

March

PROCEEDING OF THE CANTONMENT BOARD, DACCA FOR THE MONTH OF ~~February~~ 1954 HELD ON 22 MARCH 1954 IN THE CANTONMENT BOARD OFFICE, DACCA.

PRESIDENT.

MAJOR GENERAL K.M. SHEIK, COMMANDER
14 DIVISION.

SECRETARY.

MR. S.M. OOMAR FAROOQ, M.A.C.E.O.
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1. To read the monthly statement of account of receipt and expenditure for the month of February 1954 and list of total expenditure incurred during the month together with the petrol account as placed on the table.

(a) Opening balance as per Bank on 1.2.54	...	Rs. 84,804-13-
(b) Opening balance as per Cash Book on 1.2.54	...	Rs. 84,804-13-
(c) Total receipt during the month of February 1954.		Rs. 206- 0-
(d) Total expenditure during the month of February..		Rs. 85,010-13-
	1954.	Rs. 1,847- 5-
(e) Closing balance on 28th February 1954.	...	Rs. 83,163-8 -

RESOLUTION : The statement of account is approved and expenditure of Rs. 517/14/- for payment of bills as placed on the table is also approved. *The total expenditure incurred is approved.*

As detailed below:-
February 1954.

<u>Head.</u>	<u>Amount.</u>
A(1)	- Rs. 75- 0- 0
A(2)	- Rs. 128- 0 -0
A(3)	- Rs. 56- 0- 0
D(3)	- Rs. 25- 0-0
F(9)	- Rs. 1317- 6- 0
F4(a)	- Rs. 55-15- 0
F4(b)	- Rs. 51-15- 0
F6(a)	- Rs. 56- 0- 0
F6(b)	- Rs. 52- 1- 0
L4(c)	- Rs. 30- 0- 0
Totals:	- Rs. 1847- 5- 0

The Budget Head A(3) has been increased by Rs. 113/- which is hereby re-appropriated from the saving under the same Head D(2). The Budget Head D(3) has been increased by Rs. 125/- as the amount of last year's allowance had to be paid to the over-seer. The amount of Rs. 125/- is therefore re-appropriated from the Sub-Head D(2)(f) which will be now Rs. 710/- - Rs. 238/- = Rs. 472/-. Due to expenditure on lorries under Head F(4)(b), the expenditure under this has increased from Rs. 30256/- to Rs. 34080/- and the amount of Rs. 3824/- should be appropriated from the Head F(9) reducing the Head to Rs. 12701/-

The re-appropriation statements placed on the table are approved and should be forwarded to Government of Pakistan for sanction.

2. To consider the minutes of conference held at Station Headquarters in connection with the Anti-Cholera measure in the Cantonment. The local military authorities ask for Item No. (12) & (13)

(a) Removal of Rubbish and Excreta twice a day ~~removed~~ ^{against} once a day which is being done now.

(b) To provide extra staff and vehicle to ensure the above.

(c) ~~Issuance of the~~ ^{provision of more} receptables.

✓(d) Item (16) Dog shooting.

In view of the extensive area the nonavailability of a permanent part time dog shooter, the issuing of cartridges to the separate units who will appoint ~~one~~ ^{their own} dog shooters and who will get annas -/4/- per tail.

RESOLUTION : The following arrangements should be made.

Items Nos. (12) & (13)

(a) One Lorry should work in two shifts until the New Lorry is ~~not~~ available. The following staff should be employed.

(i) 4 sweepers (ii) One driver (iii) 2 Trench beldars.

Effort should be made to buy one more lorry locally as the new lorry for which Rs. 20,000 has been deposited will not be available for some months. The proposed quota for this Cantonment is 4 lorries as provided in the Budget of the next year (1954-55). The agreement should be revised for 2 lorries and staff immediately.

The double shifts made by the Cantonment Board office from 17.3.54 is hereby approved. The New staff is already sanctioned for 2nd lorry and should be employed with effect from 1st April 1954, to work in the 2nd shift of the lorry. As for the overtime work that is being now done, the driver is doing double shift but the road sweepers are being employed to do the work. Driver should be paid Rs. 1/8/- per day ^{from} Head F(9) for the double duty performed.

As for the dog shooters, the military police dog shooter has not been permitted to continue and the O.C. station is unable to give a part time dog shooter for the whole Cantonment. Therefore the only alternative is to employ a whole time dog shooter or to allow the units to obtain cartridges from the C.E.O. and get the dogs shot through their own sepoys. The Station Commander, desires that -/4/- should be paid for each dog shot. Sanction of the Govt. should be obtained that till a part time or full time dog shooter is available, -/4/- should be paid for each dog shot.

3. To consider the question of periods after the Cattle Pound Moharer should deposit the amount in the office of the Cantonment Board and the security to be paid by him.

RESOLUTION : The amount should be deposited to the Cantonment Board off 4 times in a month and ~~security~~ will be credited to the Cantonment Board Fund with others twice a month.

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The security of the Cattle Pound Moharer should be Rs. 25/ which should be recovered from the Cattle Pound Moharer by monthly instalments with effect from 1st April 1954.

4. To consider the question of authorising the staff to visit to Dacca, in connection with Cantonment Board works.

RESOLUTION : The following is sanctioned.

- (a) 2 visits to the Bank in connection with the deposit of Cantonment Fund money *per month*.
- (b) Once or twice as may be permitted to draw pay or to receive imprest *per month*.
- (c) Visit of the staff may be sanctioned by the C.F.O. as and when necessary as allowed under Rules.

- 5. To consider signal No.29/7/D/5/L.C.H dated 26.3.54 from the Ministry of Defence, sanctioning the Budget subject to the conditions, that the revised plans of Cantonment Executive Officer Bungalow and servan quarters, after they are obtained from M.E.S. should be worked upon.

RESOLUTION : There is hardly any time to incur essential expenditure on contingencies but effort should be made to make the following payment immediately.

D(1) (a) The payment for original works should be paid in full to Superintendent Engineer C.P.U.D by cheque. so that he is in a position to start the works next year after saving is detailed
 Estimate The amount to be paid is Rs 154,490/-
 If the Army allotment is not received for CMA, sanction of the
 of Defence should be obtained to keep the opening balance
 less than 10% of expenditure.

- (6) To consider the question of purchase of cloths for the uniforms of the sweepers & staff

As the officers have not been able to say definitely whether they can provide the cloths & there is a possibility of the cloths becoming cheap, the purchase should be made during the next year.

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Ceo. Direct

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Major General

President Cantt Board

29/3/54.