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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
24th October 1872.*

No. 248. Read the following extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Financial Department, dated Simla, 28th September 1872, No. 3116 :—

Read again—

Financial Resolution, No. 3600, dated the 16th September 1871, confirming an order of the Government of Bombay sanctioning the reimbursement to Officers and subordinate Members of the Revenue Department of that Presidency of all tolls paid by them.

Read again—

Financial Notification, No. 3601, dated the 16th September 1871, to the effect that when a public Officer is performing a journey for which he draws mileage or travelling allowances he shall not be permitted to charge the Government for tolls.

Read—

Letter from the Government of Bombay to the address of the Secretary in the Home Department, No. 2156, dated the 30th May 1872, forwarding papers relative to an objection taken by the local Accountant-General to a sum of Rupees 3, which was disbursed by the Collector of Nassick in November 1871 in repayment of tolls, and requesting an explanation of the apparent conflict between the two Orders, Nos. 3600 and 3601, quoted above.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General in Council directs that it be explained that all past proceedings of the Government of Bombay were approved by the Order No. 3600, and that by the Order No. 3601, which was a general order, the Governor-General in Council intended to forbid the charge for tolls in future by any Officer in the receipt of travelling allowance.

This latter Order appears to be less wide in its terms than was intended, and, to obviate any inconvenience which might arise from a misapprehension of its scope, the Governor-General in Council is now pleased to rule that no Officer who receives travelling allowance, whether by distance or time, shall be permitted to charge the Government for tolls.

ORDER.—Ordered that the foregoing Resolution be communicated to the Home Department and to the Accountant-General, Bombay.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 3921.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Madras for information and guidance.
(By order of the Governor-General of India in Council).

HOME DEPARTMENT (PUBLIC), (Signed) H. WELLESLEY,
SIMLA, 11th October 1872. *Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

No. 249. ORDER THEREON, 24th October 1872, No. 1456.

Ordered that copies of the foregoing Resolution be furnished to the several Departments of the Secretariat.

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2. Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for general information.
(True Extract.)

Calcutta
Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

Revenue Dept.
H. 3544.

Gobt. of 1872 Madras.
FINANCIAL.

To
THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated October, 24th.

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G. O., 24th October 1872, No. 1456.

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Furnishing copy of a Resolution of the Government of India directing that no Officer who receives travelling allowance shall be permitted to charge Government for tolls.

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