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The Madras City Council for Child Welfare

(Incorporated under Act XXI of 1860)

(LIST OF OFFICE BEARERS AND MEMBERS OF THE
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND THE GOVERNING BODY)

Executive Committee—1961-62

President (ex-officio):

Sri V. Munuswami, Mayor of Madras (from 9-11-60 to 29-11-61)
„ G. Kuchelar, Mayor of Madras (from 29-11-61)

Chairman

Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Chairman, South India Corporation
(Agencies) Pte. Ltd.

Vice-Presidents (Ex-officio)

Sri R. Balasubramanian, I.A.S., Commissioner, Corporation of
Madras.
„ R. M. Mahadevan, M.A., B.Sc., I.P., Commissioner of Police,
Madras.
„ B. S. Somasundaram, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Madras.
Dr. E. Somasekar, F.R.C.S., Representative of Madras Rotary
Club.

Secretary

Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., Retd. Commissioner of Madras
Corporation.

Jt. Secretary

Mrs. Mary Clubwala Jadhav, M.L.C., J.P.,

Treasurer

Sri D. S. Sastri M.A., C.A.I.B., Chief Agent, Central Bank of
India Ltd., Madras.

Members

Sri N. Krishnaswami, M.Sc., I.P.S., Deputy Commissioner of
Police (Crimes),

Mrs. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthi.
 Sri M. Vedachalam, Councillor, Corporation of Madras.
 „ A. Selvaraj, Deputy Mayor of Madras, C.M.

Co-opted Members

Smt. S. Manjubashini, M.L.C.

Governing Body

President	Secretary
Chairman	Jt. Secretary
Vice-Presidents	Treasurer

Six Members of the Corporation Council

Sri G. Kannan	Sri P. Karuppannan
„ M. Vedachalam	„ S. Balan
„ A. Selvaraj	„ R. Sadagopan

Six Members elected by the General Body of the Council for Child Welfare

Mrs. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthi.
 Sri N. Krishnaswami, M.Sc., I.P.S.,
 „ C. Vedachalam.
 „ M. Murugesu Mudaliar, B.A., B.L., Chairman, Taxation Appeals Committee, C.M.
 „ T. Munuswami Reddy, M.A., B.L.
 Dr. Ratnavelu Subramaniam, M.D., M.R.C.P. (Lon.)

Executive Committee

Mrs. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthi.
 Sri N. Krishnaswami, M.Sc., I.P.S.
 „ M. Vedachalam, Dy. Mayor of Madras.
 „ S. Balan, Councillor, C.M.
 „ D. Balasundaram, I.A.S. Retd. Commissioner, C.M.
 „ C. Amritaganesan, Secretary, I.R.C.S., Madras State Branch.

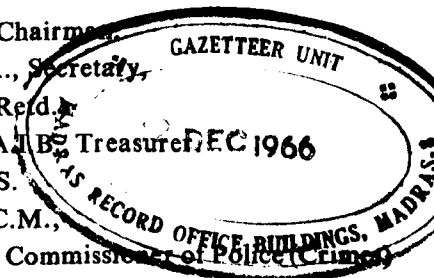
Officers

Sri D. Sankaran, B.Sc., Superintendent. Till 13 Dec. 1961.
 „ V. Subbiah, Retd. Addl. Supdt. of Police. Supdt. from 14 Dec. 1961.
 Miss Monica Dey, B.Sc., Dip. S.S.A., Woman Welfare Officer.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare held on Friday the 30th November 1962.

PRESENT

1. Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Chairman.
2. „ V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., Secretary.
3. „ S. Parthasarathi, I.P. (Retd.)
4. „ D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B., Treasurer.
5. Dr. E. Somasekar, F.R.C.S.
6. Sri S. Balan, Councillor, C.M.,
7. „ N. R. Suvarna, Deputy Commissioner of Police (Crim.)
8. „ C. Amritaganesan, B.A.



Annual Administration Report—Report of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and the Child Welfare Home—for the year 1961-62.

Read the Sixth Annual Report of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and the Child Welfare Home for the year 1961-62.

“ Approved ”

Madras-13, }
 30—11—62 }

M. A. CHIDAMBARAM,
Chairman,
Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1961-62

History of the Institution

It was found that about 2,000 children of ages eight to sixteen go begging in the City of Madras. To successfully reclaim and rehabilitate these destitute and disadvantageously placed children in the City, the then Mayor of Madras, Sri M. A. Chidambaram convened a conference of persons interested in Child Welfare during October 1955. The conference decided to form an Association called the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and desired me, who happened to be the Commissioner, Corporation of Madras, at the time to prepare a scheme for running a Home with a workshop to train them in crafts and useful occupations, so that when they were discharged, they could eke out their living as useful citizens.

I drew up a scheme for starting such a Home and drafted rules and regulations for an Association of officials and non-officials, which were duly approved. The scheme was also approved by the Standing Committees and the Council of the Corporation of Madras. In accordance with the scheme as finally approved, the committed inmates of the Corporation Industrial Home at Royapuram, namely the able-bodied beggars, were transferred to the Government Care Camp at Avadi and the inmates of the Poor House, a voluntary reception home for the aged and the infirm, were transferred to the authorities of the Monegar and Raja of Venkatagiri Choultries subject to the Corporation meeting the cost of maintenance of these inmates. The premises of the Industrial Home and the Poor House at Royapuram thus vacated, were placed at the disposal of the Council for Child Welfare by the Corporation, which also agreed to pay an annual subsidy of Rs. 50,000/- for running the Home. The Government of Madras agreed to meet the net cost. The Madras Rotary Club agreed to meet the cost of equipments for running Workshop to the tune of Rs. 25,000/-.

The Council for Child Welfare was registered under Act XXI of 1860 on December 22, 1955. It was inaugurated on the evening of the 26th December 1955 at the premises, No. 81, Suryanarayana Chetty Street, Madras, by Srimathi Durgabhai Deshmukh,

Chairman, Central Social Welfare Board, New Delhi. The Child Welfare Home was declared open on the same date by Sri C. Subramaniam, Finance Minister, Government of Madras. A Workshop attached to the Home with tools and plant equipped for carpentry, tailoring etc., by the Madras Rotary Club, was declared open by the then Union Finance Minister, Sri Chintaman Deshmukh.

The State Government, in their G.O. Ms. No. 3670 (Home) dated 22-12-55 declared the Home to be a place suitable for custody of boys and girls of ages 8 to 16 dealt with under section 29 of the Madras Children Act, 1920. Until 22-4-56, the institution was under the management of the City Corporation. On the afternoon of 23-4-56, the Council for Child Welfare took over the management of the Home and Workshop.

In order to open a section for Girls, the Central Social Welfare Board were approached for financial assistance. In their letter No. CBG/Mis/C-67-57 dated 12-12-57, the Central Social Welfare Board sanctioned a grant of Rs. 3,000/- for running a Girls' section for the period from the 1st January, 1957 to the 31st December 1957, subject to the condition that the institution should raise and spend an equivalent amount by way of matching contribution during the same period on welfare activities coming within the Board's purview. The institution raised a matching contribution equivalent to the amount of grant towards the expenditure on the subject. The Board was requested to renew the grant for the next following year 1958-59 also and to enhance the contribution in view of the expanding activities of this particular section. Somehow or other the grant was not given, but the section was run from out of funds of the institution. This had put the finance of the institution under great strain. The Board sanctioned for the period from 1st April 1959 to 31st March 1960, a grant not exceeding Rs. 2,500/- for maintenance of girls' section. It was represented that for the year 1959-60 the cost of maintenance of girls' section would exceed twice the amount sanctioned by the Central Social Welfare Board and they were requested to reconsider the matter and to sanction a further grant of Rs. 1,200/- so that half the minimum needs of the section might be met. There was no response. A matching contribution of Rs. 2,500/- was met from fees collected from ordinary members under Account No. I of the Madras City Council for Child

Welfare. For the year 1960-61 also, the Central Social Welfare Board sanctioned only Rs. 2,500/- though the cost was much more than Rs. 5,000/-.

