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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1711 — Press / ~~Mis.~~

456-457

Dated 26-9- 1860.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 26th September 1860.

No. 456. Read the following letter from W. BALMAIN, Esq., Officiating Civil Auditor, to J. D, BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 6th September 1860, No. 619 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report as follows regarding Mr. G. N. Taylor's claim to increased Travelling Allowance. Proceedings of Government, Revenue Department, No. 1,401, as August 21st.

2. The following are the allowances drawn by heads of Departments who to a greater or less extent are required to travel on Public Service:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Inám Commissioner, Bombay, Salary.....	2,333	5	4
Tentage.....	44	7	1

Travelling Allowance *when in the Districts*, Rs. 10 per day.

The Post Master General draws Rupees 10 a day while actually travelling.

The Director of Public Instruction 8 Annas a mile and 4 Rupees a day for halting.

The Inspector of Prisons a consolidated, allowance of Rupees 250 a month.

Director of Revenue Settlement, 87-8-0 fixed tentage; 8 Annas a mile of Travelling; 5-4-0 per diem while absent from the Presidency Town.

	RS.	A.	P.	
The Inám Commissioner at Madras draws now fixed tentage	87	8	0	per month.
Extra Tentage for whole month whether travelling or not.	157	8	0	
	245	0	0	per month.

3. The case of the Inspector of Prisons is the only one where Travelling Allowance is drawn without reference to the Officer being really moving, and the grant of such an allowance is opposed to the principle laid down by the Secretary of State as quoted in Proceedings of Government, No. 658, May 1st 1860. It appears to me that the tentage allowances drawn by a Collector is not applicable to an Officer in the position of the Inám Commissioner, who has long journeys to perform: a combination of a mileage allowance with a fixed rate for the time passed in the Districts as is drawn by the Superintendent of Revenue Settlement would be more suitable.

No. 457. ORDER THEREON, 26th September 1860, No. 1,711.

1. The Inám Commissioner now receives a sum of Rupees 245 in a month of 30 days, as travelling allowance, being the permanent and extra tentage of a Collector, as sanctioned in the Order of Government dated 14th June 1859, No. 784, paragraph 5, and he asks to have it increased to Rupees 387½ to be drawn like his present allowance all the year round wherever he may be. The ground of this application is that his travelling charges considerably exceed his present allowance.

2. The Civil Auditor to whom the matter was referred for report says that the tentage allowances drawn by a Collector is not applicable to an Officer in the position of the Inám Commissioner who has long journeys to perform. He thinks that a combination of a mileage allowance with a fixed rate for the time passed in the Districts would be more suitable.

3. The Government have considered the subject; and they resolve to sanction the grant of an allowance of Rupees 10 per diem to the Inám Commissioner as tentage to be drawn when away from the Presidency, in lieu of the allowance sanctioned on the 14th June 1859.

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

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The Imam Commⁿ.

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month as travelling allowance.

& he asks to have it increased

to 387.8 — to be drawn, as his

present allowance is, all the

year round, whenever he may be.

He says that his trav-

-elling charges considerably

exceed his present allowance;

but he does not say what

charges he includes in this

computation, or whether he

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makes any deduction for the
at Madras,
House rent which he is not
required to pay as he is con-
-stantly away-

The demand seems to
me very large: further, by
the order of the Sec. of State
quoted by the Civ. Auditor, the
allowance cannot be granted
permanently-

I think 10 Rupees a
day, the drawn when away
from the Presy would be
liberal.

Sd H. Sept 13.

Sd Wheeler Sept 20 Ootacamund

R. Days Absence allowed
Sd H. Sept 24

Sd Cowan -
Sec

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Rev. Dept.

No. 1711

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 26th Sept. 1860.

Read again the letter from the Inam Commissioner dated 11th and recorded in Proceedings of Government 21st August 1860 No. 1401.

Read also the following letter from the Officiating Civil Auditor.

Reports regarding Mr. T. K. Taylor's claim to increased Travelling allowance

(Here enter 6th Sept. 1860 No. 619)

1. The Inam Commissioner now receives a sum of Rs. 240 ~~a month~~ as travelling allowance, being the permanent and extra tentage of a Collector as sanctioned in the order of Government dated 14th June 1859 No. 784 para 6, and he asks to have it increased to 4

in a month of 30 days, &

Rs.

Rs 30/12 to be drawn like his present allowance all the year round wherever he may be. The ground of this application is that his travelling charges consider-ably exceed his present al-lowance.

2. The Civil Auditor to whom the matter was referred for report says that the Tentage allowances drawn by a Collector is not ap-plicable to an officer in the position of the Inam Commissioner who has long journeys to perform. He thinks that a com-bination of a mileage allowance with a fixed rate for the time passed in the districts would be more suitable.

3. The Government have considered ~~consideration~~ the subject ~~their consideration~~ and they

they resolve to sanction the grant of an allow-ance of Rs 10 per diem to the Inam Commis-sioner as tentage to be drawn when away from the Presidency, in lieu ~~substitution~~ of the ~~extra tentage~~ allowance sanctioned on the 14th June 1859.

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Sanctioning a tentage of Rs 10 per diem to the Inam Commissioner to be drawn when away from the Presidency in lieu of his travelling allowance -

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