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(Peat)

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Col. Engineer.

SUBJECT.

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PEAT REQUIREMENTS AND CUTTING  
for the year 1925/1926.

MINUTES.

*Minute from Col Engineer of 7<sup>th</sup> Sept: 1925 — Encl ①*

*E.E. Submitted for approval.  
G.H. 13  
O.I.C./C.S.O.  
9 Sept 1925.  
9 Sept 1925*

*Colonial Engineer  
for note.  
G.H. 13  
O.I.C./C.S.O.  
10 Sept 1925.*

O.I.C./C.S.O.

Noted.

2. Notice inviting tenders herewith accordingly, in duplicate, for publication.

Subsequent Paper.

*R. S. Barclay.*  
Colonial Engineer.

10/9/25

*431/26.*



Hon W. Thompson.  
Chairman Tender Board.

Will you please note date '28 September'  
as the date on which tenders have to be received  
at this office.

W.H.B.  
14 Sept 1925.

Bir Co/CSO,  
Noted  
W.H.B.  
15. 9. 25.

The Tender Board met at 10.45<sup>am</sup> on Tuesday.  
the 29th September 1925.

One tender was received that from.

Mr. C. Henriksen quining.

7½ per cubic yard for cutting & backing old banks.  
8 " " " " " " " " new banks.

✓ 2d. per cubic yard for wheeling.

It was recommended that Mr. C. Henriksen's  
tender should be accepted, subject to his  
providing the usual guarantee for the  
satisfactory performance of the work.

W.H.B.  
Chairman.

W.H.B. as Secy.

W.H.B. as Secy.

29 Sept 1925.

W.H.B.  
Submitted for approval.

W.H.B.

15 Sept 1925.

29 Sept 1925.



O.I.C./C.S.O.

Recommendations of Tender Bond  
~~may be accepted.~~

*[Signature]*

29 Sept 1925

Col. Engineer,

For usual action please.

A Bond should be obtained as last  
 year.

*[Signature]*

O.I.C./Sec.

30 Sept. 1925

O.I.C./C.S.O.

Noted.

2. I beg to submit herewith guarantee in the sum of £100, signed by Mr W.J. Hutchinson, for the satisfactory execution of peat contract by Mr C. Henricksen, also signed copy of agreement with Mr C. Henricksen.

3. Mr W.J. Hutchinson is a house-owner.

*[Signature]*

Colonial Engineer.

5th October, 1925.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

C.S. No.....

MINUTE PAPER.

Departmental Number.

From. ~~THE~~ Colonial Engineer.....

.....  
Date. 7th September, 1925.

To. The Hon. Col. Secretary...

Peat Supply, 1925-6.

Reference  
Numbers.

C.I.C./C.S.O.

I beg to submit herewith a list of peat requirements together with a draft notice inviting tenders for the cutting and rickling of 9450 cubic yards of peat for the 1925-6 season.

2. To enable this quantity to be cut new banks may have to be opened late in the season, the peat from these probably having to be stacked on the banks until the following spring.

*W. Barclay*

Colonial Engineer.

7th September, 1925.



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LIST OF PEAT REQUIREMENTS FOR 1925-6.

I	Government House	180
2	Hothouse	100
3	Conservatory	170
4	Town Hall	400
5	Gaol	78
6	Colonial Secretary	54
7	Colonial Surgeon	54
8	Colonial Postmaster	54
9	Colonial Engineer	54
10	Schoolmaster	54
11	Harbour Master	54
12	Gardener	54
13	Customs Officer	54
14	Asst. Customs Officer	54
15	Head Carter	54
16	Driver of Launch	54
17	Constable Hocley	54
18	" Headford	54
19	" Swain	54
20	" Wilkins	54
21	Hospital	365
22	Rock Cottage	54
23	Government School	90
24	School Hostel	100
25	Colonial Secretary's Office	50
26	Defence Force H.Q.	50
27	Police Station	30
28	Exchange	30
29	Chief Inspector of Stock	54
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		2561
Allowance for reserve		589
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Total		3150 loads
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*Ambsley*  
Col. Engineer.  
7/9/25

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GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

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TENDERS FOR PEAT CUTTING.

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Tenders for cutting and ricklång 9450 cubic yards of peat will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office up to 12 noon on Monday the 28th of September, 1925.

Tenders should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, should be marked "Tender for Peat" and should be deposited in the box marked "Government Tenders" at the Colonial Secretary's Office.

2. Sods should only be cut at places indicated by the Colonial Engineer or by a person deputed by him, and must be cut and rickled to his satisfaction, otherwise they will be rejected.

