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Revenue (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 4699

DATED 30th November 98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving the proposals of the Board of Revenue re the purchase of two iron safes required for the Collectors of Godavari & Kistna and the rule approved in G.O. 3314 of 10-8-98 being made absolute.

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Revenue ~~Political~~ (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 7247

From

The Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, Madras.

No. 1178 REF.

Order (uni) No. 4699 of 30th Novr 1898.

The proposals in paras 1 and 3 of the Reference read above, are approved.

Dated 19th October 1898.

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SUBJECT.

Recommending to Government --- that the rule approved in para 1 of G.O.No.3514 Rev., dated 10.8.98 may be made absolute and reporting that 2 iron safes will be required, with explanation for the number originally estimated by the Board.

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Office of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue)

Madras, dated 19th October 1898.

Read again Board's Proceedings No.215, dated 19th - August 1898.

Read also replies from Collectors to the above.

Reference No.1178 dated 19th October 1898.

In G.O.No.3314 Revenue dated 10th August 1898,---- Government approved of the Board's proposal to provide iron safes to those Deputy Tahsildars' offices which are not situated within easy reach of a Huzur or Sub-Treasury or of a sub-jail. With reference to the Board's estimate, that about 40 safes costing Rs.1800 would be needed for this purpose Government considered that before any - sum was actually sanctioned, tenders with samples should be called for from Messrs. Raju & Co. and other firms for the supply of the -- safes. Tenders were accordingly invited in Board's Proceedings No. 215 dated 19th August 1898 from seven Madras firms and at the same time the Board requested all Collectors to report the exact number of Deputy Tahsildars' offices in each district which are not within easy reach of a Huzur or Sub-Treasury or of a sub-jail. In answer to this reference the Collector of Anantapur has reported --- that Uravakonda in his district is not within easy reach of the - sub-treasury at Gooty and therefore recommends a safe for the Deputy Tahsildar at that station. The Collector of Godavari reports - that the only Deputy Tahsildar's office in his district which is - not within easy reach of a Huzur or Sub-Treasury or of a sub-jail is that at Chintalapudi. According to the reports received from the remaining Collectors there is no other Deputy Tahsildar's office in the Presidency which requires a safe under the terms laid down in the Board's reference and approved by Government. The Collector of South Arcot, however, recommends iron safes for the Deputy Tahsil--- dars' offices at Cingee, Chengam and Dhuvanagiri although these are within easy reach of the respective sub-jails. Similarly the Collector of Chingleput recommends safes for the Deputy Tahsildars of ---

Sriperumbadur

Sriperumbadur and Uttaramerur,notwithstanding the proximity of sub--- jails to each of these stations.As it is not advisable to depart in the case of two districts only from the principles already laid down,the - question of supplying additional safes to the Deputy Tahsildars' offices in South Arcot and Chingleput may be postponed for the present-Even as regards Uravakonda in Anantapur it is doubtful whether the Deputy - Tahsildar's cutcherry is not close to sub-jail as the Collector only - certifies that it is at a distance from the Taluk Treasury at Cooty.In any case only two safes have now to be supplied and the Board considers that the Collectors of Godavari and Anantapur who have indented for --- them may be directed to purchase them out of their budget provision -- either from Messrs.D.Raju and Co. or from Messrs.A.Sankaralingam Achari and Brothers,Dindigul,whose tenders have been selected by the Board as the most suitable of those sent in reply to Board's Proceedings No.215 dated 19th August 1898.

2. For the information of Government the Board adds the following explanation as to why its estimate,detailed in the appendix to --- Board's Proceedings No.215,dated 19th August 1898,was so much in excess of the actual requirements as now ascertained.It was assumed in - the Board's estimate that the cash chests belonging to only 12 Deputy - Tahsildars' offices could be placed in sub-jail wards and that 57 offices of this class would have to be supplied with iron safes for the reason - that they were not in the neighbourhood either of a sub-jail or of a - sub-treasury.The information as regards offices which used sub-jails - for the custody of their cash chests was derived from column 4 of the statement appended to Board's Proceedings No.354,dated 20th August 94.W.C The question dealt with in 1894,however,was not,how many sub-jails --- were available for the custody of Dy.Tahsildars' cash chests,but,in how many cases sub-jails were actually used for this purpose and the - information then furnished was therefore incomplete.

3. As it now appears that sub-jails are available in nearly -- every case,the Board recommends that the proposed rule approved in --- para 1 of its Proceedings No.1816,dated 11th July 1898 may now be made absolute,viz.,"where no Huzur or Sub-treasury is available at the head "quarters of a Deputy Tahsildar,his cash chest should be lodged in a - "sub-jail ward and if possible within view of the sentry" in preference to lodging it in a police station.

Lionel Davidson

Ag: Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

C No. 7247-798.

From The Board of Revenue (Land Revenue)

Dated 19th October 1898.

FOR ORDERS.

Sub-order No. 3314 of 10th August 1898, the Government approved the Board's proposal to provide iron safes to the Deputy Tahsildars' offices in the Presidency which are not situated within each reach of a Sugar or Sub-treasury or of a Sub-jail. But it was considered that before any sum was actually sanctioned on that account tenders should be invited by the Board from Messrs Raju & Co and other firms for the supply of the safes. In the current read above, it is reported that tenders were accordingly called for from seven Madras firms and that Collectors were at the same time requested to

report the exact number of Dy Tahsildars' offices in each district which are not within easy reach of a Huzur or Sub-treasury or of a Sub-jail. It now appears that there are only two offices of the above description, one in Anantapur district and another in Godavari district and the Board considers that these Collectors who have indented for them may be directed to purchase them out of their budget provision either from Messrs D. Raju & Co or from Messrs A. Sankaralingam Achari and Brothers, Dindigal whose tenders have been selected by the Board. In order no 3979 of 6.10.98, the Public Works Dept. has been asked to address the Govt of India to include these firms in the list of firms from whom tenders may be invited for the supply of safes and treasure chests. Submitted that in the meantime the Board's proposal may be approved with reference

FOR ORDERS.

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to the discretion vested in the Local Government under para 4 of the Govt of India Resolution in Go. 2998 of 18.7.98.

2. ~~It is stated that the Collectors~~ ~~The Collectors~~ of S. Arcot and Chingleput ~~[illegible]~~ recommend iron safes for certain Deputy Tahsildars' offices although they are within easy reach of the respective sub-jails but ~~[illegible]~~ that it is not advisable to depart in the case of two districts only from the principles already laid down and that therefore the question of supplying additional safes to the Deputy Tahsildars' offices in these two districts may be postponed for the present.

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