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To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 6th June 1908.
No.—R.C. 188/A.R.

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2ND JULY 1908.[SUBJECT—*Exemption from the Matriculation Examination for enlistment as
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"	"	5	"	"	5th Jan. 1908.	"
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H. D. TAYLOR—9-6-08.

The following persons have been permanently exempted from passing the Matriculation Examination for enlistment as Sub-Inspectors of Police:—

(1)	K. V. M. Ahmad Kutti	..	..	G.O., No. 391 R., dated 21st November 1906.
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3. It is submitted that the file may be forwarded to the Judicial Department u.o. in the first instance for remarks.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—13-6-08.

H. D. TAYLOR—19-6-08.

To the Judicial Department.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

A demi-official from Mr. F. E. C. Carr, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, recommending Abdul Karim and Abdul Wahab Khan for exemption is placed below in a sealed cover.

H.T.—22-6-08.

For orders.

A. GALLETTI—22-6-08.

I invite attention to the remarks of the Hon'ble Mr. Forbes on page 7 of K.W. G.O., No. 687, dated 10th October 1907. With all respect, I think that the Honourable Member put too high a value on examinations as a test of executive capacity. Character and respectability of parentage and therefore presumably of up-bringing should also weigh heavily. All the three men here recommended are sons of worthy fathers, all have received at least the ground work of sound education, and two of them have had a certain amount of training in Police work. I submit that they might be exempted from the Matriculation Examination.

J. N. ATKINSON—23-6-08.

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No. (2). I don't know at all.

I know the father of No. (3) and he has done right loyal service for Government. He has been 16 years in the Ganjam Maliahs and kept the Balliguda reserve—an unruly lot of men—in excellent order. His son will be probably very useful in the Maliahs where his father has served so long and where Bramins won't go if they can help it.

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As Mr. Forbes refused to exempt No. (3), the papers should go to the Hon'ble Mr. Stokes.

M. H[AMMICK]—27-6-08.

I fully agree with Mr. Hammick. I think these Educational tests about the rottenest reed we can lean on.

G. S[TOKES]—29-6-08.

To the Educational Department.

J. N. ATKINSON—30-6-08.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

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H. D. TAYLOR—2-7-08.

The draft order placed below is for approval.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—2-7-08.

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C. A. SOUTER—2-7-08.

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Madras

Dated the

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(Designation) Inspector-General of Police, Madras.

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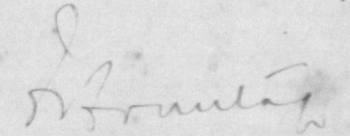
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Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



for Inspr.-Genl. of Police.

Exd. *Cd.*

N.K.S.

NOTES.



C.No.1304, from the I.G. of Police, No.188, dated 6-6-1908.

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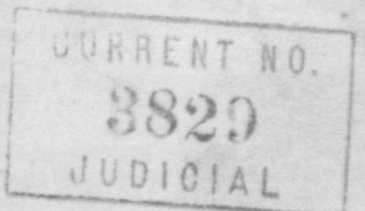
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10/6/08
13/6/08 *Tud. u.* *12/6/08*



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JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

A D.O. from Mr D. E. C. Carr
D. I. G. of Police, recommending Abdul
Karim and Abdul Wahid Khan for
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For order.
12/6/08
12.6.08

Box No. 2

Circd. 24-6-1908

Retd. 29-6-1908

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H.M.

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As Mr. Stokes refuses to exempt No 3, the papers sh^d go to the Hon^{ble} Mr Stokes -

Mr. Mohammed
27.11.08

Hon. Mr. Stokes C.S.D.

Dec 29. 6. 08

J.A. Harrison

I fully agree with Mr. Harrison. I think these educational tests about the settlement and we can learn on.

Mr. Stokes
29/6/08

Box No. 16

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Educational Dept.

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Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Again G.O., No. _____, dated _____ 190__.

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Current No. 1304 From the Hq. of Police, No. 188, dated 6. 6. 1908.

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ORDER. No. 495, dated 2. 7. 1908.

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To The D. C. Police
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