In G.O. Ms. No. 2615 (Home) dated 30-8-60, the State Government declared the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram, as a place suitable for the custody of boys and girls between 8 and 18 years of age dealt with under section 29 of the Madras Children Act, 1920. In view of this order, the Juvenile Courts have been committing children to this Home from 1-4-60 upto the age of 18 years, as against 16 years previously in force.

Management and Activities

The Administrative control of the Child Welfare Home was vested with the Governing Body and the Executive Committee. Under their general directions, the Chairman and the Secretary took all initiative for the development of the Child Welfare Home and to enhance the utility of the City Council for Child Welfare.

Strength

On the 1st April 1961, there were 341 boys and 22 girls. During the year, the strength of the institution steadily increased by commitments through Juvenile Courts. There was also reduction due to discharges on completion of committal period in the institution and on account of certain escapes. At the end of the financial year, the strength of the institution was 405 inmates, consisting of 380 boys and 25 girls.

A statement showing the details is furnished hereunder :—

Sex	Inmates on 1-4-61	Admis- sions	Dis- charges	Escapes	Total strength as on 31-3-62
Boys	341	119	61	19	380
Girls	22	8	2	3	25
Total	363	127	63	22	405

Audit

The accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and that of the Child Welfare Home were audited by the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts for the year under report. The Audit report together with remarks are appended.

Membership

There were 31 ordinary members and 9 Life members on 31-3-62. Besides the following Institutions enlisted themselves as Life members contributing a lump sum of Rs. 250/- each during the year.

1. M/s. South India Corporation (Agencies) Pte. Ltd.
2. „ A. V. Thomas & Co., (India) Ltd.
3. „ South India Automotive Corporation Pte. Ltd.
4. „ India Radiators Ltd.
5. „ The Indian Overseas Bank Ltd.
6. „ The Enfield India Ltd.
7. „ Ashok Leyland Ltd.
8. „ The Best & Co., Private. Ltd.
9. „ Parry & Co.,
10. „ East India Distilleries & Sugar Factories Ltd.
11. „ Burmah Shell & Co.

Meeting of the Executive Committee

The Executive Committee of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare met six times during the financial year 1961-62 and disposed of 54 subjects.

Governing Body

A combined meeting of the Executive Committee and the Governing Body was held once during the year.

Annual General Body

The Annual General Body Meeting was held on 8th January 1962 under the Presidentship of the Hon'ble Dr. P. V. Cherian, Chairman, Madras Legislative Council. Mrs. M. A. Chidambaram distributed the prizes.

Education

Education based on the ordinary avocation practised in villages was provided upto the eighth standard in the school attached to the

Home. Instruction in the Institution was in Tamil and it was of Senior Basic Standard. Every child in the Home had to attend the School by shifts either in the mornings or in the evenings for three hours in the day, except on Sundays and Festival Holidays. Most of the children committed to the Institution practically knew nothing and they were socially or morally maladjusted. They all required proper shelter and succour which were provided in the Home. The School continued to be recognised by the District Educational Officer, Madras North and received teaching grant for the year 1961-62 also.



MAT PLAITING

Crafts section

The pupils are being trained in crafts like spinning, weaving, tailoring, coir rope making, mat plaiting, carpentry, glass ampoules manufacturing and book binding, envelope making and straw board boxes making during the year. The children are divided into two batches. One batch works in the crafts section and the other batch attends the school in the forenoon and in the afternoons the batch attending crafts section in the forenoon attend the school, and the batch attending the school attend crafts section.



BOOK BINDING

GLASS SECTION
(MANUFACTURING AMPOULES, TOYS, BEADS ETC.,)



Other activities. Games and recreation

The children are provided with games for recreation in the evenings daily between 4-30 p.m., and 5-45 p.m. They are provided with Football, Basket ball, Volley ball, Tennikoit and indoor games like Carrom. The Home has also provided a Radio for the inmates. Periodically film shows were conducted within the premises by the Local Library Authority.

The Police staff attached to the Home maintained discipline of the inmates ; they conducted mass physical exercise and parades on Mondays and Thursdays in the mornings between 7 a.m., and 8 a.m. The inmates in the Institution were divided into groups of fifty with leaders chosen from amongst themselves.

Visitors

Besides the Mayor of Madras, the Commissioner of Police, the Chief Presidency Magistrate and other Hony. Members of the Council for Child Welfare, the following distinguished persons visited the Institution during the year under report.

1. Dr. M. Ayyappa Reddy, Hony. T. B. Specialist, Govt. General Hospital, Kurnool.
2. Shudha Muzumdar, Member, Child Care Committee, Central Social Welfare Board.
3. Miss Millbare Singh, Member, Child Care Committee and Director, Women's Section (Relief) Social Welfare, Punjab.
4. Smt. B. Shakunthala, Director of Women Welfare, Andhra Pradesh.
5. Sri P. S. R. Anjaneyulu, Hony. Secretary, Indian Council for Child Welfare, Andhra Pradesh.
6. „ K. Vedam, Welfare Officer, State Social Welfare Board, Madras.
7. Sri D. Gosh, Director, Glucovite Ltd., Calcutta.
8. Smt. S. L. Dewan, Lady Inspector, Directorate of Social Welfare, Delhi Administration.
9. Swami Chinmayananda.
10. Brother Lucien from South Africa.
11. Mr Marvin Sicherman of Full Bright Programme.

Health of Children

During the year, the general health of the inmates was satisfactory and no epidemic broke out in the Institution. For minor

ailments, inmates were treated in the dispensary attached to the Home. For major ailments, they were sent to the Govt. Stanley Hospital for expert treatment. Emphasis was laid in the Institution on the preventive aspect of disease amongst children, maintaining sanitary conditions, and serving the children balanced Nutritive diet. Periodical Medical check up of the health of each inmate in the Home was done by the Part time Medical Officer attached to the Home.

Improvements

During the year usual white washing and colour washing was done to the boys' and girls' dormitory and the workshop. A portion of the roof of the boys' dormitory which was found to be dangerous was demolished and new roof was put up with new rafters and replacing the tiles with new tiles wherever necessary. The kitchen was provided with fly proof mesh.

Gifts

1. 2,137 Kilos of wheat from Guild of Service was received on 10-6-61.
2. 200 Kilos of Multipurpose food from Meals for Millions Association of India, New Delhi, received on 6-3-62.
3. Nutro biscuits 48 lbs. received from Meals for Millions Association of India, New Delhi, on 22-9-61.
4. American Corn 48 Kilos from Guild of Service received on 28-8-61.
5. Cotton seed oil 426 Kilos from Guild of Service received on 31-7-61.
6. Cotton seed oil 3,044 lbs. 4 ozs. from Guild of Service received on 2-3-62.
7. Cotton seed oil 2,200 lbs. from Guild of Service on 6-3-62.
8. 2,484 lbs. of Milk Powder from Guild of Service on 18-4-61.
9. 54 lbs. Milk Powder from Indian Red Cross Society, Madras State Branch on 25-1-62.
10. 108 lbs. Milk Powder from Indian Red Cross Society, Madras State Branch on 5-2-62.
11. 648 lbs. Milk Powder from Indian Red Cross Society, Madras State Branch on 6-2-62.

12. 2,430 lbs. Milk Powder from Guild of Service on 23-2-62.

13. Dr. Ratnavelu Subramaniam, M.D., M.R.C.P. (Lond.), Member of the Governing Body, contributed a sum of Rs. 101 = 69 for a treat given to inmates on 24-5-61 in memory of his wife the late Mrs. Lalitha Subramaniam.

