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No. 672.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

To
THE ADDITIONAL SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF MADRAS.

SIMLA, THE 24TH MAY 1877.

SIR,

IN reply to your letter to the Revenue Department, No. 1222 B., dated 24th March, I am directed to say that the Governor General in Council prefers to confine the use of the Head of Account "Famine Relief" to the record of charges incurred directly for the relief of distress among the people. Charges appropriate to other Heads of Account should be recorded under their respective Heads, even although they can be traced clearly to the Famine as their actual cause, and, but for the Famine, would not have occurred.

2. According to these instructions, the expenditure for the provision of accommodation for cholera patients, to which your letter refers, should be charged to the Provincial Head "Medical Services," and, in like manner, compensation for high prices of grain should be recorded under the same head of account as the pay and allowance of the officers compensated.

3. The Government of India, No. 1826, dated 28th March 1877, that the Governor General in Council has been already informed by the Resolution of the Government of India, No. 1826, dated 28th March 1877, that the Governor General in Council will eventually make such a consolidated contribution from the Imperial Treasury as will prevent the insolvency, in consequence of the Famine, of the Provincial Funds of the Government of Madras or of the Local Funds at the disposal of the Government of Madras for Provincial purposes.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. H. Munro
Secretary to the Government of India.

Copy to—
Revenue and Public Works Departments;
Government of Bombay;
Comptroller General;
Accountants General, Madras and Bombay;
Secretary in the Public Works Department, Bombay.

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From
The Offs. Under Secretary to the
Govt of India
Finl. Dept.

Dated 24 May 1877
Recd 2 June 1877
No 672

No B R 7 N 4844 of 21 June 1877

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Stating in reply to letter
No. 1222 B of the 24 March 1877,
the desirability of confining
the use of the Head of Account
"Famine Relief" to the record
of charges incurred directly
for the relief of distress
among the people &c.

With order

21 Dec 1877
35 Dec 1877
6 Dec 1877
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Comd. to the Financial Dept. at Public Works Dept.
to the Revenue Dept. at the Public Works Dept.
6/6/77
J. H. Garstin
9 June 1877

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

9th June 1877, No. 1,933.

Famine Relief.

Read the following paper:—
No. 144. From E. J. SAMKINSON, Esq., Officiating Under Secretary to the
Government of India, Financial Department, to J. H. GARSTIN, Esq.,
Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Madras,
dated Simla, 24th May 1877, No. 672.

In reply to your letter to the Revenue Department, No. 1,222-B, dated 24th
March, I am directed to say that the Governor-General in Council prefers to
confine the use of the Head of Account "Famine Relief" to the record of charges
incurred directly for the relief of distress among the people. Charges appropriate
to other Heads of Account should be recorded under their respective heads,
even although they can be traced clearly to the famine as their actual cause, and,
but for the famine, would not have occurred.

2. According to these instructions, the expenditure for the provision of
accommodation for cholera patients, to which your letter refers, should be charged
to the Provincial Head "Medical Services," and, in like manner, compensation
for high prices of grain should be recorded under the same head of account as the
pay and allowance of the officers compensated.

3. The Government of Madras has been already informed by the Resolu-
tion of the Governor-General in Council, that the
Government of Madras will eventually make such a consolidated contri-
bution to the Imperial Treasury as will prevent the insolvency, in consequence
of the famine, of the Provincial Funds of the Government of Madras or of the
Local Funds at the disposal of the Government of Madras for Provincial purposes.

No. 145. ORDER THEREON, 9th June 1877, No. 1,933.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Financial and
Public Works Departments, to the Board
of Revenue, the Accountant-General,
and all Collectors.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

To the Financial Department.
" the Public Works Department.
" the Board of Revenue.
" the Accountant-General.
" all Collectors.

Ed. A. F. Goodall.

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PLATE RELIEF No. 1023.

Head of Account "Famine Relief".—Cons.
mutating to Departments and officers, connected
with the Government of India on the subject
of famine relief, the use of the— to the record
of charges incurred directly for the relief of the
famine among the people.