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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Read the following:—

Letter from the Consulting Engineer for
R. Rang No 658 dated 11 December 1875.

With reference to the Proceedings
of Government No 1033 dated 14 April 1875 and
subsequent Orders marginally noted there
the honor to submit an estimate, amounting
to Rs 3641, of the cost of providing a siding
with crane in the Timber Depot opposite the
Circular Station of the Madras Railway.

Of the total amount of the estimate, Rs 2941
is chargeable to Capital, and Rs 693 to
Revenue.

It will be shown that by a re-
arrangement of the station yard, and doing
away with the through siding opposite the
station, no extra length of rail is required,
in fact there is a saving of 15 1/2 chains.
No crane is already at Pothanore and only
requires to be removed.

Authority has been granted to the
work being proceeded with and I request the
approval of Government to the expenditure.

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4. The allotment from which the outlay is to be met will be reported hereafter. The sanction lapses at the end of the fourth quarter after receipt of sanction.

Order thereon 21 December 1875 No 3581

It was pointed out in the correspondence quoted in the margin that the location of the timber depot at Reimbatore involved the moving of the greater portion of the logs over four miles of rail in each direction, and the enhancement of the charges for freight payable by the Public Works Department and the general Public to the Railway Company. The kilnsheries being supplied from the hyman forest, consignments to many other portions of the Presidency whether East, West or South must under the arrangement now proposed be removed past Pothanore. Under these circumstances the work now being carried out at the Reimbatore Station must be suspended, pending a definite decision in the Revenue Department in the question of

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Extract

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