Income Tax exemption

Donations to the Madras City Council for Child Welfare can get rebate from Income Tax and Super Tax under Sec. 15 (b) of the Income Tax Act subject to the limitations mentioned in that Section in accordance with the letter No. 1154/D.P. dated 11-1-57 issued by the Second Additional Income Tax Officer, Salaries Circle, Madras.

Production

The inmates manufactured the following articles during the year 1961-62.

Textiles

	Rs.	nP.
Dungry cloth 489 Pieces	...	3,912—00
Huck-a-back towels 62 Nos.	...	93—00
Bed spreads—38 Nos.	...	209—00
Blue Table cloth—23 Nos.	...	138—00
Diamond Fancy Towels—23 Nos.	...	63—00
White Drill—44 yards	...	125—07
Touring bed sheets—8 yards	...	16—00
Honey comb towels—16 Nos.	...	24—00
White bed sheets—9 Nos.	...	40—50
Cretion bed sheets—18 Nos.	...	117—00
Belgium rug bed sheets—25 Nos.	...	162—50
Curtex table cloth—17 Nos.	...	102—00
Leaves pattern bedsheets—8 Nos.	...	44—00

Rs. 5,046—07

Glass section:

20 c.c. White Neutral		
Glass ampoules—17,367 Nos.	Rs.	641—30
10 c.c. -do- 22,582 „		518—36
5 c.c. -do- 18,470 „		138—46
1 c.c. -do- 7,025 „		92—96

Rs. 1,391—08

Binding section :

Books bound for Local Library
Authority—1,809 Nos. Rs. 904—50

Rope section ;

3/4" Coir rope—464½ Kilos Rs. 575—98

Mat section :

5½' × 29" corah mats—8 Nos. Rs. 18—00

Carpentry :

	Rs. nP.
Teakwood office trays—3 Nos. ...	21—00
Rope making machine stand—1 No. ...	40—00
Teakwood show case—1 No. ...	55—00
„ low desks—6 Nos. ...	129—00
Wire mesh for kitchen and stores ...	225—00
Teakwood Table with shelf ...	150—00
Double desk ...	60—00
Screen—2 Nos. ...	120—00
	Rs. 800—00

The total value of finished products worked out to Rs. 8,735—63 for the year 1961—62. This does not include the cost of stitching uniforms for the inmates in the Institution. The total proceeds realised by way of sales worked out to Rs. 3,841—97 inclusive of sales tax.

Tailoring :

Khaki drill, Khaki cellular shirting cloth, blue casement cloth and white crepe cloth were purchased from M/s Buckingham Carnatic Mills at concessional rates for stitching uniforms for the inmates. Shirts and shorts for boys and skirts and blouses for girls were stitched in the Home itself. The Institution effected a saving of Rs. 292—10 nP., during the year by stitching and supplying uniforms for inmates of the Institution. Besides children at the time of their discharge were allowed to have their clothes stitched free of charge out of the cloth given by their guardians or relatives.

Gardening :

Vegetable garden was maintained in the Home. During the year under report 2,140 Kilos or Rs. 363—80 worth of vegetables was grown and utilised in the Home.

General

During the year one indigenous rope making machine was purchased as all efforts to get an import licence for a Japanese make 'Tadok' rope making machine failed. Straw board boxes were manufactured in the binding section for packing glass ampoules supplied to King Institute, Guindy, since the King Institute wanted the ampoules supplied in gross packing in boxes.

Conclusion

As in last year the Home received a contribution of Rs. 5,000/= from the Madras Provincial Welfare Fund towards the cost of maintaining the Girls' Section.

As in last year considerable difficulty was felt in running the Home due to delay in receipt of grants from the Government and Corporation of Madras. During the year under report an advance grant of Rs. 45,850/= was received from the Government of Madras in July 1961, and the balance grant was received only in March 1962, while the usual grant of Rs. 50,000 from the Corporation of Madras was received in October 1961. It will be very helpful if the grants are received earlier.

Many buildings of the Home are very old, and hence several parts are not in good repair. Out of Rs. 9,000/= asked for under the head of Repairs to buildings in the budget for 1961-62, the Government was pleased to sanction only Rs. 4,000/=. In order to repair the leaky roofs and damaged compound walls much more money is necessary. It is hoped more funds will be made available under this head in future as otherwise the safety and good health of the inmates are likely to be affected, and the unrepaired portions are likely to fall down due to more damage in due course.

I place on record the great assistance rendered by the Government of Madras State, the Corporation of Madras, the Provincial Welfare Fund, the Central Social Welfare Board, the Guild of Service, Madras, Indian Red Cross Society, Madras State Branch, the Police Department, and the Chairman and Members of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare, the Superintendent and other members of the staff for maintaining this Institution efficiently.

Madras 13 }
28th Oct. '62 }

V. N. SUBBARAYAN,
Secretary
Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

ABSTRACT

ADMINISTRATION REPORT — Child Welfare Home, Royapuram
— Report for 1960-61—Reviewed.

HOME DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 1650 dated the 7th May, 1962.

READ :—

1. G.O.P. No. 3208, Home, dated 19-11-58.
2. From the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, CWH. No. 68/61, dated 30-1-62.

Order :—

The Government have considered the Administration Report of the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram, for the year 1960-61. The report is recorded with the following remarks.

1. **Accommodation:**—The Child Welfare Home provides accommodation for 400 inmates. The strength of the Home at the beginning of the year (1-4-60) was 340. During the year, 88 children were admitted, 49 discharged and 16 escaped. The strength of the Home at the end of the year (on 31-3-61) was 363.

The Government find that the number of escapes has been large—16 as against 15 during 1959-60. The Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare is requested to take all precautionary measures to see that the escapes are prevented in future. He is also requested to consider liberalisation of recreation, so as to channelise the tensions that are invariably associated with the curtailment of liberty.

2. **Education:**—The Government are glad to note that education based on the ordinary avocation practised in villages was provided upto the VIII Standard in the School attached to the Home. It is noted that the instructions in the institution were in Tamil and it was of senior basic standard.

Besides formal education in the Basic School, children were also trained in crafts such as Spinning, Weaving, Tailoring, Coir rope making, Mat Plaiting, Carpentry and glass ampoule manufacture.

The Government are glad to note that a bookbinding-cum-cover making industry has been introduced in the Home during the year under report.

3. **Health and Food:**—The Government note with pleasure that the general health of the inmates was satisfactory. Cases of minor illness were treated in the Dispensary attached to the Home and only cases which required special treatment were sent to the City Hospitals.

4. **Industrial sections:**—The Government are glad to note that the Industrial sections, namely Textile Weaving, Coir rope, Mat Plaiting, Carpentry etc., which functioned during the year showed good progress. It is worthy of note that all the uniforms required for the children were stitched by the inmates in the Home itself. A saving of Rs. 703.25nP. was effected by stitching these uniforms within the institution.

5. **Revenue and Expenditure:**—The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 1,44,006. 98 nP. as against Rs. 1,35,557. 52 nP. during 1959-60. The total value of the finished products was Rs. 7,842. 88 during the year, as against Rs. 5,952.14 nP. in 1959-60.

6. On the occasion of the Annual General Body meeting of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare which was held on 19-1-61 under the Presidentship of the Finance Minister to the Government of Madras, difficulties experienced due to delay in sanctioning the Government grant was explained to him and he promised to look into the matter. The Government have examined this aspect and observe that there has been no avoidable delay on the part of the Government in sanctioning the Government grants payable to the Council for running the Child Welfare Home.

7. **General:**—The Government note with satisfaction that several officials and distinguished visitors have visited the Home. The Government find that the working of the Child Welfare Home in general has been satisfactory.

