Revenue (1897) Department.

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 915

Dated 6th November.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving (subject to certain modifications) Board's Budget Estimate for 1898-99 on account of "30-D Stationery & Printing - Printing at Private Presses - Printing Settlement Registers", & Authorising the Issue of the Final Instalment

Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 8674

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The Hon: Mr Prose C.I.E.

Worklef to The Hon: Sir Henry Bliss K.C.I.E.S Note overleaf. The Bd. Mr. would allot 25. In view of the present famine and pressure existing it is submitted that this may be adopted

4.11.97

To the Hon: the C.S. Fmc Dept for favour of counter-initials

4/11/97

Note from the Fmc Dept are attached

P.S.

From The Board of Revenue, Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, Madras

Order

3/11/97

No. 8145 Mis

The Board's estimates are approved and will be transferred to the Financial Dept.

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- t there may be Budgetting this current year.

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Board of Rev: RS 4
Financial Dept
Acct General

Bds. 15-11-97

To.

Revenue Dept

SUBJECT.

Submitting to Government Revenue Department, Budget Estimate for 1898-99 on account of 30 D. Stationery and printing - Printing at Private Press Printing Settlement Reports

thought that Rs. 20,000 should be provided in the ing of Settlement Reg

NOTE FOR THE SECRETARY.

Re the Budget submitted by the Board for printing at private press & the note of the Financial Dept the following facts are submitted.

The Budget provision under this head for 96-97 was 20000 Rs. inclusive to meet the cost of printing the sett reports of Tanjore Trichy & 4 taluks of Ananthapur. Only 2722 Rs. was however spent and this was due to the fact that Subdivision work took longer in Trichy than was anticipated (2) to the fact that the Govt delayed passing orders on the sett of Ananthapur. Only

a few of the Tanjore registers were printed.

The Budget provision for 97-98 was 30,000 but this is now revised to 10000 for the following reasons.

1) The work of printing the Tanjore registers was suspended pending order as to the subdivn of joint holdings. The Board reports that it has since decided to go on with the printing of these registers & the 10000 Rs is to spent on this work. The registers of Anantapur has not yet been received owing to the very late order of Govt on the settlement scheme & the work in Trichy apparently has not yet been finished.

It will be seen that work estimated to cost

.E FOR THE SECRETARY. *amt.*

,000 + 30,000 — (2722 + 10,000)
or 37,278 Rs has fallen thro
& been postponed for causes
which the Board could
hardly have foreseen when
framing the Estimates.

The registers of Tanjore are
all ready for printing. Those
of Anantapur and Trichy
the Board expects to receive
shortly & it is clear this
work will not be much longer
delayed. Hence the Board
provides 35-000 Rs for
the work during 98-99.

I submit that there is
Every likelihood of the sum
being expended and that there

ng of Settlement Reg

If now this W^s. were put
work which rendered it
unfit for Passengers
this Season & subsequently
use this. and there is time
point in Sess^n. Dept^s. enclosing
the plans if there is any difficulty
about allotting more funds if
necessary for this work afterwards

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can be no question of the
Expediency of finishing
the work as soon as possible
after the registers are ready
The saving proposed is trifling
and probably represents
false economy when the
inconvenience resulting
from the absence of them
depositors from the valuation
accounts is considered.

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s' rather given to locking up funds unnecessarily before the commencement of a year and then surrendering large amounts during the course of the year. It will be necessary to keep estimates as low as possible. ~~and if the Board does not object~~ If Premier agrees orders might issue accordingly without Circ.

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13/10/97

JQ
13/10/97

Please see letter attached

I don't think we ought to allow more than .25 at most. But rather than risk it at .20 + chance having to find more. If we go making add. allotments we shall be in a difficulty when we come to have to make allotments for Rds. — Besides, we have to expect to be compulsory minimum ball of 20.0

BM
3/11/97

I think the Bds estimates of .35 is fully justified but as my Hon. Colleague is so anxious that .25 "at most" shd be provided I will consent to that

JG
5/11/97

1892
Fin. Dept.
Encls. No.
G. No. 2348

Madras:— Expenditure

Detailed Account No 30 D.— Stationery and Printing
Printing at Private Presses

	Budget Estimate 1898-99.	Revised Estimate 1897-98.	Budget Estimate 1897-98.	Accounts 1896-97
Land Revenue.—				
Printing Settlement Registers	25000 ~~35000~~	(a) 10,000	30,000	2,722
The Ouchterlony Valley Settlement records and Malabar Wynaad records		(b) 1550	1,200	..

