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Covering to the Board of Revenue, G.O. Financial Department, authorising the Accountant General to place a sum of Rs 60,000 at the disposal of the P.W. Department for Relief Works in Bellary, from Savings under 45. Civil Works.

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Relief Works in Bellary.

Authorising the Accountant-General to place a sum of Rs. 60,000 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for — from savings under *45. Civil Works.*

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

G.O., Mis. No. 646, Revenue, dated 4th February 1897.

Read—the following papers :—

Telegrams from the Collector of Bellary, dated 1st and 4th January 1897, requesting to issue orders to place Rs. 40,000 at the disposal of the Executive Engineer, Bellary.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 6th January 1897, Mis. No. 65.

Read—the following letter from the Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, through the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 3rd January 1897, Ref. on Cur. G.B. No. 1852 :—

I have the honour to forward herewith the post-copy of the telegram, dated 1st January 1897.

2. The Executive Engineer, Bellary division, has already taken charge of some of the relief works and is arranging to shortly take charge of the rest. He estimates the monthly requirements at Rs. 40,000 and requests that the allotment for the current month be placed at his disposal at once. The Board has, in its Proceedings, No. 437, dated 16th December 1896, already requested the Government to make a grant of Rs. 3,60,000 for relief works in this district, and I have the honour to request that the Accountant-General may be directed to provide the Executive Engineer at once with a sum of Rs. 40,000 out of this grant.

Resolution—dated 6th January 1897, Mis. No. 65.

Submitted for the orders of Government, in continuation of the Proceedings quoted.

2. As most of the works are Local Fund works and payments are all to be made by the Revenue Department, it appears to the Board, on reconsideration, that the funds should be placed at the disposal of the Collector, who will arrange to keep the paying officers in funds through his Tahsildars.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. V. SRINIVASIAR,
Secretary.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 18th January 1897, Mis. No. 363.

Read—again the following Board's Proceedings, No. 437, Press, dated 16th December 1896 ; Mis. No. 6865, dated 31st December 1896 ; Mis. No. 9, dated 1st January 1897 ; and No. 10, Press, dated 5th January 1897 :—

Read—also G.O., No. 125, Revenue, dated 9th January 1897.

Resolution—dated 18th January 1897, Mis. No. 363.

The order last read above will be communicated to the Collector of Bellary for information.

2. It will be pointed out to Government that no orders have yet been passed on the Collector's request submitted in the proceedings first read above that funds may be placed at his disposal for carrying on relief works.

3. With reference to the last sentence of paragraph 5 of Board's Proceedings, Press No. 437 of 1896, the Board observes that, under the orders communicated in G.O., No. 750, Revenue, dated 26th December 1896, these charges will now appear against sub-head "4. Relief to people employed otherwise than on relief work" under "33. Famine Relief."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. V. SRINIVASIAR,
Secretary.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 18th January 1897, Mis. No. 381.

Read—the following letter from the Collector of Bellary, dated 15th January 1897, Ref. on Current No. 153 :—

Referring to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Mis. No. 65, dated 6th January 1897, I have the honour to state that the Executive Engineer requests that a further sum of Rs. 20,000 may be placed at his disposal for the current month. I request that the orders of Government may be obtained at a very early date to provide the funds required.

Resolution—dated 18th January 1897, Mis. No. 381.

Submitted for the orders of Government, in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 65 of 1897.

2. Under the orders of the Government of India communicated in G.O., No. 750, Revenue, dated 26th December 1896, all charges for works carried out by the Public Works Department are to be brought to account final in the books of that department, and the recommendation made in the Proceedings above quoted must therefore be withdrawn, though it is not clear how far the instruction was intended to apply to District Board works.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. V. SRINIVASIAR,
Secretary.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 27th January 1897, Mis. No. 740.

Read—the following letter from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, to the Executive Engineer, Bellary Division, dated 21st January 1897, No. 29-A—C. L. :—

In continuation of Accountant-General's (Public Works Department (Circular No. 1, dated 7th January 1897 (copy forwarded to you on the 18th instant), I have the honour to invite your attention to paragraphs 134, &c., of Public Works Department Code, Volume II, and to request that early steps may be taken to obtain grants for all famine relief works carried out in your division and thus prevent expenditure on famine works incurred without grant being reported objectionable.

Read—the following extract from the Executive Engineer's letter, to the Collector of Bellary, dated 26th January 1897, No. 517 B :—

Extract paragraph 1 forwarded to the Collector of Bellary, for information, in continuation of this office No. 453 B., dated 23rd January 1897, and with a request that necessary allotments may be placed at the disposal of this department through the proper channel for the relief works already undertaken by this department as per list forwarded with the above reference.

Read—also the following endorsement thereon by the Collector of Bellary, dated 27th January 1897, Ref. on C. No. 348 :—

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement) in continuation of this office letter, Ref. on Cur. G. and B. No. 1852, dated 3rd January 1897, Ref. on C. No. 153, dated 15th January 1897, and with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 381, dated 18th January 1897. The undersigned requests that the Government may be moved to place funds at the disposal of the Public Works Department at an early date for relief works.

Resolution—dated 27th January 1897, Mis. No. 740.

Submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. Nos. 65 and 381, dated 6th and 18th January current, with the request that the necessary orders may be issued at a very early date.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. V. SRINIVASIAR,
Secretary.

Order—Mis. No. 646, Revenue, dated 4th February 1897.

Orders will issue in the Financial Department for placing Rs. 60,000 at the disposal of the Public Works Department out of Provincial funds as recommended by the Collector of Bellary and the Board of Revenue in the papers read above.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, &c.)
,, Financial Department.

Order—No. 147, Financial, dated 15th February 1897.

The Accountant-General is authorised to place a sum of Rs. 60,000 at the disposal of the Public Works Department from savings under *45. Civil Works.*

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
,, Local and Municipal Department.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Accountant-General.

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