(By order of the Governor)

K. CHOCKALINGAM,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

List of Life Members

1. M/s. Ashok Leyland Ltd.,
2. „ The Best & Co., (Private) Ltd.,
3. Sri M. A. Chidambaram.
4. Mr. S. A. H. Carpenter, M/s. Burmah-Shell & Co.,
5. M/s. Easun Engineering Co., Ltd.,
6. „ Enfield India Ltd.,
7. „ East India Distilleries & Sugar Factories Ltd.,
8. „ The Hindu, Madras.
9. „ The India Cements Ltd.,
10. „ India Radiators Ltd.,
11. „ The Indian Overseas Bank Ltd.,
12. „ The Madras Circle Regd. Stockholders Association Ltd.
13. „ The Madras Circle Pipe Dealers Association.
14. „ Madura South India Corporation Pte. Ltd.,
15. „ V. M. Periaswamy Chetty & Co.,
16. „ Parry & Co.,
17. Dr. Ratnavelu Subramaniam, M.D., M.R.C.P., (Lond)
18. M/s. South India Corporation (Agencies) Pte. Ltd.,
19. „ South India Automotive Corporation Pte. Ltd.,
20. „ Spencer & Co., Ltd.,
21. „ A. V. Thomas & Co., (India) Ltd.,

List of Ordinary Members.

1. M/s. Addison & Co.,
2. „ Adair Dutt & Co.,
3. „ M. M. Abbas Bros.,
4. „ Best & Company (Private) Ltd.,
5. „ Bombay Co., (Private) Ltd.,
6. „ Brunswheiler & Co., Ltd.,
7. „ The Calcutta Chemical Co., Ltd.
8. „ Chelpark Co., Private Ltd.,
9. „ Chandanmul & Co.,

10. M/s. Century Flour Mills Ltd.,
11. „ Caltex (India) Ltd.,
12. „ Dahaji Dhakjee & Co., Pte. Ltd.,
13. „ The East India Pharmaceutical Works Ltd.,
14. „ Hackbridg-Hewittic & Easun Ltd.,
15. „ Imperial Chemical Industries (India) Pte. Ltd.,
16. „ Indian Commerce & Industries Co., (Pte.) Ltd.,
17. Sri M. J. Jamal Moideen, M.L.A.,
18. M/s. Larsen & Toubro, Madras.
19. Mrs. Mary Clubwala Jadav, M.L.A., J.P.,
20. Sri C. Muthukumaraswami Mudaliar.
21. Mrs. Meera Devi.
22. Sri. P. Maruthia Pillai, M/s. Century Flour Mills.
23. Mrs. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthi.
24. M/s. T. A. Taylor & Co., (Madras) Pte., Ltd.,
25. „ Tube Suppliers Ltd.,
26. „ Tube Investments of India Ltd.,
27. „ J. Thadhani & Co.,
28. „ Vijayam & Co., (Pte.) Ltd.
29. Mr. H. E. Wilson, M/s. Caltex India Ltd.,
30. M/s. Ashok Leyland, Ennore, Madras.
31. Sri D. S. Sastri, C.A.I.B.,

**Minutes of the adjourned meeting of the Executive Committee of the
Madras City Council for Child Welfare held on 4th October 1962.**

PRESENT

1. Smt. S. Manjubashini, Presiding Member.
2. Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., Secretary.
3. „ D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B., Treasurer.
4. „ S. Parthasarathi Ayyangar, I.P. (Retd.).
5. „ N. R. Suvarna, M.P.S., D.C. Crimes.

Read the Audit Report on the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and the Child Welfare Home for the year 1961—62 received with letters No. LF(CA) 3436 dated 19-6-62 and LF (CA) 4146 dated 5-7-62 respectively from the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts together with note of remarks furnished by the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

“ Approved,”

S. MANJUBASHINI,
4—10—62.

Presiding Member.

Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

**Audit Report on the Accounts of the Madras City Council for
Child Welfare for the year 1961-62.**

Name of the Auditor Sri S. SUBRAMANIAM,
*Superintendent,
City Audits.*

Dates of audit 18—4—1962 and
17—5—1962.

1. The Audit of the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare was taken up with reference to Government Memorandum No. 139889/Pr. II/57-2, Home, dated 20-12-57. The office of the President was held by the Mayor of Madras (Ex-officio). The offices of Chairman, Honorary Treasurer and Honorary Secretary were held by Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Sri D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B., Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., respectively.

2. The opening balance in the cash book was in agreement with the closing balance of the previous year. The closing balance in the cash book as on 31-3-1962 (viz.) Rs. 30,918—03 nP., was in agreement with the balance in the pass book of the Central Bank of India Ltd., Madras-1, after allowing for adjustments as detailed in the Reconciliation Statements in Annexure I. Necessary adjustments would need to be made for these amounts during the year 1962-63.

3. A statement of Receipts and Charges is appended to this report.

4. Result of audit

The general result of audit may be considered satisfactory.

5. Receipts and charges

The gross receipts and charges for the year were Rs. 49,206-27 nP., and Rs. 42,934-60 nP., respectively.

S. AZIMUDDIN,
Dy. Examiner of Local Fund Accounts.

Forwarded to the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, Madras-13.

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(Sd.
Superintendent.

Madras City Council for Child Welfare, Madras-13.
Account No. I

RECEIPTS		CHARGES	
	Rs. = nP,		Rs. = nP
1. Opening Balance	24,646 = 36	1. Matching contribution to Central Social Welfare Board	2,500 = 00
2. Subscription	3,580 = 00	2. Purchase of 2 Nos: Ambar Charka	154 = 50
3. Interest	626 = 27	3. Purchase of 1 No. Usha Deluxe Sewing maching	278 = 10
4. Madras Provincial Welfare Fund Grant	5,000 = 00	4. Incidental charges	2 = 00
5. Investment realised	20,000 = 00	5. Investment under Fixed Deposit	20,000 = 00
6. Transferred from Account No. II.	20,000 = 00	6. Transferred to Account No. I	20,000 = 00
		7. Closing balance	30,918 = 03
			<u>73,852 = 63</u>

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Annexure I

Closing balance as per cash book
as on 31-3-1961 Rs. 30,918 = 03

Add: Bank interest taken to debit
in the bank pass book but not in the
cash book. 10 = 81

Rs. 30,928 = 84

Less: Bank incidental charges Rs. 2 = 00

Subscription taken to
credit in Account No. I
of cash book but not
in the pass book of
Account No. II

260 = 00

262 = 00

As per balance of the pass book Rs. 30,666 = 84

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(Sd.) S. SUBRAMANIAM,
16-6-62.
Superintendent.

Audit Report on the accounts of the Child Welfare Home maintained by the City Council for Child Welfare for the year 1961-62.

Name of the Auditor : SRI S. SUBRAMANIAM,
Superintendent, City Audits.

Time taken for audit : From 19-4-62 to 10-5-62 and
18-5-62,

1. The audit of the accounts of the Child Welfare Home maintained by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare was done with reference to G.O. Ms. No. 1553, Home, dated 28-5-1956.

2. The office of the President was held by the Mayor of Madras (Ex-officio). The offices of the Chairman, Honorary Treasurer and Honorary Secretary were held by Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Sri D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B., and Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., respectively.

3. The opening balance in the cash book was in agreement with the closing balance of the previous year. The closing balance in the cash book as on 31-3-1962 (viz) Rs. 11,046-11nP., was in agreement with the balance appearing in the pass book of the Central Bank of India Ltd., Madras after allowing for the adjustments of the amounts detailed in Annexure-1. Necessary adjustments would need to be made for these amounts during the year 1962-63. Besides the above balance, there is an investment of Rs. 250/- in Government of India 4% Ten-year Treasury savings deposit certificate and a security deposit of Rs. 550/- with the Madras Electricity System. The Cash balance on hand on the date of audit was verified and the cash was readily forthcoming.

Note of the Secretary:—Necessary adjustments have been made for the accounts during the current year 1962-63.

4. The registers and records prescribed were maintained and scrutinised in audit.

5. A statement of Receipts and Charges is appended as Annexure II.

6. Pending objections of the previous Audit Report. Paragraph 8 of the Audit Report for 1960-61. This is an objection relating to the ownership of the buildings in which the Home is situated. The matter is under correspondence with the Government. The result of correspondence may be communicated to this office.