(a). The budget grant for the current year was intended for printing the Settlement Registers of Tanjore, Trichinopoly and Ananthapur. The Registers of Trichinopoly and Ananthapur have not yet been received in the Board's Office and their printing is not likely to be taken in hand during the current year. The Registers of Tanjore have been received, but their printing was deferred, pending decision of question regarding subdivision of joint holdings. It has now been decided — to print the registers without waiting for the subdivisions and the printing will be commenced shortly. It is estimated that only about ten thousand rupees will be spent on this account in the Current year. For 1898-99 a sum of Rs ~~35000~~ 25000 is provided for printing the remaining registers of the district and some of those of Trichinopoly and Ananthapur districts.

(b) Increase due to provision for printing the Settlement registers of Ouchterlony Valley which was expected to be completed in 1896-97 but had to be deferred pending settlement of the form of register.

Certified that the actuals as entered above are those shown in the departmental accounts and that they have been verified with the Statements furnished by the Accountant-General.

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No. 8745-Miso:

Submitted to Government, Revenue Dept.

Board of Revenue
Rev Sto 4th & 5th Dec 97.

Sd/ P. S. Sivaswamy
Secretary.

Revenue Department.

CURRENT No. 3548

Office Note No. 97.

Station Fort St. George, dated 23rd Octr. 1897.

From

The Hon: the Ag. Secretary to Government,

Revenue Department.

To

The Hon: the Chief Secretary to Government,

Financial Department.

With reference to the suggestions made in the accompanying Office Note from the Financial Department, the undersigned has the honour to enquire whether in case funds are required for the printing of Settlement Registers during the ensuing year in addition to the amount of R.20,000 now proposed to be allotted for the purpose, any difficulty is likely to be felt in placing the necessary additional funds at the Board's disposal.

G. Moore

Ag. Secy. to Govt.

Endt No. 2233 dt/ 15th November 18

To.

Revenue Depot

In an ordinary year there would be no difficulty in finding an additional ten or fifteen thousand. The above question cannot be answered now as everything depends on the prospects

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next year. So far as can be now seen the year will be a "light" one financially - The point, however, seems to be "Was the Board justified its estimate of ·35 for next year?"

Curtis. 28.10.97

Asst 29.10.97

Next year the work will be ready to be done. This year it was not. The Board might do it next year & evidently intends to do it. Submitted therefore that the amount ·35 shewn in budget is for

Wills 2-11-97

Read encl. 8674 of 97 A

P.S. Secy (from orders)

Order No 915-S/6th Nov: 1897.

The Court considers [struck: orders that] (in view of the great financial pressure existing at present) that it will be sufficient if a provision of Rs 25,000 is made in the ensuing year's budget for the printing of Settlement registers. The Board's estimate for 1898-99 will be reduced accordingly and subject to this modification the estimates submitted by it with its Proposal read above are approved and will be transferred to the Financial Dept.

Wills 6.11.97

Parsons 6/11/97

To The Financial Dept
" Board of Rev: & Agt
" Acct General

Wills 6.11.97

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Estimates as revised to be printed as Appx to Rep. p.

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G.O., No. 915, 6th November 1897.

NOVEMBER.

Budget Estimate.

Approving, subject to certain modification, Board's — for 1898–99 on account of "30-D. Stationery and Printing—Printing at Private Presses—Printing Settlement Registers," and transferring the same to the Financial Department.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Read—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), Mis. No. 8145, dated 5th October 1897.

Abstract.—Submitting to Government the revised estimate for 1897-98 and the budget estimate for 1898-99 on account of the printing of settlement registers.

Order—No. 915, Revenue, dated 6th November 1897.

Miscellaneous.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Financial Department.
„ the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).
„ the Accountant-General.

Exd. Shaik Karim.

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APPENDIX.

MADRAS.—EXPENDITURE.

Detailed Account No. 30D.—STATIONERY AND PRINTING.—

Printing at Private Presses.

	Budget estimate, 1898-99.	Revised estimate, 1897-98.	Budget estimate, 1897-98.	Accounts, 1896-97.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
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