



EAST AFR. PROT.
28016

SEP 3 SEP 12

TREASURY

Date.
1912

to Sept

previous Paper,

RAILWAY SPECIAL EXPENDITURE
UNSPENT BALANCES 1911-12

Before assenting to proposal to expend during the current financial year the unspent balances of £12,988 asks for further information on points raised.

28015

Copy for 575 cons 18/12/12
Ahead - copy above disp sent - 22 Oct 12 2975

Wd Read,

We must consult the Adm on the points raised by the Treasury.

① we had better first telegraph in case he commits himself.

Your list of a policy No. 459 cannot be approved expenditure ~~unapproved~~ yet
Dispatch follows

② copy of Treas. letter for cons ask him to state clearly the

points on which he is unwilling they

28017

They have received a copy of the New letter
18th May 1917
sent to the
10-13-17

55259(10)

All

9/17

at once

R. J. H.

10/17

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In the reply to this Letter the following number should be quoted.

3 September 1912.

16487

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Sir,

I have laid before the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury Mr. Read's letter of the 9th ultimo (28601/1912) and its accompanying copy of a despatch, with its enclosures, from the Officer Administering the Government of the East Africa Protectorate relative to the proposed expenditure during the current financial year of a sum of £12,988, being the unspent balances on the Railway Department Special Expenditure subheads for the year 1911-12.

This proposal involves an excess of corresponding amount upon the gross authorised provision for the year, and My Lords are by no means clear that the services to which it relates are so urgent that they could not be deferred to the ensuing year or being urgent could not be met from savings on the approved estimates for 1912-13 (vide Treasury Letter of 16th November 1910 17421/10 in reply to Colonial Office letters of 23rd September and 21st October 1910 (28209 and 30653). It is also not stated that the excess can be met from balances which have not already been earmarked to meet the deficiency of the current year.

before

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

X No.

Colonial Office (19/13) - 10411-20

Before His Lords could assent to the Secretary
Hardourt's recommendations they would be glad to receive
assurances on each of the foregoing points.

I am,

Sr,

Your obedient servant,

John Lubbock

Trusty work done

sent 12 35 AM 17/9

DRAFT.

Telegram

Governor

Hairubi

MINUTE.

- Mr. Abbott (over)
- Mr. Butler (23601)
- Sir G. Piddis 12/9
- Sir H. J. ...
- Sir J. Anderson
- Lord Emmott
- Mr. Harcourt

Your despatch of 6 July 1899

understands

459 cannot sanction

expenditure

yet dispatch

follow by mail

despatch

Harcourt

Handwritten initials

~~copy of 25000 bal~~



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copy 23601

was 3 Sept
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(No 595) 16 Sept 1912

Sr.

Have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 459 of the 21st of July^{*} relating to the exp^{ts} during the current financial year of the unspent balances in the Railway Dept. Special Exp^{ts} subheads for the financial year '11-12 amounting to £ 12988. & to confirm my telegram of the 12th of Sept[†] in which I inf^d. you that this exp^{ts}

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* No. 23601
† 25016: not printed