Note of the Secretary:—Reply from Government is awaited. As soon as it is received it will be communicated.

7. **Government Grant:** (a) In G.O. Ms. No. 1406, Home, dated 22-5-57 Government have fixed the maximum strength of the Home as 400 at any one time. The strength of the Home at the beginning of the year was 363 and at the end of the year 405 as detailed in Annexure III. The orders of Government for exceeding the maximum strength would need to be obtained for purpose of admissibility of grant in respect of the excess number of inmates maintained in the Home.

Note of the Secretary:—Excess committals were brought to the notice of the Government and the Government in its Memorandum No. 34399 Pr. II/62-3 dated 1-5-62 has indicated that excess committals need not be refused on the ground that the number of committals exceeded the maximum limit of 400. A copy of the Government Memo. No. 34399 Pr. II/623 dated 1-4-62 is furnished.

(b) The Expenditure on maintenance incurred on the admissible items during the year was Rs. 15,379-16P., as shown below.

Establishment	Rs. 3,748 = 12
Labour	12,28 = 75
Food	64,87 = 35
Raw Material	4,042 = 79
Repairs to buildings	4,049 = 66
Bank charges	18 = 25
Contingencies	14,379 = 16
Total	Rs. 1,55,701 = 08

The amounts received by way of contributions and other miscellaneous income were Rs. 64,640 = 10nP., as shown below :

Contribution from Corporation of Madras	Rs. 50,000 = 00
Contribution from C. S. W. Board	2,500 = 00
Matching contribution from the Council for Child Welfare	2,500 = 00
Teaching grant	4,420 = 12
Sale of finished products	Rs. 3,841 = 97
Less Sales tax	29 = 20
	3,812 = 77
Donations	125 = 00
Miscellaneous income	1,278 = 39
Total	Rs. 64,636 = 28

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As the Government grant is based on the net cost of maintenance, the grant due for the year is worked out below :

Total expenditure on maintenance ...	Rs. 1,55,701=08
Less Receipts ...	64,636=28

Net cost of maintenance ... Rs. 91,064=80

Grant eligible ... Rs. 91,064=80

Advance grant received from Government for 1961-62 (vide G.O. Ms. No. 1964, Home, dated 13-6-61 and G.O. Ms. No. 655, Home, dated 13-2-62) ...

Rs. 80,315=00

Excess grant drawn during 1960-61 ... Rs. 25,534=91

Less amount refunded to Government, during 1961-1962

14,150=00

Balance of the Excess grant drawn during 1960-61.

Rs. 11,384=91

11,384=91

Total grant drawn for 1961-62 ...

91,699=91

Grant eligible ...

91,064=80

Excess grant drawn for 1961-62 to be refunded to Government ...

Rs. 635=11

The sum of Rs. 635=11nP., would need to be refunded to Government or got adjusted in the grant payable for the year 1962-63.

Reply. Rs. 635=11 nP., was credited to State funds on 6-11-62 in the Reserve Bank of India, Madras. Remittance chalan enclosed for verification and return.

8. **Expenditure in excess of the Budget Estimate:** The following expenditure was incurred during the year 1961-62 in excess of the Budget Estimate for the year. The sanction of Government would need to be obtained for the excess expenditure incurred.

Item of expenditure	Budget estimate	Actual expenditure	Excess
1. Food	Rs. 60,000=00	Rs. 61,647=35	Rs. 1,647=35
2. Repairs to buildings	4,000=00	4,049=66	49=66

Note of the Secretary:—"The sanction of the Government will be obtained for re-appropriation."

9. **Expenditure on capital items:** The following purchases were made by the Home during the year 1961-62 and charged to maintenance head under "Contingencies."

Vr. No.	Particulars	Amount
1147	Indigenous rope making machine by M/s. Standard Mechanical and Engineering Works, Alleppey.	Rs. 320=00
1175	One ceiling fan Orient 48" A.C. complete with regulator purchased from M/s. Hazarimal and Co., Madras.	160=00

These expenditures may have to be classified as capital items representing purchase of tools and plant to the institution. The question whether such items of expenditure of capital nature should also be taken into account for purpose of calculating the maintenance grant may be decided by Government and orders passed as was done in a similar case in the previous year (vide para 7(c) of the Audit Report for 1960-61 and G.O. Ms. No. 629, Home dated 10-2-1962 for analogy).

Note of the Secretary:—"Government will be requested to admit the expenditure under contingencies as the expenditure was incurred before the orders of Government were received on para 7(c) of the Audit Report for 1960-61."

10. **Payees' acknowledgement—not obtained:** In respect of the following cases payees' acknowledgements stamped wherever necessary were not obtained and produced for audit.

<i>Vr. No.</i>	<i>Name of the payee</i>	<i>Particulars</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1147	M/s. Standard Mechanical and Engineering Works, Alleppey	Indigenous rope making machine	320 = 00
1233	Commissioner of Police	Cost of the Police staff working in the Home for the period from 1-1-61 to 30-6-61	3,832 = 96
1246	Chettinad Corporation Private Ltd.	Raw Materials	1,000 = 00
1265	All India Handloom Fabrics Marketing Co-op. Society	Supply of sarees	92 = 72
			<u>5,245 = 68</u>

Reply : Payees' acknowledgements have since been obtained for items 3 and 4 and put up for verification and return.

11. Credit sale of Finished Products—Amount not realised : The following credit sales of the finished products of the Home were not realised and credited to the funds of the Home.

<i>B. No. & Date</i>	<i>To whom sold</i>	<i>Particulars</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1. 4815/3-4-61	Water Works Dept., Corporation of Madras	Coir rope 3/4" size at 0=56 nP. per lb.	57 = 12
2. 20-11-61	Local Library Authority, Madras	Binding charges for 241 books of the branch library at Pudupet	120 = 50
3. 25-1-62	"	Binding charges for 44 books of the branch library at Egmore	22 = 00
			<u>199 = 62</u>

Action may be taken to realise the above amount and credit to the funds of the Home.

*Note of the Secretary :—*1. "Realised on 24-5-62 and credited to the account of the Child Welfare Home."
2. "Will be realised and intimated to audit."
3. "Realised on 25-6-62 and credited to the account of the Child Welfare Home."

12. Maintenance charges ordered by the Juvenile Court—Non-recovery of : The maintenance charges ordered by the Juvenile Court under section 31 of the Madras Children Act in the following cases were not realised and remitted to the State funds.

<i>Name of the Juvenile</i>	<i>J.C. No.</i>	<i>Rate p.m.</i>	<i>Periods</i>	<i>Amount</i>
1. Balakrishnan	1002/57	3/=	July 61 to March 62	27 = 00
2. Balasundaram	22/59	2/=	June 60 to March 62	20 = 00
3. Kuppan	3096/58	2/=	Jan. 62 to March 62	6 = 00
4. Moorthy	270/59	2/=	July 60 to March 62	42 = 00
5. M. Manickam	1065/59	3/=	May 61 to March 62	33 = 00
6. E. Manicka-vasagam	1413/59	2/=	Jan. 62 to March 62	6 = 00
7. Bhoopalan	2193/60	2/=	May 61 to March 62	22 = 00
8. K. Manickam	1734/60	3/=	May 61 to March 62	33 = 00
9. K. Radha-krishnan	2834/60	3/=	Mar. 62	3 = 00
10. S. Christy	3312/60	5/=	May 61 to March 62	55 = 00
11. R. Govindan	2869/60	5/=	Mar. 62	5 = 00
12. Jothiprakasam	165/61	4/=	May 61 to March 62	33 = 00
13. Subramani	181/61	2/=	June 61 to March 62	20 = 00
14. S. Gajendran	415/61	2/=	Nov. 61 to March 62	10 = 00
15. S. Annamalai	3220/61	2/=	Dec. 61 to March 62	8 = 00
16. G. Dorairaj	3229/61	2/=	Jan. 62 to March 62	6 = 00
17. Balakrishnan	3197/61	10/=	Mar. 62	10 = 00
18. Dhandapani	3247/61	2/=	Jan. 62 to March 62	6 = 00
Total				<u>345 = 00</u>

Note of the Secretary :—"The charges were realised in the case of items 9, 11 and 17 and the same will be remitted to State funds."

