Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 2636

DATED 22nd May

[Despatch Abstract.]

Expressing the desire of Govt to have a report from an Engineer, on the proposal to drain a certain tank-bed land in Bezwada, Kistnadt, especially as regards the cost of draining the tank.

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CURRENT No. 8857

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
11 MAY 97

From The Board of Revenue (Land Rev.) Madras

Order

No. 1385 A Routine

Dated 7th May 1897

Received 10 May 97

Registered 12 May 97

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding to Govt. the Kistna Collector's letter read in B.P. 755 Revd 26-2-97 regarding the draining of certain tank in Bezwada and the making over of the drain to the Municipal Council for maintenance.

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue).

Dated 7 May 1897.

No. 1385A. ~~Mis.~~ Routine.

READ Government Order, Revenue Department, dated 29 April 1897, No. 2118. Mis

Resolution.

Ordered accordingly.

/True Extract/

K Duraiswamy Ayyangar
Asst. Secretary
for Secretary.

To
The Secretary to Govt.
R.D. with the Collr's Letter
read in Bp 753
26.2.97

CS
Secretary

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Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.

To

Proceedings, dated 189 ,
No.
Mis.
Routine.

Subject.

Read again G.O. No 2118 dt 27.4.1897
- C. No 2959 of 97

The Hon'ble the Board C. J E

For orders:-

The Sanitary Commissioner having repeatedly urged the necessity to drain the Bezwada tank in view to improving the sanitary condition of the town, the Collector recommends that the tank may be drained at the cost of Government and the reclaimed land handed over to the Forest department which undertakes to plant it with Babul (acacia arabica). The tank-bed adjoins the Bezwada reserve and is reported to be well suited to the growth of Babul. The Municipal chairman asked that the whole of the tank bed might be made over to the municipality free of assessment and states that the Council would then undertake to drain the tank. It appears from the Collector's letter that the chairman expects to recoup a part of the expenditure by the use to which the Council would put the tank bed, either as a municipal garden or by selling it for building sites. The Collector does

does not support this request for the following reasons :-

(i) That the Municipal Council cannot afford the initial cost of draining and that the work should be done by the P.W.D;

(ii) That he has no confidence in the propriety of the uses to which the Council would like to put the tank to;

(iii) That it is the Council which has largely contributed to befoul the tank as it has covered a large portion of the bed with municipal sweepings, cesspool sludge and even nightsoil;

(iv) That the proposal to sell the tankbed for building sites is opposed to all sanitary principles.

2. It is stated that at present, no revenue is derived from the tank by Govt, and that no private interests are involved in it, the assignment of the tankbed for cultivation is also reported to be objectionable on sanitary grounds.

3. The extent of the tankbed is reported to be 40·61 acres but it is reported that a portion of it is already occupied by a forest reserve.

4. Submitted that the Collector's recommendation supported by the Board of Revenue may be approved and sanctioned and the P.W.D asked to prepare the necessary estimate for draining the tank.

5. The Collector's letter appears to be incomplete. The continuation sheet has not been forwarded by the Board.

What is the the cost of other operation and by whom is the cost to be met?. Also

Circ. 15.5.37

Yes, we must get this before passing final orders

JG
19/5/37

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it would be advisable to call for a proper report from the Dy. Ch. Engr. Officer on the proposal. The Ch. Engr. that an estimate might be prepared by the P.W.D. There is a map and the report of the Dy. Ch. Engr. vide G.O. 2118. Showing that the drainage of the tank is feasible but no opinion as to the quantum of cost is put forward.

17-5-37

Read again G.O. No 2118 dy 27-4-1897
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G.O. Misc. No. 2636 of 22nd May '97.

Before passing final orders, the Govt. desires to have a report on the proposal from an Engineering Officer, especially as regards the cost of draining the tank. The necessary orders will issue in the P.W.D.

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To

The P.W.D. with B.P. No 1297 dy 6th April (97) & its enclosures
The B? of Revenue (L.R.D.)

28-5-97

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