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Magadi Railway
Auditing of Contractors Accounts

under Cl. 34 of Contract.
Auditor has raised question asks that
C. be requested to state what steps they
propose to take to comply with conditions laid
down in this clause.

~~Mr. Griffiths~~
Mr. G. Fiddes

See para. 2 of our despatch of the 6th of Oct^r
1910 on ^{2.0} _{20586/09} clause 34 of the contract
dated the 13th of April 1911 (copy below).

I do not see how we can have the
accounts audited here in spite of the
difficulty which the Contract is no doubt
in submitting them to the local Comptroller.

Copy of signature of Mr. Griffiths

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It is nearly a matter of fact that
the best and

As proposed, the
position has been raised by the D. of

alone

March 25th 1912

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Sir,

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I have the honour to refer to Lord Crewe's Confidential despatch of October 8th 1909 dealing inter alia with the auditing of the Magadi Railway Contractors' accounts as laid down in Clause 34 of the Form of contract which forms the second schedule of the agreement with the Company.

2. The matter has been brought up by the Auditor and as it appears that arrangements cannot very well be made locally I should be glad if the Company might be requested to state what steps they propose to take in order to comply with the conditions laid down in the clause above quoted. It appears that the accounts are kept in London and therefore presumably have to be submitted to the Colonial Office or the Crown Agents

I have the honour to be

Yours faithfully,
The Secretary

For
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James C. ...

Magadi Soda
Company Ltd.

Mr. ...

Nicholas ...

provision in relation to
the contract for the construction

of the Magadi Railway,

I am etc. etc. inform you

that the ... of the ...

has raised the question of

the auditing of the Contractors

Accounts as provided for

by clause ... of ...

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