With regard to the other items the President, Juvenile Court, Madras, is being addressed to recover the amounts."

13. Contribution collected under section 31 of the Madras Children Act—not remitted.

The contribution of Rs. 377=50 nP., realised from the parents and other persons under section 31 of the Madras Children Act, 1920 was not credited to the State funds as required by rule 79 of the Madras Children Act, 1960. Early action may be taken in the matter.

Reply. The amount of Rs. 377.90 was remitted to State Funds on 6-11-62. The remittance chalan is enclosed for verification and return.

14. Sales tax not remitted.

A sum of Rs. 29=20nP., was collected as sales tax on the sales of the finished products of the institution for the year 1961-62. This would need to be remitted to the State funds.

Reply. The amount of Rs. 29 = 20 collected by way of S.T. was credited to State funds on 6-11-62. The remittance chalan is enclosed for verification and return.

15. Fixation of pay of the Employees—irregularities.

The Madras City Council for Child Welfare has revised the scales of pay of the employees of the Home with effect from 1-6-60 and the report of the special officer for the revision of scales of pay of the Madras Corporation employees was taken as the basis for revising the scales of pay of the Home staff. In respect of the following employees the fixation of pay on 1-6-60 was not in order. The correct fixation is as that indicated in the last column.

S.No.	Name & Designation	Old pay	Pay fixed on 1-6-60	Correct pay to be fixed
1.	Milycent Joseph, Jr. Basic Teacher.	Rs. 37/=	Rs. 68	Rs. 65/=(in the scale of 65-1-70-2-90)
2.	S. Mark Manuel, Weaving Instructor.	42/=	76/=	72/= -do-
3.	N. Palaniswami, Asst. Wea. Instructor.	22/=	53/=	50/=(in the scale of 50-1-60)
4.	M. Loganathan, -do-	22/=	53/=	50/= -do-
5.	Mohamed Abdulla, Tailoring Instructor.	26/=	57/=	53/= -do-
6.	M. Rajiah, Male Thoti.	Rs. 21=50	53/=	50/= -do-

The fixation already made by the Home was based on the presumption that all should be given the minimum benefit of Rs. 5/=. It may be pointed out that the minimum benefit of Rs. 5/= would be applicable only to those persons for whom weightage was given and not for those who are not eligible for weightage. In respect of the latter category of persons, the pay should be fixed at the next stage only in the revised scale, irrespective of the increase in emoluments. Their pay may therefore be fixed correctly as indicated above.

Note of the Secretary:—"The pay of the employees has been correctly fixed as indicated by audit. As the audit has not indicated recovery of the excess paid, a note is being put up to the Executive Committee for waiving the excess paid."

16. Employees of the Madras Corporation working in the City Council for Child Welfare Home—Lien.

The Poor House run by the Madras Corporation was transferred to the City Council for Child Welfare together with 19 Corporation employees working in the Poor House. The City Council for Child Welfare is remitting every month leave salary and pensionary contribution to the Madras Corporation in respect of these employees. In view of the fact that the management of the Poor House together with its employees was transferred to the City Council for Child Welfare it is not clear how the institution is liable to pay leave salary and pensionary contribution to the Corporation of Madras and it is not also clear whether these employees are holding any lien in any post in the Corporation. The exact position in regard to the condition of transfer would need to be ascertained and information made available for audit.

Note of the Secretary:—"The Government in G.O. Ms. No. 1553, Home, dated 28-5-56 approved the proposal of Madras City Council for Child Welfare that the staff taken over from the Corporation may retain their lien in the Corporation and may be treated as on Foreign Service terms with the Madras City Council for Child Welfare. As per the G.O. the employees of the Corporation are taken over by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare on Foreign Service terms and paying leave salary and pensionary contribution and Provident Fund dues as per resolution dated 10-5-1957 of the Corporation Council communicated to Madras City Council for Child Welfare. The Corporation Council resolved to treat the

services of the staff taken over by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare from the Corporation as on Foreign Service terms and to collect contribution from the Madras City Council for Child Welfare towards the leave salary and pension, Provident Fund etc., of the staff.

A copy of the G.O. Ms. 1553 dated 28-5-56 and the Resolution of the Corporation of Madras dated 10-5-57 communicated to the Madras City Council Welfare are herewith furnished.

(b) The Child Welfare Home comprises of 21 employees transferred from the Corporation and the rest of the staff represents the employees who have been directly recruited to service by the Child Welfare Home. It may be mentioned that while the Provident Fund benefits have been extended to these 21 employees, the employees directly recruited by the Home are not eligible for any Provident Fund benefits. The Teachers Provident Fund Scheme is compulsory to the teachers working in the Institution. In view of the disparity and in view of the fact that other sister institutions like Bala Mandir, Madras Society for Protection of Children etc., are having Provident Fund Schemes, the question whether such a scheme should not be extended to the employees of Child Welfare Home may be examined by the Council and Government be addressed in the matter.

Note of the Secretary:—"Opening of Provident Fund Scheme to employees directly recruited by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare will be considered."

17. Establishment Audit Register—to be maintained.

The expenditure towards "Establishment" and "Labour" of the Home during the year 1961-62 comes to nearly Rs. 72,000/= and it is increasing year by year. In view of such a large scale of establishment, an establishment audit register (the specimen form can be obtained from the Corporation of Madras) may be maintained from the year 1962-63 onwards to note the details of payment made to each employee. This will not only serve to detect any double payment if any made but also give a clear idea of the establishment of the Home on a particular date together with the expenditure incurred thereon.

Note of the Secretary:—"A specimen form will be obtained from the Corporation and an Establishment audit register will be maintained as suggested by the audit."

18. Audit Fees.

A sum of Rs. 100/= being the audit fees (fixed by Government in G.O. Ms. No. 1217, Home, dated 26-3-1962) for the year 1961-62 would need to be remitted to the credit of the state funds under the Head "L. II-Miscellaneous-d. Fees for Government audit." This expenditure should be debited to the Child Welfare Account and not to the Home Account.

Reply. The Audit Fee of Rs. 100/= was remitted to the State Funds on 6-11-62. The remittance chalan is put up for verification and return.

19. Result of Audit.

The result of audit may be considered satisfactory.

20. Receipts and charges:—The gross receipts and charges for the year 1961-62 were Rs. 1,75,235=98 and Rs. 2,00,114=70 respectively.

S. AZIMUDDIN,

Deputy Examiner of L.F. Accounts.

Forwarded to the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, Royapuram.

(The replies to this Audit Report may be sent in duplicate within two months).

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Home Department, Madras-9.

„ the Commissioner of Police, Madras-8.

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(SD.) S. SUBRAMANIAM.

Superintendent.

ANNEXURE—I

Account No. II

Closing Balance as per cash book upto the end of March 1962.	Rs. 10,896=11
ADD: Interest on 29-12-1961.	18=06
Subscription wrongly taken to credit in the bank pass book in A/c. No. II.	
30-8-61 ... Rs. 10=00	
11-9-61 ... ,, 250=00	270=00
6-11-51 ... ,, 10=00	
Bills taken to debit in cash book not in the bank pass book from Vr. No. 1369 to 1383 and 1386.	8,708=47
	Rs. 19,892=64
Debit: Bank Incidental charge on 28-12-61.	2=00
Remitted cheques for Rs. 242=30 but debited Rs. 240=30 after deducting the bank commission.	2=00
	4=00
	19,888=64
Teaching grant and Library grant	695=37
	Rs. 19,193=27

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(SD.) S. SUBRAMANIAM.
Superintendent.

