P.W.Co. No. 2339

In the Public Works Department.

(True Extract)

A Kearney Herbert

Brigt. General

Secretary to Government

Recd 26.7.88.

To

The Public Works Department.
with the referred papers returned.

Quarter Master General. Nos 2384 & 2385 dated 16th August 1888

B. No 1677 W. 7.6.88
No 2352 C. 23.6.88
G.O. 6125. 21.2.88

Recd 30.7.88

Recd Cy. 56 July 1888 A.G.S.S.

No 2384

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 6th August 1888

READ the following

From the Supdg Engr: IV Circle dt. C. No. 251 CW. dt 18th June 1888

Office Note from the Engr: Pr. Accts. dt. G. No. 1705 dt 19th June 1888

Proceedings Military Department dt. E. No. 5008 dt 23rd July 1888.

Ordered that the Govt of India be addressed:

Supdg Engr IV Circle. ✓
Examiner Pr. Accts ✓
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618 dt. E. No. 2385-W dt 6-8-88

To

The Secretary to the Govt of India
Military Dept.

Sir

With reference to your letter No. 932 M. W. dated 21st June 1888,

P.W. Cn°. 7339

in the Public Works Department.

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A Kearney Herbert

Brigt. General

Secretary to Government.

Rec'd 26.7.88.

To

The Public Works Department.
with the referred papers returned.

Quarter Master General. No. 2384 Dated 6th August 1888
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Do 23526. 23.6.88
G.G. 6124. 21.2.88

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Public Works Department.

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Supdg Engr W Circle. ✓
Examiner Pr. Accts ✓
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To

The Secretary to the Govt of India
Military Dept.

Sir,

With reference to
your letter No. 932 dt. 21st June 1888,

I am directed to forward
copies of the correspondence
× marginally noted, and
to request, that as the
work of reconstructing
the compound wall
of the Lock Hospital
at Wellington had been
completed prior to
the receipt of your
letter above quoted,
and as Cantonment
funds are unable to
meet the charge, the
debit of the cost to
the Imperial Military
works grant may be
allowed to stand.

2. With advertence
to

× From Expn. Wks. Accts
No. 1705 d/ 19-6-88
Pros: Daily Dept: No. 5008
d/ 23-7-88.

to the Examiner's note
hereunto forwarded,
this Government
presume that expenditure
in connection with
Lock Hospital buildings
incurred in 1887-88,
need not now be
questioned. The principle
laid down in your letter under reply
will be borne in mind in future.

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27/7/88.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following papers:—

From Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. MEAD, R.E., Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Shiyali, 6th March 1884, No. 2442 T.J.—Through the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

I have the honor to bring to your notice that, on a reference by the Executive Engineer, Tanjore, to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, he states his opinion that the post of superintendents with pay exceeding Rs. 20 should be held only by one who has passed the general test or middle school examination in the 1st class, and that men who have passed the surveyor's test in the Civil Engineering College are not eligible, and, I suppose, also considers no person whose age exceeds 25 eligible for these appointments (see paragraph 174 of Code).

2. If you consider this ruling is correct, and I suppose, unless these men are considered artificers (paragraph 170), it is so, I have the honor to request that Government may be moved to sanction the appointment of men, whose age exceeds 25, who have passed as surveyors in Civil Engineering College to the post of superintendents.

3. For these appointments often an older man than one of 25 is advisable as experience is generally necessary, and the training of a surveyor is better than many others. A man who has passed and had some experience as a surveyor is much more suitable than a young man under 25 who has passed the middle school examination, 1st class.

No. 1545 S.E.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, for favor of disposal. This office has no remarks to offer on the suggestions advanced by the Superintending Engineer except that a *general* ruling sanctioning the appointments of men whose age exceeds 25, and who have passed as surveyors, to posts of superintendents, does not seem expedient.

24th March 1884.

(Signed) D. C. GORDON,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Endorsement by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated 1st April 1884, No. 69.

