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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1941 Press Mis.

337.338

Dated 21—8—1865.

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15/10/24

No. 337. Read the following letter from Captain W. H. HESSEY, Acting Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 2nd August 1865, No. 961-34 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to represent that, although it has been considered advisable by the Madras Government that Uncovenanted Civil Servants and Military Officers in Civil employ, holding similar appointments, should be on equal footing as regards salary, yet the mileage drawn by an Uncovenanted Servant is less by one-half than that drawn by a Military Officer.

G. O. dated 12th December 1864, No. 2,243, paragraph 36.

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G. I. 17th November 1859, No. 9,888.

3. I enclose a Statement of the actual expenses incurred in travelling from Nellore to Madras. It will be seen that the allowance of 4 Annas per mile is insufficient to cover the actual expenses of travelling.

4. I respectfully beg that one uniform rate of travelling allowance may be granted to all Officers serving in the Department, whether Uncovenanted or Military.

No. 338. ORDER THEREON, 21st August 1865, No. 1,941.

Miscellaneous.

1. Forwarded to the Accountant General for report.

2. The Order of the Government of India, quoted in paragraph 2, does not appear to authorize the difference of rate brought to notice.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant General.
,, the Acting Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. Revenue Survey Office
Chepauk
2nd Augt. 1865

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From Inspector for August
No 2139.

The Offg Supt. Pw. Survey

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The Secretary to Government
Pw. Dept

Dated 2nd Augt 1865

Received 3d

No 961/34

Enclosure one Despatch
Read & noted

Recommending that one uniform rate of travelling allowance may be granted to all officers (whether military or Uncovenanted) serving in the Pw. Survey Department

With order

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