Annexure—II

Statement of Receipts and Charges of the Child Welfare Home for the A/c. No. II.

Receipts		Charges	
	Rs. = nP.		Rs. = nP.
Opening Balance	35,774=83	Establishment	58,748=12
Permanent Advance	150=00	Labour	12,828=75
Government Grant		Food	61,647=35
Corporation Grant		Contingencies	14,379=16
C.S.W. Board's contribution		Repairs to buildings	4,049=66
Matching contribution by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare		Raw materials	4,042=79
Teaching grant		Refund of savings to Government	14,150=00
Sale proceeds		Refund of security deposit to contractors.	10,263=58
Maintenance charges		Bank Incidental charges	5=29
Security deposit		Refund to A/c. No. I	20,000=00
Misc. receipts		Closing Balance	10,896=11
Donation		Permanent Advance	150=00
Transferred to Account No. I			11,046=11
	Rs. 2,11,160=81		Rs. 2,11,160=81

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Superintendent, City Audit.

Annexure III

The Statement showing the details of the inmates of the Child Welfare Home 1961-62.

Sex	Inmates on 1-4-61	Admis-sions.	Dis-charges	Escapes	Total strength as on 31-3-62
Boys	341	119	61	19	380
Girls	22	8	1	3	25
Total	363	127	63	22	405

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Superintendent,
City Audit.

Finance

The Balance Sheet of Income and Expenditure for the year 1961-62 will be found included in the Audit Report on the Accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and that of Child Welfare Home. The Audit Report on the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare relates to the Society Account No. I and that on the accounts of the Child Welfare Home relates to the Institution maintained by the Society—Account No. II.

A sum of Rs. 3,580/= was received by way of subscription from Members during the financial year under report. A list of ordinary members and Institutional Life members is furnished separately in the report. Institution Life members are those who have paid Rs. 250/= per Institution.

A sum of Rs. 626=27 was realised by the Society in its account No. I by way of interest.

The Corporation of Madras contributed a sum of Rs. 50,000/= for the year ended 1961-62.

There was a saving of Rs. 25,534=91nP., under Account No. II of Child Welfare Home out of the grant paid by the Government during 1960-61. Out of this a sum of Rs. 14,150/= the anticipated saving was surrendered to Government on 3-6-61 as per directions in G.O.Ms.No. 1380, Home, dated 20-4-61 earlier. The State Government sanctioned their 50% of budgetted assistance to the Institution for 1961-62 viz. Rs. 45,850/= in G.O.Ms. No. 1964 dated 13-6-1961. The outstanding excess grant drawn viz Rs. 11,384=91 was adjusted towards the balance grant payable for maintenance of the Institution for 1961-62 and paid only Rs. 34,565=00.

The Government sanctioned an advance grant of a sum of Rs. 47,250/= for 1962-63 in G.O.Ms. No. 1592, Home, dated 30th April 1962.

**Extract from the Minutes of the Ordinary
Executive Committee meeting of the Madras City Council for
Child Welfare held on 26-12-61.**

Sub :— Draft Budget Estimate for 1962-63 and Revised Estimate for the period from 1-11-61 to 31-3-62—for Child Welfare Home—proposals—for approval.

Read the Secretary's following note dated 17-11-61

A Revised Estimate for the year 1961-62 on the basis of Receipts and Charges for the first seven months and a rough assessment of anticipated expenditure for the last five months from 1-11-61 to 31-3-62 is furnished.

The accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and that of the Child Welfare Home, had been audited for the year 1960-61. The audit report mention that the total excess grant refundable to Government based on the net cost of maintenance of the institution will be Rs. 25,534=91nP. In G.O.Ms. No. 1380 (Home) dated 20-4-61 the Government directed earlier, before audit, that the then anticipated savings viz. Rs. 14,150/-, be surrendered and it was duly remitted on 3-6-61. The outstanding difference of amount viz. Rs. 11,384=91 will have to be adjusted towards the grant payable for running the Home for the year 1961-62. During the current year the Government advanced in their G. O. Ms. No. 1964 (Home) dated 13-6-61, a sum of Rs. 45,850/- only.

2. The strength of the institution is now 376 consisting of 355 boys and 21 girls. In G.O.Ms.No. 1380, Home, dated 20-4-61, the Government sanctioned Budget Estimate for Child Welfare Home for 1961-62 with heavy cuts. The pay scales of the staff have been revised at the rates fixed by the Corporation of Madras with effect from 1-6-1960. The accrued arrears had been paid, as the Executive Committee of the Council for Child Welfare at its meeting dated 5-9-61 resolved to pay the same in anticipation of sanction of Government.

The complement of warders had been increased by four as sanctioned in G.O.Ms.No. 2633, Home, dated 31-7-61 and under Labour one more barber and cook were appointed with effect from 1-9-1961.

The scales of pay of the staff classified under 'Labour' have also been revised according to Corporation rates and they were all paid the accrued arrears with effect from 1-6-1960.

3. It is anticipated that for the current year expenditure under Establishment and Labour would work out to Rs. 64,213=76 nP., and Rs. 13,188=93 respectively, taking into account the payment of increased scale of pay. The provision has to be increased by Rs. 2,213=76 under Establishment and Rs. 2,188=93 under Labour respectively.

4. The Government had also cut the provision under the head 'Contingencies' for the year 1961-62. Even in last year 1960-61, the actual expenditure incurred under the head 'Contingencies' worked out to Rs. 15,396=36. Provision for the current year 1961-62 under this head had been fixed at Rs. 13,000/-. It is feared that if provision is not increased to Rs. 18,000/-, children inmates cannot be supplied with three sets of uniforms as per scale fixed for the supply of uniforms per year. The Corporation Electrical Department has estimated the cost of renewal of electric connections to the Home which are faulty at Rs. 570/- and this expenditure has also to be met from 'Contingencies'.

5. The receipts under disposal of finished products for the period worked out to Rs. 2,628=10. Of late, Corporation of Madras is not requisitioning Towels and Coir ropes of sizes.

6. The Book Binding section, started during the middle of last year, is progressing and the Institution is continuing to bind books for Local Library Authority, Madras City.

7. The Basic School run in the institution has now a Headmaster. It continues to be recognised by the Director of Public Instruction and in view of this, receives periodically teaching grant. There is a proposal to teach Music to girls, utilising the grant obtained from the Madras Provincial Welfare Fund for the purchase of Musical instruments for the class. But this is held up, as the institution could not procure a suitable Junior-Basic-cum-Music teacher.

8. Miss Monica Dey, acting Woman Welfare Officer, who was on leave on loss of pay for one year for higher studies in the Netherlands at her cost, has returned and has taken charge of the post with effect from 1-8-61. Her pay in the revised scale had not been fixed as there was no parallel post in the Corporation. It has been recommended to Government that her pay may be revised to the grade of Rs. 150—10—300. The Central Social Welfare Board has

since released a sum of Rs. 1,250/- being 50 percent of the sanctioned contribution for 1961-62 as first instalment. The balance will be released on receipt of the un-audited statement of accounts for the utilisation of the grant amount and the Institution's matching contribution for the period 31-3-61 to 31-10-61. The matching contribution will be met from Account No. I of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

9. The temporary Police staff consisting of one Sub-Inspector and 3 Head constables continued to serve in the institution upto 13-12-61. From 14-12-61 the Sub Inspector was withdrawn consequent on Sri V. Subbiah, Retired Additional Superintendent of Police, taking over charge as Superintendent of Child Welfare Home in the place of Sri D. Sankaran, Superintendent, who was taken back to the Corporation. The cost of Police establishment was paid upto 30-6-61.

