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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 30th November 1863.

No. 390. Read the following letter from Major F. J. B. PRIESTLEY, Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 14th November 1863, No. 821/43:—

SIR,

In obedience to the Order of Government of the 6th ultimo, No. 1,832, I have the honor to submit a revised Budget Estimate for 1863-64.

No. 391. ORDER THEREON, 30th November 1863, No. 2,155.

1. The Government of India having disallowed Rupees 20,000 out of the sum of Rupees 31,000 entered in the Budget for 1333-64 under "*Instruments, Lithographic Stores and Presses*" (Revenue Survey), pending the explanation of the cause of the large increase over the similar item of Rupees 10,000 entered in the previous year's Budget, the Superintendent of Revenue Survey was called* upon to show what necessity existed for the large sum struck out, and to revise his estimate by omitting supplies by other Departments of Government for which under recent orders cash payments are not required. With his letter above recorded he submits the Budget so revised.

* Order dated 20th July 1863, No. 1,348.
Do. „ 6th October 1863, No. 1,832.

2. The total of the Budget Estimate for the Survey Department as submitted to the Government of India was Rupees 5,23,629, and the sum sanctioned by them is Rupees (5,23,629 — 20,000) 5,03,629. The Government observe that the Superintendent has limited the total of his revised Budget to the latter amount, and any further correspondence with the Government of India in order to procure an additional grant is therefore unnecessary.

	Rs.
Instruments	8,000
Office rent and camp equipage ..	4,000
Stationery	12,500
Medicines	500
Printing Paper	6,000
Total ..	31,000

3. The sum of Rupees 31,000 originally entered in the Budget for instruments, &c., consisted of the items noted in the margin, but omitting stationery and medicines the aggregate of the remaining entries is Rupees 18,000. In his revised Budget now before Government, the Superintendent has reduced this sum to Rupees 14,000 by providing only Rupees 4,000 in lieu of Rupees 8,000 for instruments. The other two items have not been reduced, and considering the actual expenditure† during the first four months of the year under all the three heads the Government pass the aggregate sum of Rupees 14,000.

	Rs.
† Instrumen'ts	1,156
Office rent and camp equipage ...	993
Printing Paper	3,444
Total ...	5,593

4. Major Priestley has made alterations in the revised Budget which raise the cost of several parties over the respective sums entered in the original Budget, though the Government in their Order dated 6th October 1833, No. 1,832, directed the revision to be confined to the omission of supplies for which no cash payments are required. The Civil Paymaster will not pass these alterations until they are supported by separate specific sanction.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.
„ Acting Director of Revenue Settlement.
„ Acting Accountant General.
„ Acting Civil Paymaster.
„ Financial Department.
„ Board of Revenue.

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No 255

Proceedings of the Hon'ble Government
Under date the November 1863

Read the following Letter
from the Superintendent
of Revenue Survey

Forwarding a revised
Budget Estimate for 1863/64

Order under date 11th Nov/63 No 5 2/4

The Govt of India
having disallowed Rs 20,000
out of the sum of Rs 31,000
entered in the Budget for
1863/64 under "Instrumen
Lithographic Stores and
Presses" Revenue Survey
pending the explanation
of the cause of the large
increase over the similar
item of Rs 16,000 entered
in

with the previous years Budget, the Supt. of Revenue Survey was called upon to show what necessity existed for the large amount struck out, and, to revise his estimate by omitting supplies by other Depart.ts of Govt. for which under recent orders cash payments are not required. With his letter above recorded he submits the Budget so revised.

2 The total of the Budget estimate for the Survey Department as submitted to the Govt. of India was Rs. 5,23,629 and the same sanctioned by them is Rs. (5,23,629 – 20,000) 503,629

3 The Govt. observe, that the Supt. has limited the total of his revised estimate

Budget to the latter amount and any further correspondence with the Govt. of India in order to procure an additional grant is therefore unnecessary.

3 The sum of Rs. 31,000 originally entered in the Budget for Instruments consisted of the items noted in the margin but omitting Stationery and Medicines the aggregate of the remaining entries is Rs. 18,000. In his revised Budget now before Govt. the Supt. has reduced this sum to Rs. 14,000 by proposing only Rs. 6,000 in lieu of Rs. 8,000 for instruments. The other two items have not been reduced and considering the actual expenditure during the first four months

Instruments	Rs. 8,000
Office, Tent & Camp equipage	4,000
Stationery	2,500
Medicines	500
Printing Paper	6,000
Total Rs.	31,000

Instruments	Rs. 1956
Office, Tent & Camp equipage	998
Printing Paper	3446
Total Rs.	6,59 ½

* Order d/21 July 1865 – No. 1348.
Order " 6 Oct. – " 1832

of the year, under a 10th the
heads the Govt. pass the
aggregate sum of £14,400.

4 Major Spurkley
has ~~reduced~~ made alteration
in the printed Budget,
which raise the cost of
several Parties over
the respective sums in
the original Budget.
Although the Govt. in their
order of 6th October 1863,
of 1832 directed the provision
to be confined to the assum-
ption of supplies for which
no cash payments are
required. The Civil
Paymasters ~~will therefore~~
~~be directed not to pay~~
will not pass
~~any~~ these alterations unless
they are supported
by separate specific sanc-
tion.

20/11/63

10 Supt of Roads Ceylon
13 Agt Dr of Rev Settlts
3 Agt Genl Ordnance
3 Agt Genl Paymaster

Revenue 1863 Dispatch
Pro: of Govt for Nov.

No. 2155

Pro: of the Madras
Government
30th November 63.

From the Supdt of Rev. Survey
Dt 27 Nov. 63 C No. 2905

Revised Survey
Budget for 1863-64
received from the Supdt
Revenue Survey, reviewed.

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