GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

10th February 1879, No. 402 W.

General.
Account.

Read the following paper:—

No. 68. From the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 1st February 1879, No. 285-70.

I HAVE the honor to request orders regarding the prosecution of works sanctioned by orders of Government and money for their execution transferred to the Public Works Department and this dated after the receipt of the restrictive orders, but before the receipt of G.O., No. 4,858 W, dated 27th December 1878, in which expenditure under all heads, except Local Funds, is prohibited.

For example, G.O. (Marine Department), No. 619, of 6th December 1878, communicated with Public Works Department G.O., No. 4,751 W, of 13th December 1878, sanctions Rupees 650 and transfers the amount to the Public Works Department..

No. 69. ORDER THEREON, 10th February 1879, No. 402 W.

THE orders of Government are plain. Until the budgets have been issued no expenditure on any works other than Local is permitted, except with the express permission of Government.

2. The communication to a Superintending Engineer of an order sanctioning a transfer of funds to the Public Works Department on account of a particular work in no way authorises him to proceed with that work until the revised budgets have been issued.

3. As soon however as orders directing the recommencement of work have been passed, any works for which a special provision of funds has been made in the Financial or other Department, since November, can be executed, even if they have not been entered in the revised budget.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Departments of Government: — Revenue Deptt
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant-General.
" Board of Revenue.

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Govt. of [1820] Fabrs.

PUBLIC WORKS.

SUPERINTENDING AGENCIES.

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Land Road Works—Parties [illegible]
[illegible] or expenditure [illegible]
[illegible] on any works other than [illegible]
with the sanction of a Local Government.

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