

Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 2674

DATED 26th May

[Despatch Abstract.]

*Sanctioning the deputation of Mr. Parish
Inspector, Manikpurna Circle on famine duty
under the control of the Bengal Government
with effect from 1st Feb^y 1897.*

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Order

From The Secretary to the Commission,
Salt, alkali and Separate Revenue
Madras.

His No. 1440

Dated 9th April 1897.

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SUBJECT.

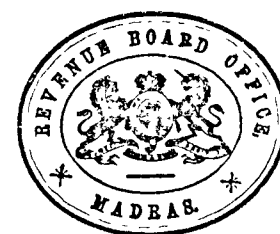
Requesting the sanction
of Government to the de-
putation of Mr. Parish, In-
specter, Manikpattana Circle
on special duty as a famine
officer under the control
of the Bengal Government.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue.)

Dated 9th April, 1897.
 No. 1440

the Secretary to
 Read the following letter from the Bengal
 Government, Revenue Department, Agri-
 cultural Bureau (Famine) Branch No 819 (Fam) dated

23rd March 1897:-

"your telegram 8th Parish has
 manufacture in progress in two
 factories in addition to other work;
 proper duties must suffer if fa-
 mine work meriting special
 pay is also given him: would
 suggest placing him on special
 duty. I could post another officer
 on Rs 150 p. to do his salt work.
 Attention respectfully called to the
 fact that local authorities ap-
 pointed Parish on Rs 100 p. about
 a month ago without reference
 to head of his department".

With reference to your telegram
 dated the 13th instant transcribed
 in the margin, I am directed
 by the Lieutenant Governor to
 request that the Board of Re-
 venue, Madras, may be moved
 to arrange for the deputations
 of Mr Parish, Salt Inspector,
 Gattapara for employment as
 Superintendent of Famine
 Relief operations in the distressed

tracts surrounding the Collika Lake in the
 District

District of Puri in the Orissa Division with effect from 1st February 1897. While on deputation Mr Parish will get his grade pay together with Rs 100 (Rupees one hundred) horse allowance in lieu of all travelling allowances. I am, however, to add that the Government of India have lately been asked to allow all official charge Superintendents their grade pay plus Rs 100/- per mensem as Famine allowances plus travelling allowance at the ordinary rates, and if sanctioned, Mr Parish will receive the same allowances as other officers of that class.

2 With reference to the latter portion of your telegram, I am desired to explain that the Collector of Puri was obliged by the urgency of the case and the impossibility of finding suitable officers locally to make use of Mr Parish's services for famine relief without previous reference to his Departmental Head."

Resolution

In November last the Collector of Puri asked

asked Mr Parish, Inspector of the Meerut Patna circle, whether he could undertake the supervision of certain road repairs in the Parikud Tertiary which were about to be undertaken as test relief works in order to see if there is really bad distress there. The Inspector undertook the supervision with the approval of the Deputy Commissioner, subject to the stipulation that it did not interfere with his proper duties and the Board confirmed his action. On the 26th February the Board much to its surprise, received a letter from the Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, informing it that the Collector had appointed Mr Parish a circle officer under the Famine Code with an allowance of Rs 100/- per mensem. It then telegraphed to know under what authority this was done. The Deputy Commissioner replied on the 11th March "Have shown Orissa Commissioner

Commissioner. Board's telegram regarding Parish. He replies exigency of the case necessitated his approving appointment. This telegram and another to the following effect from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department dated 8th March were received by the Commissioner, on the same day, 12th March; -

"Pending approval Collector of Puris utilizing services of Mr Parish, Salt Inspector, Sakpara, to Superintend famine relief operations in distressed tracts surrounding Chilka Lake. Proposed to give him Rs 100/- horse allowance besides his own pay, he can do Departmental duties in addition. Lieutenant Governor will approve above arrangement if the Board agree. Please wire reply." The delay in the case of the second telegram was due to his being on his way back from a visit to

The
Secretaries

the inaccessible Kedaranniyam factory. The Board then telegraphed in reply to the Bengal Government; -

"your telegram eighth. Parish has manufacture in progress in two factories in addition to other work. Proper duties must suffer if famine work meriting extra pay is also given him. Would suggest placing him on special duty. I could post another officer on Rs 100 to do his Salt work. Attention respectfully called to the fact that local authorities appointed Parish on Rs 100 about a month ago without reference to head of his Department."

2. The reply of the Government of Bengal is the letter read above. Under the circumstances the Board requests the sanction of Government to the deputation of Mr Parish on famine duty with effect from the 1st February last. It has in anticipation of sanction, sent an officer to relieve him as the case is an urgent one, manufacture being in progress in two factories in the Manikpobra Circle.

3. In connection with this matter the Board begs to suggest the advisability of the Government of India being addressed with a view to the early transfer of the Salt

Revenue of Orissa to the Bengal Government. The Commissioner must beg respectfully

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respectfully to decline responsibility for its administration if his Subordinates are to be placed on special duty by the local Revenue officers without any communication with him in this manner. It will be observed that the Government of Bengal in the concluding para of Mr Finucane's letter appears to consider that the action of the Collector of Puri was justified by the urgency of the case. The telegraph was, however, available and should, the Board considers, have been resorted to.

(True Copy and Extract)

Laurence
Assistant Secretary

Dr
17/2/97

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department

2. The reply of the Government:-

C. No 3182

For orders:-

Mr Parish, Inspector of the Manikapatna circle was asked in Nov. last by the Collector of Puri to supervise certain road repairs in the Parikud Zamindary. He Inspector undertook the work with the approval of the Deputy Commr. ^{subject to the stipulation} ~~on the understanding~~ that it did not interfere with his ordinary ~~and~~ ^{of the Board confirmed his action.} duties. He was subsequently appointed a circle officer under the Famine Code from 1st February last without reference to the Board of Revenue, Madras. The Board of Revenue was requested the sanction of Govt. for the ~~proposed~~ deputation of Mr Parish and in doing so states that the Commissioner cannot undertake the responsibility for the administration of the Orissa salt sep^t if his subordinates are to be placed on special duty by the local revenue officers without any communication with him.

2. Submitted that Mr Parish's deputation may be sanctioned. It seems unnecessary to make a complaint to the Govt. of India in

in this matter in view of the contemplated
transfer of the Orissa salt dep^t to
Bengal and the explanation afforded
by the Bengal Govt. viz. that
the deputations of Mr Parish was
made owing to the urgency of the
case. The Govt of India may,
however, be asked to state when
the transfer of the Orissa salt ADⁿ
is likely to be made.

The following draft G.O. and
letter to India is submitted for
approval.

21/5/97.

G.O. no. 2874 of 26th May 97.

The deputation of Mr Parish
on famine duty, with effect from
1st February last, is sanctioned.

2. Ordered that the following
letter be despatched to the Govt
of India.

Since writing this note, the
reply of the Govt of India has
been received. A.R.
20.5.97

The letter to India is unnecessary.

A.R.
20.5.97

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A.R.
20.5.97

The R^d of Revenue (Lef. Revenue)
The Sec^y Genl

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The Secretary to the Govt of India
Dep^t of Finance & Revenue

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence
ending with my letter of the 11th
November last no. 609 I am directed
to enquire when the final orders of
the Govt of India regarding the
transfer of the Orissa salt ADⁿ to
the Bengal Govt may be expected.

A.R.
20/5/97

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