entrusted with executive duties. I annex a sketch of what seems to be required for my own office and those of the Assistants, and if approved I will submit a statement in the usual form for sanction of the Government of India asking permission to entertain at once those persons whose i mmediate services are obviously necessary. This estimate does not include travelling batta for the office establishment which should be charged at the rates allowed to the officers employed under the Director of Revenue Settlement.

Commissioner's Office.		*Special Assistant.*	
1 *Manager*... 175		1 *Head Clerk*.....50	
with Assistants....200		*Clerks and Gomastahs*..... ...	200
1 *Head Clerk*.....100		1 *Moochee and Stamper*..	8
and a number of Clerks....	250	1 *Do*.... 7	
1 *Translator*... 80		1 *Sweeper*..... 3	
1 *Record keeper*...75		1 *Head Peon*.....8	
1 *Moochee*... ... ...10½		4 *Peons at* 6.....24	
2 *Stampers at* 8...16			
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1 *Sweeper*.....4			
1 *Jamadar*... 15		*For two*...600	
8 *Peons at* 7..... 56			
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13. There remains the question of the tentage or travelling allowance to be drawn by the Inam Commissioner. Adopting the rates prevailing in this Presidency in preference to those which obtain in Bengal and Bombay, I propose that the Commissioner, who will have no Head Quarters for any length of time and must provide his own office accommodation wherever he goes, shall be allowed the permanent and extra tentage of a Collector during the whole year. The Revenue Commissioner for alienations in Bombay is allowed a permanent tentage of Rupees 44½ and 10 Rupees a day travelling batta when in the Districts.

14. The items of the proposed expenditure on account of the Inam Department, exclusive of the salary and allowance of the Deputy Collectors who may be from time to time selected for temporary employment therein, will therefore be as follows:

Inam Commissioner	*Monthly.*	*Annually.*
Salary	2,500	30,000
Tentage	87-8	1,050
Extra for 12 months	157-8	1,890
Office Establishments ...	1,000	12,000
	3,745	45,940
Special Assistant		
Salary	500	6,000
Travelling allowance ...	100	1,200
Office Establishment	300	3,600
	900	10.800
2 Assistants would be	1,800	21,600

Total Commissioner and 2 Special Assistants.....66,540

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No. 25. ORDER THEREON, 14th June 1859, No. 784.

The Governor in Council approves the arrangements and plan of proceeding proposed by the Inam Commissioner in this letter. But he will expect to receive in due time the more detailed information promised at the commencement of para. 9.

2. Mr. Taylor will report the names of the persons whom he wishes to be appointed to be his Special Assistants, (para. 7), as well as those of the Deputy Collectors whose services he wishes for, as stated in para. 8. They will then be placed at his disposal as requested in para. 9.

3. The Civil Auditor will be authorized to pass to these officers the pay and allowances proposed for them respectively in paras. 7 and 10.

4. The proposals in para. 12 respecting the office establishments of the Commissioner and his Assistants are approved, and Mr. Taylor is authorized to entertain at once such servants, within the specified amounts, as he may find necessary. After a few months' experience he will state more definitely the establishments which he considers necessary both for himself and for his Assistants.

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Ordered that a copy of these Proceedings and of Mr. Taylor's letter be transmitted to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance and for communication to all Collectors.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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From The Inam Commissioner
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26 May 1859

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Proceedings of the Mar[illegible] Government
Under date [illegible] the 14th June 1859

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Were entered 26th May/59.

From Mr G. R. Taylor 26 May 1859

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From the Inam Commissioners 4 Secretary
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