

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1838	Press Mis.
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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
1st July 1868.*

Read the following :—

No. 15. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th April 1868, No. 2,562.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Madura, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Camp at Vadagarri, 22nd February 1868, No. 36.

1. I have the honor to request that the Board will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government, for the erection of a new Sea Custom-house and a Police Station at Tondy, as per enclosed estimate and plan, framed by the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, at a cost of Rupees 3,450.

2. The present building is a miserable palmyra thatched shed, dark and unventilated, and not fit for a Sea Custom-house or a Police Station. This estimate was prepared at the instance of the Inspector General of Police who personally inspected the existing building.

3. Copies of two letters, one from the Inspector General, and the other from my Head Assistant, urging the necessity for a new building, are enclosed for the Board's information.

From the Inspector General of Police, to the District Magistrate of Madura, dated 5th April 1867, No. 36.

1. I have the honor to invite your attention to the miserable accommodation provided for the Sea Custom and Police at Tondy; a miserable palmyra thatched shed, with mud walls, is divided between them, dark and unventilated; the portion assigned as a Station-house is not habitable.

2. I venture to suggest that a new Sea Custom-house with the Police Station and Lock-ups (of which there are none in the present structure) be built. It is desirable that the Sea Custom-house and Station be under one roof for the security of the treasure and public property. The cost of affording the double accommodation might be borne by both departments, or, as in the case of Talook Cutcherries, be provided in the Revenue Department. But, however, this may be arranged, an estimate for the work should, I think, be submitted without delay.

From the Acting Head Assistant Collector, to the Collector of Madura, dated Tiroopuwanam, 28th January 1868.

1. With reference to your letter, under date the 21st instant, No. 81, and its enclosures, (herewith returned,) I have the honor to inform you that I inspected the Sea Custom-house and Police Station at Tondy in company with the Assistant Superintendent of Police in August last.

2. The present building, a mere shed, and both dark and unventilated, is ill-adapted for either a Sea Custom-house or a Police Station. I should strongly recommend the erection of a new building.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Estimate.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Plan.

The Inspector General of Police will be requested to forward the plan for the sanction of Government should it meet his approval. The accommodation for the Custom Department is sufficient.

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1st July 1868.*

No. 16. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th June 1868, No. 4,518.

Read again letter from the Collector of Madura, dated 22nd February 1868, recorded in the Board's Proceedings, dated 6th April 1868, No. 2,562.

Read also the following letter from the Acting Inspector General of Police, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 19th May 1868, No. 2,089-877.

1. With reference to Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 2,562, dated 6th April 1868, I have the honor to state that the Police accommodation, provided in the plan of the new Sea Custom-house at Tondy, Madura District, will suffice for the small party of men there located.

1 Plan.
1 Estimate.

2. As the accommodation allotted to the Police forms a very small part of the building, and the Station-room serves also to contain the Sea Customs treasury, I conclude that the cost of the whole building will be provided by the Revenue Department, as suggested by Mr. Robinson in his letter to the Magistrate of Madura, embodied in the Proceedings under reference. This being so, I would suggest that the plan and estimate, (herewith returned,) should be submitted to Government through the Revenue Department.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Plan.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Estimate.

Submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that the plan and estimate* for constructing a Sea Custom Office and Police Station-house at

* Rupees 3,450.

Tondy, in Madura, be sanctioned, and that the Public Works Department be moved to provide funds for the construction of the same during the current year.

No. 17. ORDER THEREON, 1st July 1868, No. 1,838.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government approve the proposal for the erection of a Sea Customs House and Police Office at Tondy, and sanction the work on the plan and estimate submitted when funds are available.

2. It will be determined in the Department Public Works whether any grant can be made in the current year.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue,
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Department Public Works.
,, the Inspector General of Police.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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The for a plan of the proposed building for the Sea Customs Office and Police Station House at Tondy in Madura District. The plan and estimate are submitted to Government through the Revenue Department. The plan and estimate are submitted to Government through the Revenue Department. The plan and estimate are submitted to Government through the Revenue Department.
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Recommending to Government for sanction, estimate for constructing a Sea Custom Office and Police Station House at Tondy in Madura District.
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