Order—dated 16th April 1884, No. 983 W., Public Works.

The opinion in the Public Works Department is that a man who has passed the surveyor's test is likely to be more useful on the irrigation conservancy establishment than one who has merely passed the middle school examination. It is accordingly remitted for consideration in the Educational Department whether the surveyor's test may be deemed a sufficient qualification for appointments on that establishment.

2. The question of withdrawing the limit on account of age will be considered in the Pension Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Educational Department.
" Pension Department.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
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Govt. of (1884) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated April, 16th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 16th April 1884, No. 983 W.

APRIL.

Irrigation Conservancy Establishment

The question whether passed surveyors may not be employed on the — without reference to the middle school examination, 1st class, referred to the Educational Department, and that of withdrawing the age restriction with regard to these men to the Pension Department.

7TH AUGUST 1884, No. 1915 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following papers:—

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., Director of Public Instruction and the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 14th May 1884, No. O/154.

With reference to Reference No. 977, dated 5th May 1884, on G.O., No. 983 W., Public Works, dated 16th April 1884, I have the honor to inquire what the duties of an Irrigation Conservancy Superintendent are, and what pay is attached to the post.

No. 1086, Educational.

Transferred to the Public Works Department for the favor of disposal.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
20th May 1884.

(Signed) J. D. REES,
Ag. Under Secretary.

No. 167 E., Public Works.

Referred to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for report.

OOTACAMUND,
21st May 1884.

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation in original to be returned.

Memorandum from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated 21st May 1884.

With reference to endorsement, No. 167 E., dated 21st May 1884, the undersigned has the honor to report that the duties of an Irrigation Conservancy Superintendent are to watch the river banks, the canals, and principal branches, and all masonry works; to prevent damage by weather or water action; to see that the canals, banks, and sluices, &c., are not tampered with or injured by ryots or others; to see that the Executive Engineer's orders regarding the proper depths to be maintained at the regulating calingulahs or sluices within his charge are accurately carried out; to keep the Executive Engineer informed of the condition of crops under irrigation, and the state of the water-supply; to prepare estimates for, and superintend execution of, clearances and bank repairs which may often require levels to be taken.

2. The pay of a Conservancy Superintendent varies from 8 to 50 rupees and upwards according to the responsible nature of the duties devolving on him. The pay drawn by the Superintendents of the Tanjore district is shown below :—

Number.		Salary. Rs.	
2	Superintendents	50	each
1	Do.	30	
1	Do.	25	
3	Do.	20	each.
9	Do.	15	"
1	Do.	12	"
3	Do.	10	each.
1	Do.	8	

OOTACAMUND,
21st May 1884.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

No. 172 E., Public Works.

Copy of the above forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, with reference to his letter to the Chief Secretary to Government, No. O/154, dated 14th May 1884.

23rd May 1884.

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M. A., Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 1st July 1884, No. O/417.

With reference to official memorandum, No. 977, dated 5th May 1884, I have the honor to state that, considering the duties and salary attached to the office of Conservancy Superintendents, I am of opinion that Irrigation Conservancy Superintendents on salaries of Rs. 20 and upwards should be required to pass the usual tests for admission to the public service, although the Government might exempt, in special cases, for long service and good work, men already in Government service who have been employed in the capacity of Superintendent for a considerable period—say ten years.

2. I think it undesirable to treat the servants of any department of the Government service exceptionally, as such exceptional treatment tends to create dissatisfaction among other servants of Government not similarly favored. The Government approved this view sometime since on an application of the Commissioner of Salt Revenue to exempt certain lower subordinates of the department from the general education tests, and I think the principle should be maintained in all departments without exception, leaving individual cases for special treatment.

No. 1568, Educational.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
16th July 1884.

(Signed) H. TREMENHEERE,
Acting Assistant Secretary.

ORDER—dated 7th August 1884, No. 1915 W., Public Works.

Recorded, with reference to G.O., No. 983 W., dated 16th April 1884.

