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[Despatch Abstract.]

Stating that the Rev. W. J. Archibald
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the Rev. Mr Stevenson's services are re-placed at the disposal of this Govt
and addressing the G of I on the
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From The Senior Chaplain
Church of Scotland
Madras

Order

No. 106 A.

Dated 18th Jan 1898
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SUBJECT.

Requesting that he may be granted furlough for 2 years from or after 1st April

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FORT ST. GEORGE,
Accountant-General's Office,
20 December 1897

No 4047

From
F. C. Harrison Esquire,
Offg. ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To
THE Reverend W. J. Archibald,
Senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland,
Madras.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. $\frac{103}{A}$ dated the 15th of December 1897, I have the honour to state that you will on the 30 March 1898, complete 17 years residence and will be eligible for 2 years furlough without Medical Certificate on that date.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. servt.,

J. H. G. Tomkins
Asst. Accountant General

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From

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL

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No. 106/A.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
10 JAN. 1898

From

The Senior Chaplain.
Church of Scotland.
Madras.

To

The Honble The Chief Secretary
Government of Madras.
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to request that His Excellency The Governor in Council, will be pleased to grant me two years furlough, from or after 1st April.

I enclose a letter from the Accountant General shewing that I am eligible for this leave.

D³ Since I joined the Service in Novr 1878, I have only once had furlough for one year & 10 months, & I trust that my request will be granted.

To allow of my proceeding on Furlough, it will be necessary to ask The Govt of India

K to retransfer Revd R H Stevenson to this Presidency as he will require to relieve Revd J N Ogilvie at Bangalore, who will as usual be appointed to act as Senior Chaplain, and Chaplain of St Andrews Madras.

as Sen. Chaplain
appointed in 1896.
See G.O. 33/1896 at P.
M.C.

By a despatch of the Secretary of State

E dated London 8th April 1897 No 33 Public (Eccls) contained in Madras G.O. No 36. 16 June 1897 it is stated, that there are two Chaplains allowed for each Presidency & the Senior Chaplain Bengal wrote to me some time ago, that he had informed the Government of India that Revd. R. H. Stevenson could be spared at the end of the Tirah Campaign.

Should a Chaplain be required to take Mr. Stevenson's place in Bengal, one can be asked for by Govt. of India from Govt. of Bombay, as in that Presidency there are 3 Chaplains doing duty, whereas in Madras Presidency there are only two. I have therefore to request that His Excellency The Governor in Council will be pleased to ask The Govt. of India, to retransfer Revd. R. H. Stevenson so that he may relieve Revd. J. N. Ogilvie in time to allow one to proceed on furlough, at the beginning of April.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
Jno. F. Archibald
Senior Chaplain,
Church of Scotland,
Madras.

Madras
18th January 1898.

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C. No. 27

2 His Excellency The GOVERNOR.
~~The Hon'ble Sir Henry Bliss, K.C.I.E.~~
1 The Hon'ble Mr. Grose, C.I.E.

SUBJECT.
Scotch Chaplains

C.S.

FOR ORDERS.

Special leave on urgent private affairs vide G.O.R. No 33 Eccl d/31.3.96

and G.O. 232 Eccl d/21.9.78

The Revd Mr Archibald, Senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, was last granted leave in March 96.

He now applies for two years' furlough from or after the 1st April, for which the Acct Genl certifies he is eligible on [illegible] medical certificate.

Mr Archibald states he joined the service in Nov 1878 and has only once previously had furlough for a year & ten months.

If the furlo' is to be granted it will be necessary, Mr Archibald reports, to ask India to

to

to retransfer the Revd R.H. Stevenson to this Residency to relieve the Revd J.N. Ogilvie, Chaplain at Bangalore, who will act as Senior Chaplain & Chaplain of St Andrew's Church Madras.

Reference is made to despatch× No 33 Pub (Eccl) d/ 8.4.97 where it is stated that there are two chaplains allowed for each Presidency. Mr. Archibald adds that the Senior Chaplain Bengal informed him some time ago that he had intimated to India that Mr Stevenson could be spared at the end of the Tirah Campaign.

It is suggested that India should get a Chaplain to replace Mr Stevenson in Bengal (if necessary) from the Bombay Govt, which has three Scotch Chaplains doing duty whereas in Madras there are only two.

Mr Archibald requests therefore that India may be asked to retransfer Mr Stevenson in time to enable him to relieve Mr Ogilvie & allow of the Senior Chaplain proceeding on furlo at the beginning of April.

Attention is solicited to the extract at A in P.C. 89 Eccl d/ 25.11.96 flagged B.

The correspondence with India on the subject is printed on pp 2 to 6 of P.C. 36 Eccl d/ 16.6.97 before E. Please see para 3 of India's letter at the top of page 6 which

× vide para 2 on page 9 of P.C. 36 Eccl d/ 16.6.97 after E

which was the upshot
of the correspondence
As a result of
G.O. No 5 Eccl of
22.2.97 (on the
same page) the
services of
Mr Stevenson were
placed at the
disposal of the
Govt of India
vide G.O. R No
15 Eccl of 29.1.97

Cw. 20/1/98

As requested in Mr Archibald's letter, the govt of India may be addressed with a view to replacing Mr Stevenson at the disposal of this govt so as to enable Mr Ogilvie to act as Senior Chaplain. Further Mr. Archibald cannot have furlo' until Mr. Stevenson arrives.

MLC 20/1/8

AT 20.1.98

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P. No. 27 Eccl.

order. 22.1 & 27.1.98

1. Mr Archibald's furlough cannot be granted until Mr Stevenson's services are replaced at the disposal of this government.

2. The govt. of India will be addressed.

MLC 26/1/8

AT 26.1.98

To the Senior Chaplain,
Church of Scotland } E/O.

P.T.O.

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Revd [illegible]

No. 128 27. 1. 98

Letter, to the Secretary to the Govt. of India, Home Dept. (Eccl.)

I am directed to forward to you copy of letter no. $\frac{106}{A}$ dated 18th Jan. 1898 from the Senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Madras, in which Mr ~~Archd~~ Archibald applies for 2 years furlough on or after 1st April 1898. The Acct. General has certified that Mr Archibald is entitled to the leave applied for.

At the request of the Govt. of India communicated in your letter no. 12. dated 13th Jan. 1897 the services of the Revd. A. H. Stevenson M.A were placed, by G.O.R. no. 15 dated 29th Jan. 1897, temporarily at the disposal of the Govt. of India Home Dept.

~~As it~~ Owing to this reduction in the establishment

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of the Church of Scotland in this Presidency it is not possible to make any arrangement for filling the post of Senior Chaplain till ~~[illegible]~~ Mr Stevenson's services are replaced at the disposal of this Government. I am to enquire whether ~~[illegible]~~ this ~~any~~ arrangement is likely to be feasible ~~[illegible]~~ at an early date.

Mr Archibald ~~the Senior Chaplain~~ reports that he has ascertained that the Govt. of India have been informed by the Senior Chaplain, Bengal, that Mr Stevenson's services ~~will not be required~~ can be spared at the end of the Tirah campaign.

M.C.C.
26/1/98

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