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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2258 Press Mis.

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Dated 26-8- 19 1868.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 26th August 1868.

No. 405. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th August 1868, No. 5,758 :—

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 21st July 1868, No. 2,005, Revenue Department.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating Order of Public Works Department, allowing the amount spent on the "road from Bellary to the Cuddapah frontier" to remain as a charge against the District Road Fund.

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1. The foregoing Order gives cover to an Order, in the Public Works Department, of the 17th July 1868, No. 2,274, which directs that a sum of Rupees 3,739-3-11, spent on the road from Bellary to the Cuddapah frontier in 1865-66, and erroneously debited to the District Road Fund, be allowed to remain as a charge against that fund.

2. The Board would request Government to re-consider their decision in this case, and make good the sum erroneously debited to the Road Fund by a grant from the Public Works Budget.

3. The road is an Imperial line, and is on that account provided for in the Imperial Budget, a sum of Rupees 17,900 being entered for its maintenance in the current year. There can be no reason why a mistake of this nature should not be rectified, especially as such rectification, while doing justice to a Trust Fund, will render the public accounts strictly correct.

No. 406. ORDER THEREON, 26th August 1868, No. 2,258.

Local Funds, No. 11.
Account.

Under the circumstances urged by the Board, their Proceedings will be transferred to the Department Public Works with the request that steps may be taken for the refund of Rupees 3,739-3-11, from Imperial Funds to the District Road Fund of Bellary.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Works Department.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 2689

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue,

Dated 8th August 1868.

FORM ORDERS.

No 2089 – For orders

The charge was wrongly debited against Road Fund in 1865-66 instead of against Income Tax Fund – As the Income Tax fund has ceased to exist, and as the mistake occurred three years ago the D. A. G. thought it unnecessary to correct it

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[illegible] to make any opening for suspicion on the part of the contributors to it, that its resources are [illegible] to any purposes other than Imperial purposes.

The refund solicited by the R. Board should accordingly be made.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 2689

~~From~~ Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Dated 8th August 1868.

FORM ORDERS.

The Board make a very strong point, I think, in treating the erroneous debit as an unfounded debit, because disapproved a "Trust Fund". The Northern Road Fund is obviously a Fund of that character, and we should be careful not to create any opening for suspicion on the part of the contributors to it, that its resources are becoming at any over-ample subject to Imperial purposes.

The refund solicited by the N. Board should accordingly be made.

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Under the circumstances urged by the Board
their Proceedings will be transferred to the D.P.W
with the request that steps may be taken for the refund of Rs 5739-8-11
from Imperial Funds to the District Board Funds of
Bellary ~~may be made at once. The item in D.P.W~~
~~budget for such charges should be such hereafter~~

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D.P.W. 26 Aug 68