2. In the circumstances as represented by the Director of Public Instruction, the general educational qualifications required for admission to the public service must be maintained in the case of Irrigation Conservancy establishments of the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
To Superintending Engineers.
To the Superintendent of Works, Tank Maintenance.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Educational Department.

Exd. A. Aubert.
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Govt. of {1884} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 7th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 7th Aug, 1884, No. 1915 W.

AUGUST.

Irrigation Conservancy Superintendents

Deciding not to exempt — from the usual qualifying tests for admission to the public service.

No 1915 W of 7-8-84
– 983 W – 16-4-84

Educational Department.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following

lic Works Department,
ember 1886 No. 4031C,
letter from the Superin-
ner 4th Circle, request-
in of Mr. Chinniah
Surveyor from the
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26 Nov 86 No 752 Ins.
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/ True Extract /
H. A Cuart.
Under Secretary

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P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Current No. 8890

From

The Supdg. Engr. II. Cir.

Enclos.

No. 717 S.G.

Dated 8th November 1886

Received 15th —

Subject.

M. Chinniah Naidu — Reg. the employment of — a passed sur as Tank Supt in the Sanga Project Nr — on a salary of Rs 4 per mensem — Requesting — as a special case —

Disposal.

No. 1031 Dated 16th Nov 1886

Transferred to the Educatl Dept for favorable consideration

(Sd) J. O. Hastie, Col. Rr Secy. to Govt. P. W. Dept.

To The Educational Dept

Desp. 16-11-86.

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GENERAL.
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Govt. of {1884} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 7th.

Read. Encl.

G.O., 7th Aug. 1884, No. 1915 W.

AUGUST.

Irrigation Conservancy Superintendents

Deciding not to exempt — from the usual qualifying tests for admission to the public service.

Educational Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

from the Public Works Department, dated 16th November 1886 No. 4031C, transferring letter from the Superintending Engineer II Circle, requesting exemption of M. Chinniah Naidu, passed Surveyor from the Overseers' Test for employment as Tank Superintendent

Order thereon 26 Nov. 86 No. 752 Ins.

The Government decline to sanction the exemption asked for, as they do not consider that there are any special circumstances in the case such as would warrant a departure from the prescribed rules.

/ True Extract /

H. A. Cuénod

Under Secretary

To The Public Works Dept.

No 3180 W a/2d Dec.r/86

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Comm.n to the Supdg Engr, II Circle, with reference to his No: 717. S.G. of 8th Novr: 1886.

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Govt. of {188} Madras.

To The P.W.Dept

SECRETARY TO GOVT. P.W. DEPARTMENT 30 NOV 86 RECEIVED

Proceedings, dated 26/11/86 188 .6
No. 752 Mis.

Subject.

No 3180 W a/2d December/86

Seeking benefit of Biennial Leave, prefix Surveyor from the Overseers Cadre for employment as Sanit. Superintendent.

Wth order

P.C. No 7349

No. 3 W dy 6/4/87 Cir. 2644.

Iyasawmy Naidu R.-

Letter from S.E.VI Circle requesting sanction to the apptt. as Sanr. Mistry of — who is over 25 years of age, referred to the Financial Dept for Consideration.

Financial Department.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following ~~paper~~

Public Works Department, dated No. 3D. on letter from the Super- 6th Circle, dated 29th March requesting that the appointment Vaidu, late a temporary clerk in Department, whose age exceeds permanent post of store keeper the Negapatam Division may

13th April 1887, No. 482.

mption from the operation of the is sanctioned on the usual condition s prescribed in the Civil Pension

/True Extract/

W Elwin
Actg Secretary

lic Works Department.

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Govt. of {188} Madras.

To The P.W.D. Secy

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Proceedings, dated 26/11/86 188 .6
No. 752 Mis

Subject.

No 3180 w a/22 December 86

Seeking Sanction to R. Chinniah Naidu, Superior Surveyor from the Overseer's Seat for Employment as Sauk Superintendent.

