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To

The Board of Rev: Sett. & Agric. Dept. } Dis-22-1-97

SUBJECT.

Requesting sanction of Government for a sum of Rs 10.000 advanced for the purchase of cummin seed in the Kurnool District

CR. 13 Jan-97

Note the cultivation of Cummin seed is being experimentally introduced into the Kurnool District and ryots encouraged to take up its cultivation. Please call para & ryotwari Spl. Dy: C's reports under G.O. 343 21.7.96.

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated 9th September 1896.

No. 4355 mis.

READ following letter from Canal Deputy Collector to the Collector of Kurnool, dated 13th August 1896 No 193. :—

I have the honor to request the favour of your obtaining early sanction of the Board (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture) for an advance of Rs 1000 (one thousand) for the purchase of cummin seed for supply to the Kurnool District canal ryots for experimental cultivation in the current yea

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Of course, the amount will be
recovered from the ryots to whom
seed will be supplied, and credited
back to Government before
the close of the official year.
2. Good Cummin seed fit for
sowing purposes is a valuable
article selling at about Rs
8 a maund, the quantity
required for one acre of land,
and I have to procure it before
the close of September next
from the Tahsildar of the
Proddatur Taluk of the Cuddapah
District to the extent of about
125 maunds. The few experiments
on a total extent of seven or
eight acres carried out last
year by a few ryots of the Ramalla-
Kota and Nandikotkur Taluks
seem to have convinced the
Kurnool ryots that this crop,
which is a highly remunerative
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one, yielding as much as from
Rs 60 to Rs 100 an acre, can succes
fully be raised on regar and
mixed soils commanded by the
canal and on my attempting
to induce the Kurnool District
ryots to try the experiments
again this year, I am glad
to say that, encouraged by
the last year's few experi-
ments, they have come forward
more freely and cheerfully
and that applications for
seed have already been
made to me to the extent
of acres 100. When a number
of ryots scattered over four
or five Talukes agree, on
instruction given them, to
try the crop experimentally
each on a small extent ranging
from quarter of an acre to
an acre or so, it need hardly

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he said that it would be too much to expect each and every one of them to procure the comparatively small quantity of seed required by him direct from another District to which he is a stranger, and this is why the ryots who have promised to try experiments have made it a condition that I should procure the requisite seed from where it may be available and supply it to them subject to their paying its cost price including conveyance charges before the close of the official year. The quantity of seed required last year being small, I did not think it worth while to go in for an advance, and the last year's amount which came to eighty and odd rupees was advanced by me from my own pocket. But this time a large quantity of seed is required and hence the application for an advance.

3. In this connection, it may not be out of place to add, that, in my humble opinion, Cummin seed is a crop on the introduction of which into the Canal-commanded lands of the Kurnool District, the future of the Canal in a financial point of view depends to no small extent; and provided the current year's experiments which are to be carried on a more extensive scale than the last year, also prove encouraging to ryots — a point about which I have myself no doubt whatever — it would not, I feel sanguine,

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be too much for the Govern-
ment to expect an additional
annual income of at least
Rs 15,000 from this source alone
in the course of four or five
years more, and this notwith-
standing the great good
to the country that must
naturally result from it
by way of opening the resources
of the country. I beg to submit
that from this point of con-
sideration also, it is highly
desirable in the interests of
the canal that sanction
should be obtained for the
advance of Rs 1,000 now
applied for.

Read also endorsement thereon
by the Collector of Kurnool
dated 17th August 1896
Reference on Current No 870 of 96

submitting the above for sanction

Resolution.

Sanctioned from the provision
under "Improvement of Agri-
culture and Trade" subordinate
to "26 Scientific and other
minor Departments".

2. The advance should be
recovered in due course and
adjusted without delay.

(True copy and Extract)

(Signed) R.V. Srinivasiar

Secretary

To The Special Deputy Collector
Kurnool Cuddapah Canal
Copy to the Collectors of Kurnool
and Cuddapah

The Accountant General.

(True copy)

R.V. Srinivasa
Secretary

Ext 24/1897

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated 5th January 1897.

No. 44 Mis.

READ again Board's Proceedings No 4355 Mis dated 9th September 1896.

× copy attached.

Read also Objection Statement from the Accountant General, dated 1st December 1896 No. A.B.K 109 K on the Kurnool Cuddapah canal Special Deputy Collector's bill ~~dated~~ for the purchase of Cummin seed for Rs 650 on the ground that sanction of Government should be obtained under articles 114 and 137 (a) of the Civil Account Code as the advance is a special one.

Resolution

Submitted for the orders of Govern

Government.

2. At the request of the Special Deputy Collector, Kurnool-Cuddapah Canal, the Board in its Proceedings No 4355 dated 9th September 1896 sanctioned from the Provision for "Improvement of Agriculture ~~and~~ Trade" under "26 Scientific and other minor Departments" an advance of Rs 1,000 for the purchase of Cummin seed for distribution at cost price to the ryots of some Taluks in the Kurnool District, who were reported to be anxious to carry on the experimental cultivation of the seed.

3. As the Accountant General considers that the advance requires the special sanction of Government and has placed the expenditure already incurred under objection, the Board requests that the necessary sanction may be accorded.

(True Extract)

R. V. Ramaswami
Secretary

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

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