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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(Land Revenue).

Read—the following G.O., dated 25th July 1889, Mis. No. 4667, Revenue :—

Read—the following G.O., dated 25th June 1889, No. 1668 W., Public Works :—

Read—the following paper :—

Resolution of the Government of India, Public Works Department (Civil Works —Buildings), dated Simla, 8th June 1889, No. 214-B.

Read again—

Government of India Public Works Department Resolution No. 479-B., dated 7th September 1888.

Read also—

Letter No. 1084-C., dated 12th March 1889, from the Government of Bengal.

Resolution—

As some misapprehension appears to exist concerning the interpretation of section IV of the Resolution quoted above, it is considered necessary to explain that it is not intended to make any alteration in the rents of Government houses, occupied free of rent or at reduced rents by Government officials, when any specific sanction of the Government of India can be quoted for the existing practice. It is essential that the number and date of the letter giving the sanction of the Government of India should be communicated to the Examiner of Accounts. As, however, there may probably be cases in which the grant of free quarters or reduced rents is no longer necessary, Local Governments and Administrations should, in such cases, assess rents under the rules laid down in the Resolution.

2. The Government of India has had under consideration certain cases of rents chargeable to officers drawing not more than Rs. 100 a month and who, for the convenience of their work, are practically compelled to occupy certain houses. The Governor-General in Council is pleased to issue the following supplementary rules with reference to these cases :—

(1) In the case of Government servants drawing salaries not exceeding Rs 25 a month, Local Governments and Administrations are authorised to charge whatever rents are thought suitable or to remit rents entirely according to the circumstances of each case.

(2) In the case of Government servants drawing salaries exceeding Rs. 25 but not exceeding Rs. 100 a month, who are not already charged rent under any special rule of the Government of India, the amount of rent to be charged shall be fixed by the Local Government or Administration subject to a minimum of 5 per cent. on the salary and local allowance of the occupant of the house.

Order—

Ordered that this Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments, Administrations and officers noted on the margin for information and guidance.

Ordered also that the Resolution be communicated to the several departments of the Government of India for information and favor of issue of any further instructions that may be necessary.

The Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.
The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Burma, Assam and Coorg.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor-General for Central India, Rajputana and Baluchistan.
The Accountant-General, Public Works Department.
The Director-General of Railways.
The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Central Division and Lucknow.
The Director-General of Telegraphs.

(Signed) R. C. B. PEMBERTON, Col., R.E.,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Order—dated 25th June 1889, No. 1668 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department and departments of the Secretariats for information and guidance, in continuation of G.O., No. 2981 W., dated 22nd September 1888.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. R. E. DRAKE-BROCKMAN, Lt.-Col., R.E.,
Ag. Joint Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" " Railway Accounts.
" Public, &c., Departments.
" Revenue Department.
" Military "

Order—dated 25th July 1889, No. Mis. 4667, Revenue.

Communicated to the heads of departments under the Revenue Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioners of Land Revenue.
" Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture.
" Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue.
" Superintendent of Revenue Survey.
" Inam Commissioner.
" Superintendent, Government Central Museum.
" Government Botanist and Director, Government Cinchona Plantations.

RESOLUTION—dated 8th August 1889, No. 526.

Communicated to all Collectors, the Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery, the Conservators of Forests, and the Examiner of Forest Accounts.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. CLARK,
Registrar.

To all Collectors.
" the Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery.
" the Conservators of Forests.
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