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Public Works (1896) Department.

G.O., No. 910-11 J

DATED 30th October 1896.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Irrigation Revenue. A copy of the Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation ^{affording information regarding} the figures of — assessed for the year 1895-96 under certain heads, should be forwarded to the Govt of India.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Irrigation.
Account.

READ—the following paper:—

From the Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Account—Irrigation), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, the 17th September 1896, No. 72 A.I.

I am directed to request that you will furnish the Government of India, as soon as the information is available, with the figures of Irrigation revenue assessed for the year 1895-96 under the following heads:—

		Major Irrigation Works.	Minor Works and Navigation for which Capital and Revenue accounts are kept.
		Rs.	Rs.
Water-rates	...	...	...
Owner's rates	...	...	...
Share of land revenue	...	...	...
Total	...	...	...

2. I am also to request that all important differences between the figures for 1895-96 and those for 1894-95 may be briefly explained.

No. 195 I.

Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

The following statement affords the information required by the Government of India:—

		Major Irrigation Works.	Minor Works for which Capital and Revenue accounts are kept.
		Rs.	Rs.
Water-rates	...	96,62,919	17,57,730
Owner's rates	...	4,50,895	1,09,928
Share of enhanced land revenue	...	1,01,13,814	18,67,658
Total for 1895-96	...	96,23,555	18,32,525
" for 1894-95	...		
Difference	...	+ 4,90,259	+ 35,133

2. The increase in 1895-96 under Major Works occurred under the Gódvári, Kistna and Cauvery delta systems. The bulk of the increase about Rs. 3,30,000 was derived from the two former systems and was chiefly due to the enhancement of the water-rate from Rs. 4 to Rs. 5. The increase in the Cauvery delta system represents the increment of the settlement assessment charged during the year.

3. Rupees 15,550 of the increase in 1895-96 under Minor Works was due to the transfer of irrigation under the Nandiyar channel in the Trichinopoly division during the year from "Minor Works for which neither Capital nor Revenue accounts are kept" to the category of "Minor Works for which Capital and Revenue accounts are kept," in accordance with G.O., No. 1 I., dated 7th January 1895. The balance of the increase occurred under the Pálár and Cheyár ancient systems and was due to the extension of irrigation under those systems.

4. The revenue accounts of the irrigation systems were received from the Board of Revenue only on the 10th instant with its Proceedings, No. 267, dated 8th idem.

(Signed) W. HUGHES,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

17th October 1896.

ORDER—No. 910 I., dated 30th October 1896.

A copy of the foregoing note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation will be forwarded to the Government of India for information.

[Here enter No. 911 I., dated 30th October 1896.]

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUGHES,
Joint Secy. to Government,
Irrigation Branch.

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

ENDORSEMENT—No. 911 I., dated 30th October 1896.

Forwarded.

(By order.)

Joint Secretary to Government,
Irrigation Branch.

Public Works (1896) Department.

CURRENT No. 8541

Order

From

The Govt. of India.

No. 72 A.2

Dated 17. 9. 96

Received 23. 9. 96

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SUBJECT.

Irrigation revenue assessed

for the year 1895-96.

Requesting to be furnished

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
ACCOUNT.
IRRIGATION.

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department.

Sir,

I am directed to request that you will furnish the Government of India, as soon as the information is available, with the figures of Irrigation revenue assessed for the year 1895-96 under the following heads.

	Major Irri - gation Works	Minor Works and Navigation for which Capital and Revenue accounts are kept.
Water rates Owner's rates Share of land revenue. Total	Rs.	Rs.

2. I am also to request that all important differences between the figures for 1895-96 and those for 1894-95 may

be brierly explained.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

C. R. Brown

Captain, R.E.

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for Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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From

The Chief Engineer

No. 195.J

Dated 17. 10. 96

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*Irrigation Revenue
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year 1895-96*

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

IRRIGATION BRANCH.

No. 910 J. of 30th October 1896.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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in accordance with G.O.
No 1.9, 47 Jan/95. The
balance of the increase
occurred under the Palat
& Cheyenne systems
& was due to the extension
of irrigation under those
systems.
The revenue accounts
of the irrigation systems
were received from the
Board of Rev. only on
the 10th inst with its
Procs. No 267 of 8

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Order thereon

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going note by
Engineer for &
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No 911. J. 8730"
Indorsement
To

To the Chief Engr for P. &
S. J. W. Z.
To be issued in 1895
of India
18/6/10 B.N.
17/10/96
14/11/96

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