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## Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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## *Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 8th October* 1863.

No. 102. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th September 1863:—

Read again Board's Proceedings, dated 3rd July 1863, No. 4,032.

Read also the following letter from E. B. FOORD, Esq., Acting Collector of the Kistna District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Masulipatam, 15th September 1863, No. 211.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division, on the subject of roads leading from the Salt Depôts towards the interior of this District, from which the Board will observe that in their present state the Local Funds will not bear the expenditure required to improve the communications in question.

2. I fear it is too much to expect that Government will make any special grant of funds, as suggested by Colonel Anderson, now that the Budget Estimates have all been finally sanctioned.

3. It was a great disappointment to both Colonel Anderson and myself to find that only Rupees 2,000 had been allotted to this large and important District from the Income Tax Grant, but it is, I suppose, hopeless to expect any increase thereto during the current official year.

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The Board resolve to submit the above papers for the consideration of Government, in the hope that means may be found for placing a larger amount of funds at the Superintending Engineer's disposal for the roads in the Kistna District in the current year. The Board are under the impression that the appropriation for roads in the District has not hitherto been in proportion to its requirements, and the Local Fund cannot do all that is needed for the improvement of the communications. The assignment out of the one per cent. Income Tax, viz., Rupees 2,000, also appears to have been incommensurate with the contribution of the District to that tax in the year ending 31st July 1862, which was Rupees 9,701, and was not in accordance with the principle laid down in Section 194, Act 32 of 1860.

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No. 103. ORDER THEREON, 8th October 1863, No. 1,845.

Referred to the Public Works Department for consideration.

(True Extract.)

*Secretary to Government.*

To the Public Works Department, with two original enclosures.

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(A true Copy and Extract)

J. Thomason
Secretary.

To
J. D. Lain Esq.
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

With copy of Enclosure.

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Board of Revenue

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Pro. of the Public works Dept
dated 20th October 1863 No 2853

Submitting with remarks
letter from the Collector of
the Kistna District forwarding a copy of a letter from
the Superintending Engineer
2d Division on the subject
of roads leading from the
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