With order

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Financial Department.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following ~~paper~~

Endorsement in the Public Works Department, dated 6th April 1887, No. 3D. on letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th circle, dated 29th March 1887, No. 2222 T.T. requesting that the appointment of R. Iyasamy Naidu, late a temporary clerk in the Public Works Department, whose age exceeds 25 years, to the permanent post of store keeper now vacant in the Negapatam Division may be sanctioned.

Order thereon, 13th April 1887, No. 482.

Exemption from the operation of the 25 years' rule is sanctioned on the usual conditions as to pension prescribed in the Civil Pension Code.

/True Extract/

W Elwin
Actg Chief Secretary.

To

The Public Works Department.

R

P.W.C. № 3071

Govt. of {188 } Madras

To

The Public Works Department

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Proceedings, dated 13th April 1887.
No. 482

B. No 1155 Wd/28th April 1887

Subject.

Exempting R. Iyasami Naicker Storekeeper Nagapatam Division from the 25 years order.

B. No. 1155 Wd/28th April 1887
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Cond. to the
Con. to the
Supg Engr. Nilgiri Circle,
with reference to
letter No. 2222/87
dated 29th March 1887.
T. J. 29/3/87.

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26/4/87

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Govt. of {1886} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated June, 21st.

Recd. Encl.

G.O., 21st June 1886, No. 1557 W.

JUNE.

Twenty-five and Fifty-five Years Orders

Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that all applications in connection with the — shall in future be dealt with in that department, communicated, with remarks, to officers of the Public Works Department.

21st June 1886, No. 1557 W., Public Works.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

Read—the following paper:—

Proceedings, Financial Department, dated 2nd June 1886, No. 487.

Order—dated 21st June 1886, No. 1557 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department, with advertence to G.O., No. 2500 W., dated 3rd September 1879, and paragraph 839 of the Public Works Code.

2. Paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 984 W., dated 16th April 1884, will be cancelled, and paragraphs 174 and 839 of the Public Works Code will be amended in accordance with the rule now promulgated. In future the prior sanction of Government to the appointment of men over twenty-five years of age should invariably be applied for.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
To Superintending Engineers.
To the Superintendent of Works, Tank Maintenance Scheme.
" Consulting Architect to Government.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
Spare Copies

15th June 1887, No. 1620 W., Public Works.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

Read—the following paper:—

G.O., dated 10th June 1887, No. 689, Financial.

Read again—

G.O., dated 2nd June 1886, No. 487, Financial.

Read also—

Office note from the Revenue Department, No. 33, dated 20th May 1887.

Order—dated 10th June 1887, No. 689, Financial.

In supersession of the orders contained in the proceedings read above, the administrative department concerned will, in future, deal with all cases falling under both the 25 and 55 years' rules, provided that, when it is proposed to retire a man under the latter, the counterinitials of the Secretary in the Financial Department are obtained to the draft order.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

Order—dated 15th June 1887, No. 1620 W., Public Works.

Recorded, for guidance, with reference to G.O., No. 1557 W., dated 21st June 1886.

2. In future all cases falling under the 25 and 55 years' rules, in the Public Works Department, will be dealt with in the General Branch of the Public Works Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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Govt. of {1887} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated June, 15th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 15th June 1887, No. 1620 W.

JUNE.

25 and 55 Years' Rules

Proceedings, Financial Department, deciding that the administrative department concerned should, in future, deal with all cases falling under both the —, recorded for guidance.

Revised Rule 4.-(1) Circular Order dated

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No 101. Tanjore 16th July 1887.

I do hereby certify that I have examined a Venkatachellum Pillay, a candidate for employment in the Public Works Department and cannot discover that he has any disease, constitutional affection or bodily infirmity-

His age is according to his own statement 26 years and by appearance about 26 years- He has had the small pox.

(Signed) Vittal Pattankar
Asst Surgeon in charge

(True copy)

Executive Engineer
Tanjore Dt

23.7.87

Tanjore Division Office
Tanjore 23rd September 1887.