3. The top sod, to a depth of three inches, is not to be reckoned, and the walls of existing peat cuttings must be cut away to a horizontal depth of two inches before measurement can be reckoned.

4. Tenders should state the number of yards tendered for and the price per cubic yard for sods cut to a size not exceeding:-

(a) 9"x 9"x 6"

(b) 9"x 6"x 6",

in old banks, new banks, and for wheeling.

5. Half the quantity tendered for must be ready for removal by the 8th of December, 1925, and the remainder by the 16th of January, 1926, weather permitting.

6. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

*R. B. Baschly.*

Colonial Engineer.

7th September, 1925.



(2.)

27/9/25  
Tender for Peat

The Chairman Tender Board.

Sir.

I beg to submit tender for  
Government Peat. 9.450 cubic yards.

Price.

7 $\frac{1}{2}$ <sup>d</sup> per cubic yard cutting and  
rickling of old Banks.

New Banks 8<sup>d</sup> per yard.

2<sup>d</sup> per ~~yard~~ yard shifting peat.

I am sir  
Yours respectfully  
C. Hennrichsen.

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THE COLONIAL ENGINEER'S OFFICE,  
STANLEY.

2nd October, 1925.

(580/24)

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge your tender for cutting and rickling peat, dated 27th September, and to inform you that, subject to the following, your tender has been accepted.

2. Before the agreement can be signed and tender accepted it will be necessary for you to provide security in the sum of One Hundred Pounds (£100) for the due fulfilment of your contract. Four copies of form of guarantee are enclosed herewith for your use. When completed two copies should be retained by you and two copies should be returned to this office.

3. The agreement will require to be signed as soon as possible after the guarantee has been provided.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Colonial Engineer.

Mr C. Henriksen,  
Stanley.



STANLEY.

3<sup>rd</sup> October, 1925.

(582/25)

I, the undersigned, do hereby declare that I will become security in the sum of One Hundred Pounds (£100) for Mr C. Henricksen; being surety that the said Mr C. Henricksen will fulfil, to the satisfaction of the Colonial Engineer, his contract with the Colonial Government for the cutting and rickling of 9450 cubic yards of peat and wheeling such quantity of peat as may be required.

Guarantor

W. J. Hutchinson

CONTRACT TO CUT AND RICKLE NINE THOUSAND FOUR  
HUNDRED AND FIFTY CUBIC YARDS OF PEAT.

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I, Cyril Henriksen, agree with the Colonial Engineer to cut and rickle nine thousand four hundred and fifty (9450) cubic yards of peat in sods as required; (a) of dimensions not exceeding 9"x 9"x 6" for -/7½d per cubic yard for open banks and -/8d per cubic yard for new banks; (b) of dimensions not exceeding 9"x 6"x 6" for -/7½ per cubic yard for open banks and -/8d per cubic yard for new banks, the sods to be cut and thrown in open bank, subject to the following conditions:-

- (1) The top sod, to a depth of three inches, shall not be reckoned and the walls of existing peat cuttings shall be cut away to a horizontal depth of two inches before measurement can be reckoned.
- (2) The peat shall be cut and rickled in the places pointed out by, and to the satisfaction of, the Colonial Engineer or person deputed by him. Cutting shall commence on the 20th of October, 1925, weather permitting.
- (3) Half the quantity of peat shall be ready for removal by the 8th of December, 1925, and the remainder by the 16th of January, 1926, weather permitting.
- (4) Wheeling under this contract shall mean removing dry, rickled peat from bank to a suitable to be decided on by the Colonial Engineer within the near vicinity of banks, to enable the carts to load. The wheeling shall be such as may be required, ordered and decided by the Colonial Engineer in any and all cases, and subject to the option of the Colonial Engineer to have the wheeling done by labour employed by him in any case and at any time, should he think fit.



The rate to be paid for all peat to be wheeled under this contract in accordance with the above shall be -/2d per cubic yard.

- (5) In case of failure properly to perform any part of the work hereby agreed upon to the satisfaction of the Colonial Engineer, that Officer may at once determine this contract and defray any cost incurred by my default by stopping any payment due or which may become due to me, and, if such stoppage is not sufficient to ~~ex~~ cover the cost, he may mulct the person who has given security for my proper fulfilment of the contract in such amount as he may deem to be necessary completely to cover the loss occasioned to the Government by my default..

Signed this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1925.

L. Henriksen.

Contractor.

R. B. Barclay.

Colonial Engineer.

Witness to above signatures W. Doyle