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5th November 1925.

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MR GRIGG.

CONF 205

REGULATION:-

G. H. H. H. H.

£3,500,000 LOAN AND PROPOSED £3,000,000 LOAN.

U.S. of S.

W. S. H. H. H.

Has approved reallocations of Schedules as shown, to provide for further rolling stock under the former, and to cover cost of Mbaraki and completion of Masin Gishu Rly under the latter.

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Previous Paper

MINUTES

*See also 32615 ; let ? + can wait
like this & disposal of.*

Minutes written

Mr Allen 11/12/25

*Telegraph approval as to the
£3,000,000 loan, & expense as
to the other*

W. S. H. H. H.

On the £3,500,000 loan:-

*(1). Harbour works, were not in fact
mentioned in the House of Commons
to cut them out early would a
challenge*

*(2) Rolling stock loans, under
terms of £800,000, covering the*

Subsequent Paper

W. 55475

The life of a woman is not long. But
we must ensure that people's retirement
provisions will be made for retirement.

(3) On the other hand, however, such is
my view 25% of the population
living with 80% or 90%. From
the point of view of maintainability,
therefore, the change is to be welcomed.

(4) A net diversion of £ 850,000 in the
provision for Port development is to
be depreciated - we shall need all we
can get for the Harbour, and we must
be sure to be satisfied. But we hope to get
some of the £10,000,000 loan for the Harbour
and in any case we can accept the
£ 850,000 that the head of Williamstown
is required.

It is understood to form a company
with the Harbour Board.
C. J. J. J.
J. J. J.

As compared with the latest approved schedule, i.e. that in paragraph 4 of 20809, the changes now proposed are in Item 2, Additional Rolling Stock, increased from £500,000 to £800,000, Item 3, Capital Improvements, increased from £400,000 to £500,000, while Item 4 in the earlier Schedule, i.e. Additional Port Development, £400,000, disappears. When the last re-allocation was made, the Treasury was consulted, and it may be thought necessary to go to them about this further change. The necessary power of virement is, however, authorised by Section 4 of the Ordinance No. 29 of 1924 in 8158/25, which had not actually been sanctioned when the Treasury were previously consulted. It has, however, now been sanctioned with their consent. The changes now proposed do not seem to involve any violation of the conditions laid down in the Memorandum in 32253/24 - copy within. The action required, therefore, seems to be either

- a) consult the Treasury, saying that subject to the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners the Secretary of State proposes to approve the proposed re-allocation, or
- b) convey such approval to the Governor, in reply to this despatch, and inform the Treasury that this has been done.

£3,000,000 (now £2,900,000) Loan.

Whatever decision is taken in regard to the £3,500,000 Loan, it should not be allowed to hold up action in regard to this loan, in which as

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the re-allocation, and saying that the Schedule to the Bill will presumably be amended accordingly, subject, of course, to the omission of the Item £100,000 Costs of Issue, referred to in the final paragraph of the Secretary of State's telegram of the 7th December on 54559.

H. Allen

11/12/50

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE
NAIROBI

KENYA

No. 205.

CONFIDENTIAL

5th November, 1925.

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Sir,

Dear Sir
25/11/25

With reference to your Confidential despatch of the 7th August, paragraph 1, approving the reallocations of the Schedules of the £3,500,000 loan and of the proposed loan of £3,000,000, I have the honour to state that the necessity has arisen for further provision for locomotives, carriages and other rolling stock on the Uganda Railway under the former loan together with the need for additional funds to cover the cost of the Mbaraki purchase and the completion of the Uasin Gishu Branch Railway under the latter.

2. In concurrence with the advice of my Executive Council I have approved the following reallocations of the Schedules of the loans:-

£3,500,000 Loan

Item 1. Extension of the Uganda Railway into Uganda and construction of branches in Kavirondo & Uganda	2,200,000
" 2. Additional Rolling Stock	800,000
" 3. Capital Improvements	500,000
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	£3,500,000.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LIEUTENANT COLONEL L.C.M.S. AMERY, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S. W.

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£3,000,000 Loan.

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	£.
Item 1. Construction of Nyeri, Kitale and Lake Solai Railways	850,000.
" 2. Further Port Development	550,000.
" 3. General Improvements	300,000.
" 4. Completion of Uasin Gishu Branch Railway	550,000.
" 5. Locomotives and Rolling Stock .	500,000.
" 6. Purchase and Reconditioning of the Kahe Branch Railway	100,000.
" 7. Costs of Issue	100,000.
" 8. Interest out of Capital	50,000.
	2,300,000.

revising those reported in Mr. Denham's Confidential despatch No. 46 of the 6th April last and I trust that you will accord your sanction to the arrangement.

I have the honour to be,

Sir

Your most obedient humble servant,

Edward Gigg

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17th Dec 1912 Conf. 1912 205

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approved proposed

Parsons,
Nairns

allocation of
£ 3000000 loan and
provision schedule to
Bill will be amended
accordingly subject to
omission of items
costs & issue

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Bottanley 21 stamps
J. Harding

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[? A further tel
is not required]

No. 100

23 December 1925

AFT. Conf. (R)

Sir

I have the pleasure to acknowledge

the receipt of your

Conf. Dispatch No. 205

of the 5th of November,

and to inform you

that I approve of the

allocation of the

£ 3,500,000 and

£ 3,000,000 loan

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Sir

I am to report to you
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the results of the
audit of the
accounts of the
Treasury for the
year ending 31st
July last.

Just regarding the
allocation of
£3,000,000

to Kenya - Uganda with
£1,000,000
of the amount in 1924, and
to inform you

inform the Local Commission

20/11

of the Treasury that
he ~~has~~ has approved
the re-allocation of their
~~the Schedules of the~~
Board, as ^{indicated} ~~specified~~
in Sir Edward Grigg's
Conf. Despatch No. 205
of the 5th of November,
copy of which is enclosed.

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(Signed) W. C. BOTTOMLEY.