10. The Pension and Leave salary contribution payable for Corporation staff on foreign service had been remitted upto the month of September 1961.

11. The trades taught in the Home will be continued, and no new trades have been decided upon.

12. There is a proposal to maintain a library for the school children which would be aided by the Director of Public Instruction. 50 percent of the cost of maintenance must be met by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

13. The draft Revised Estimate for the current year 1961-62 and the Budget Estimate for the year 1962-63 are appended herewith for consideration and necessary sanction.

Budget Proposal for the Child Welfare Home for 1962-63.

Particulars	Allotments for 1961-62	Actual Expen- ture upto 31-10-61	Anticipated Expendi- ture from 1-11-61 to 31-3-62.	Revised Estimate for 1961-62 (3 & 4)	Anticipated expen- diture for 1962-63.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1. Establish- ment	62,000	36,764 = 63	28,449 = 13	64,213 = 76	61,281
2. Labour	11,000	7,388 = 93	5,800 = 00	13,188 = 93	14,500
3. Food	60,000	36,249 = 42	23,750 = 58	60,000 = 00	60,000
4. Contin- gencies	13,000	6,150 = 19	11,849 = 81	18,000 = 00	18,000
5. Raw Mate- rials etc.,	7,000	2,549 = 53	4,450 = 47	7,000 = 00	7,000
6. Repairs to buildings	4,000	1,324 = 69	2,675 = 31	4,000 = 00	6,000
Total	1,57,000	89,427 = 39	76,975 = 30	1,66,402 = 69	1,66,781

Receipts anticipated for 1962-63

Recurring contribution from Corporation of Madras	...	Rs. 50,000
Anticipated sale of finished products	...	6,000
Teaching grant	...	4,300
Central Social Welfare Board	...	2,500
Matching contribution by Madras City Council for Child Welfare.	...	2,500
		<u>Rs. 65,300</u>

Net cost of maintenance of the institution } Rs. 1,01,481/=
to be met by Government.

"Budget approved. Resolved to request Government to sanction an increase in the strength of the Home from 400 to 500."

D. S. SASTRI,
26-2-61.

PRESIDING MEMBER,
Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

DETAILS OF ESTABLISHMENT

Non-Police staff for running the Home	No.	Min. Inc.		Max.		Pay on 1-4-61		Salary per month	H.R.A. D.A.		Deputation allowances etc.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	
Superintendent	...	1	250	15	460	355	365	...	...	60	
Clerks	...	2	100	5	175	175	180	16=50	20		
Matron	...	1	80	3	110	75	75	9	41	10 Ty. A.	
Instructor (Rattan)	...	1	110	2	120	112	112	...	10		
Instructor (Weaving)	...	1	65	1	70	88	88	10	10		
Senior Warders	...	1	80	4	120	120	122	15	10		
Warders (Junior)	...	2	85	2	105	95	182	25	20		
Woman guards	...	10	60	1	70	627	627	100	100		
Peon	...	4	50	1	60	223	223	40	40		
Male Ward Attendant	...	1	50	1	60	56	56	10	10		
Compounder	...	1	50	1	60	50	50	10	10		
Senior Grade Basic Teacher	...	1	90	4	110	90	90	15	10		
Medical Officer (Part time)	...	2	90	4	110	180	180	30	20		
	...	1	110	3	140	75	75	...	...		

ADDITIONAL POSTS CREATED

Woman Welfare Officer	...	1	120	5	150	130	130	15	48
Junior Basic Teacher	...	4	65	1	70	195	195	30	30
Weaving Instructor	...	1	65	1	70	76	76	10	10
Tailoring Instructor	...	1	65	1	70	66	66	10	10
Carpentry Instructor	...	1	65	1	70	65	65	10	10
Glass Instructor	...	1	65	1	70	65	65	10	10
Instructor for other crafts	...	3	65	1	70	195	195	30	30
Store-keeper	...	1	90	4	110	90	90	15	10

ADDITIONAL POSTS PROPOSED

Junior Basic Teacher	...	1	65	1	70	65	65	10	10
Junior Warders	...	4	60	1	70	240	240	10	10

Total per year	...	...	...	...	...	3,612	430=50	479	70
Uniform allowance for Matron	...	...	...	...	...	Rs. 55,098=00			
Establishment cost for Police	...	...	...	...	...	30=00			
For Corporation staff	...	...	...	...	...	8,490=00			
Increments	...	...	...	...	...	2,434=00			
	...	...	...	...	...	500=00			
	...	...	...	...	...	Rs. 66,552=00			

Details of Labour

Particulars	No. of posts	Rs. Min.	Rs. Inc.	Rs. Max.	Pay on 1-4-61	Salary per month	H.R.A.	D.A.	U.A.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Watchman ...	2	50	1	60	54 } 50 }	104	14	20	
Cooks ...	3	50	1	60	54 } 50 } 50 }	154	21	30	
Male Thotties...	2	50	1	60	54 } 53 }	107	14	20	4
Female Thotty	1	50	1	55	50	50	7	10	2
Dhoby ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Barber ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Lascar-cum- electrician ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Weaving Instructor ...	2	50	1	60	53 } 53 }	14	20		
Tailoring Instructor ...	1	50	1	60	57	57	7	10	
Book Binding Instructor ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Additional posts proposed									
Cook ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	...	10	
Barber ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	...	10	
						878	105	170	6
Total per year	...					Rs. 13,908=00			
Leave salary	...					300=00			
Bonus fund	...					292=00			
						Rs. 14,500=00			

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

ABSTRACT

CHILDREN ACT—Child Welfare Home, Royapuram, Madras—
Revised Estimate for 1961-62 and Budget Estimate for 1962-63—
Approved.

Home Department.

G.O.Ms. No. 1518.

Dated the 23rd April 1962.

Read:—

1. G.O.Ms. No. 72, Home, dated 8-1-60.
2. G.O.Ms. No. 1383, Home, dated 20-4-61.
3. From the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, CWH. No. 61/61, dated 9-1-62 and 4-3-62.
4. From the Commissioner of Police, Madras. Rc. 402/C4/61, dated 18-1-62 and 7-3-62.

Order:

The Government have examined the Revised Estimate for 1961-62 and the Budget Estimate for 1962-63 in respect of the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram submitted by the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

2. The Government find that the Budget Estimate for 1962-63 under 'Contingencies' is excessive. They direct that the Budget Estimate under this item for 1962-63 should be fixed at Rs. 13,000/= as in the Budget Estimate for 1961-62. The Government also direct that the Budget Estimate for 1962-63 under "Repairs to Buildings" should be fixed at 4,000/=, as in the Revised Estimate for 1961-62.

3. The Government approve the Budget Estimate for 1962-63 subject to above cuts and also the Revised Estimate for 1961-62 submitted by the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, as detailed in the Annexure to this order.

4. The Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare has stated that while considering the Budget Estimate, the Committee resolved to request the Government to sanction an increase in the strength of the Home from 400 to 500. Order on this proposal will be issued in due course.

5. The Commissioner of Police is informed that the proposal of the Secretary of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare for sanction of an advance grant by 75% of the budgetted Government assistance instead of 50% has been deferred for the present.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department—vide its U.O. No. 38436. B.E.III/62-1, dated 11-4-62.

(By order of the Governor)

K. CHOCKALINGAM,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

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Appendix.

Revised Estimate for 1961-62 and Budget Estimate for 1962-63 in respect of the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram.

S.No.	Particulars.	Revised Estimate for 1961-62.	Budget Estimate for 1962-63.
		Rs.	Rs.
1.	Establishment	64,214	61,300
2.	Labour	13,189	14,500
3.	Food	60,000	60,000
4.	Contingencies	18,000	13,000
5.	Raw Materials	7,000	7,000
6.	Repairs to buildings	4,000	4,000
	Total	Rs. 1,66,403	Rs. 1,59,800

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P. K. R. SUNDAR.
Superintendent.

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