No 4605

From

C. Hartford Smith Esq
Executive Engineer
Tanjore Division

To

The Superintending Engineer
Trichinopoly Circle

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that the Examiner of P.W. accounts has deferred the audit of salary of a Venkatachellum Pillay, Clerk V Class 1st Grade, for August 87, under orders contained in G.O. No. 1557 W, 21.6.86, as the prior sanction of Government to the appointment of the Clerk, who is above 25 years of age, was not obtained.

2. Venkatachellum Pillay has been employed a Temporary Clerk in this Division from 22nd June 1882 to 12th October 1886, and from 13th October 86, he is made a Clerk V Class 1st grade. Vide your Memo No. 931 D.J. 1.10.86.

3. From the copy of the enclosed Medical

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Medical certificate, it would appear that the Clerk's age is about 26 years. Thus it will be seen that he actually entered the Department before he attained the age of 25. and I have therefore the honor to request you will be good enough to obtain the necessary sanction of government to enable the Examiner to pass the salary of the Clerk.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed.t Servt.

Charles Smith
Executive Engineer
Jaunpur Dn.

No. 1229 T.J

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Submitted to the Chief Engineer P.W.D.
thro the Examiner P.W.D. for sanction

Lt Col R.E.
Supdg. Engr. 1st Circle
28-9-87

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From

The Executive Engineer

Tanjore Dn

To

The Superintending Engineer

VI Circle

No. 4605

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Dated 23

Despd 23 September 87

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P/ 83. 87

Requesting to obtain the orders of Government to Exempt Clerk Venkatachellam Pillay from the 25 years Rule -

No. 824 dated 18 October 1887.

Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th Circle, No. 1229 J.J, dated 28th September 1887 forwarded to the Chief Engineer Public Works Department, for favor of disposal.

2. The audit of the clerk's pay for August 1887 was deferred pending sanction of Government to his appointment after the age of 25 years in accordance with Code para 176.

3. The Executive Engineer Tanjore in his letter to the Superintending Engineer, 6th Circle, states that the clerk entered the department on the temporary establishment before the

-ge of 25, but under Code para quoted, the prohibition applies to first admission to appointments entitling to pension. Sanction of Government is therefore necessary.

Major. R.E.
Examiner. P. W. Accounts
Madras

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No. 2821 W dy 21-10-87
" 1557 W. 21-6-86
" 1620 W. 15-6-87
" 1155 W. 28-4-87
" 38 " 6-4-87

Superintending Engineer's Office
2nd Circle. Tanjore
14th March 1888.

From
Vaman Engineer
Superintending Engineer
II Circle.

To
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras.

I have the honor to bring to your notice that Ramabrahmam was appointed as [illegible] on Rs 10, rising to Rs 15 under the Superintendent in the Nellore Division in Dec 1887. His age is about 27

was appointed before the S.O. No. 185 received on the 7th (ultimo) directing that Government should be [illegible] cases.

I therefore to recommend this man the age bar, on the ground chiefly of service in the Department. As he [illegible] with the Tangam works for the and to request that the necessary sanction

dated 1 [illegible]
1557 W dy 21.6.86.
1620 W dy 15.6.87
1155 W dy 28.4.87.

PWC No. 8318

From.

Major C. H. P. Christie. R.E.
Examiner. P. W. Accounts
Madras.

To.

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Departt

Rg 19.10.87 E.2

No. 2821 W dy Oct 21, 1887

No. 82 W dated 18th October 1887.

Venkatachellum Pillay—

Regarding the exemption of— from 25 years bar,

No. 2821 W dy Oct 21, 1887

The Examiner is authorised to admit the Clerk's pay, and his exemption from the operation of the 25 years rule is sanctioned on the usual conditions as to pension prescribed in the Civil Pension Code.

20.10.87

20.10.1887.

R.S.
The S. E. III Circle
" Ex P. W. Os.

Withdrawn