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Revenue (1893) Department.

G.O., No. 1932

Confidential No. 573.

DATED 26 May 1893

[Despatch Abstract.]

Explaining the nature of the report required by Govt on the Varamad Valley reservoir project & stating that a special officer should be deputed to draw up the report as soon as the services of a competent officer can be spared.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT.

Current Number 3318.

From

The P.W. Department.

Dated 1st May 1893.

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Enclosures Nil

No. 74D.

SUBJECT.

Referring to the Revenue Department letter from the Superintendent of Works, Periyar No I Division, enquiring whether the report which he was directed to submit in Go. No. 738 Wd 16-3-93 should include the matter of the irrigation in Ramnad & Shivaganga Zemindaries & of the rights of the landholders concerned.

No A (Confidential)

From Mr. S. D. Pears
Supt. of Works
Penyar No. I Divn.

To The Chief Engineer P. W. D.
Madras.

Dated 7
Dispatched 7 } April 1893
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Station. Penyar.

Sir, With reference to G.O. No. 738 W of 16.3.93 (Confidential) I have the honour to ask for instructions as to whether the report I am therein directed to submit should include the matter of the irrigation in Ramnad & Sivaganga Zemindaries & of the rights of the landholders concerned.

It seems improbable when the fullest & most accurate information on this question can be immediately got at first hand, from the Collector & the Executive Engineer of Madura District that Government should refer to me for a report on a matter in respect to which I could only inform myself by reference to the Officers above-named. But para 4 of G.O. No. 81 Revenue of 30.1.93 seems to imply that these matters are to be embodied in my report, & I therefore ask for the favour of definite

Mr. Collector will not these have for the proposed Reservoir in effect the water rights & Conveyance of the various Tanks in Ramnad & Sivaganga zemindaris

orders, although the meaning of the C.O. under reference is apparently that my report should be confined to the purely engineering aspect of the proposed dam itself, & is not seen to include any estimate of the amount of land that might possibly be irrigated from the reservoir nor of the cost of distributaries & subsidiary works.

I have &c.

S. D. Pears
Supt of Works
Punjab No. I Div.

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No. 74 Dep't 1st May 193

Reported to the Revenue Dept: with reference to para 4 of Proceedings in that Dept: No. 81 dated 30th January 1893.

J. Hammick

Ag: Secty to Govt: P.W.D.

Read C. No 3747.

Order dt 26th May 1893 No: 1932.

Govt furnished with

The Govt desires a full report on the Varasamud Valley Reservoir Project dealing with the following questions:

(1) How much water can be stored.

(2) How much land can be brought under new irrigation

(3) How much new revenue can be looked for.

(4) What effect, if any, such storage & new irrigation will have on lands now irrigated: viz. lands, the tank of which are situated in the Ramnaad & Sivaganga Zemindaries & care must be taken not to prejudice these existing irrigations.

2. Mr. Pearse observing has not the time to prepare the detailed report above described in communication with the Collector the Govt considers that the duty of preparing the same should be entrusted to a Competent Engineer, specially deputed for the purpose, as soon as the services of such an officer are available.

To the P. W. Dept (with notes for orders in original) & Comm'r. V & R. Dpd 29/5/93 Dpd 29/5/93

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26 May
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Draft Order

Explanation to be sent
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by Govt on the
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