

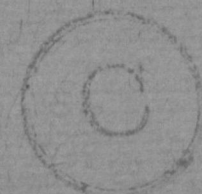
Educational (1908) Department.

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G.O., No. 94

DATED 13 - 2 - 09

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Exemption from the Examination Rules.

In forming A. Ramani Menon, ~~the~~ Clerk, St Board Engineer's Office, Malabar, that his application for exemption from the examination rules cannot be taken into consideration except upon the special recommendation of the head of a public department who wishes to employ him.

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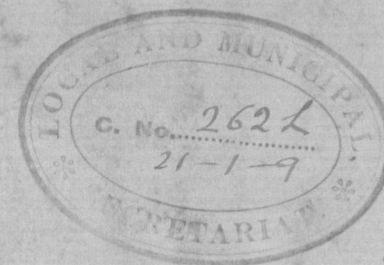
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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT FILE.



*Requesting for exemption
from certain rules.*

To

His Excellency the Governor of Madras,

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Fort St. George, Madras.

The Collector & President,,

District Board, Malabar, &

The District Board Engineer,

Malabar, CALICUT.

The humble memorial of A. Ramunni Menon, 6th clerk,
District Board Engineer's office, Malabar, Calicut,
Most respectfully sheweth,

Your Excellency's humble memorialist lays the follow-
ing circumstances before Your Excellency in Council, in
the most respectful hope of their meeting with benign and
favourable consideration.

In 1901, memorialist entered the Settlement Depart-
ment and remained in it till March 1905, when he obtain-
ed a footing in the District Board Office. In the
Settlement, he served as camp clerk under Messrs. C.A.
Innes, F.B. Evans and D.T. Chadwick, Special Settlement
Officers, as well as under Mr. V. Rama Rao, Special Dy.
Collector. From the copies of the testimonials which
he takes the liberty to enclose, it will be most graci-
ously conceded that memorialist's work in the Settlement
was characterised by zeal, energy and a proper sense of
duty. As he was only a temporary clerk, prudential
considerations prompted him to seek other employment be-
fore the Settlement operations were actually wound up,
and in taking up

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In August 1906, memorialist was promoted from Rs 10 to Rs 15, and in August 1908 the President of the District Board further promoted memorialist to a post carrying a progressive salary of 15--1--20, and again, in September last, memorialist received a further promotion with a transfer to the District Board Engineer's office with Rs 20--1--25. These promotions, it will be most benignly conceded, are an indication that memorialist has striven to work with diligence and fidelity.

Memorialist is now endeavouring to qualify as a Shorthand Typist, and is a candidate for the ensuing examination in Typewriting and shorthand, Intermediate grades, from the Calicut School of Commerce. Unhappily however, the prospect of memorialist being appointed a shorthand typist in either the District Court or Collector's office is exceedingly doubtful as he is wanting in the requisite University qualifications. The Government recently issued an order sanctioning an allowance of Rs. 40 for shorthand writers in addition to their pay, but this benevolent concession also must remain inaccessible to memorialist so long as the examination bar stands in his way.

In 1905 or 1906, the Government were benignly pleased to relax the examination rules and to order that candidates not qualified under the examination rules may be appointed upto a maximum pay of Rs. 50 in the Local Fund service and upto Rs. 20 in the Government service, and last year, the Government were further pleased the transfer of Government servants to pensionable appointments under the Local Funds.

For several years past, no non-Brahmin has had the privilege of being

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Apparently the petitioner
refers to GO 4982, VIII
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Confident that this circumstance too, will carry some weight when his present humble prayer for exemption is under the most benevolent consideration of Your Excellency in Council.

Circumstances utterly beyond his control precluded memorialist from securing the University qualifications, for want of which he is now suffering. While he was studying in the Lower Secondary Standard, his father breathed his last, leaving the family in circumstances which totally prevented memorialist from continuing his studies, and compelled him on the other hand to do what was possible to fill the place of bread-winner in a poor but respectable family.

In these special circumstances, memorialist is emboldened to hope that Your Excellency in Council will take compassion on him and pass a benevolent order exempting him from the operation of the examination rules, and for such benevolence, Your Excellency's humble memorialist shall, as in duty bound,

EVER PRAY.

Calicut, |
12th January '09. |

A. Ramunni Menon

MEMORALIST.

Submitted for favourable consideration.

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The applicant is a quick and neat writer and a promising young man and during the period he has been here, he has worked to my entire satisfaction.

13th January 1909. |

A. W. Blake

District Board Engineer.

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COPIES of TESTIMONIALS.

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Endorsement on my petition to the Municipal Chairman,
by D.T. Chadwick Esq., I.C.S. Special Settlement officer,
Malabar, on the 22nd July 1903.

Forwarded. The applicant's work in this department has
been satisfactory.

Sd. D.T. Chadwick,
Special Settlement officer, Malabar.
I agree.

Sd. C.A. Innes,
Late Special Settlement officer,
Malabar, 30th January 1907.

11. A. Ramunni Menon was a typist in the District
Board's office, Calicut, for about a year, and is now acting
as a clerk. He is a good typist and works rapidly and well.
He also promises to become a good clerk.

Sd. W.H.H. Chatterton, B.A.,
Vice-President, District Board, and
Revenue Divisional Officer,

C A L I C U T.

111. A. Ramunni Menon has been a student of this insti-
tution for nearly three years, and has completed a course of
training in Commercial Correspondence, Shorthand and Type-
writing. He is a very capable young man and has a fair
knowledge of English. He is extremely pleasing in manners
and is very well behaved.

Sd. S. Vaidyanatha Iyer, F.I.P.S
26th September 1908. Head Master, Government School,
of Commerce, Calicut.

(IV.) The bearer A. Ramunni Menon belongs to a respectable family and bears a good character. He is a steady, honest young man of, industrious habits and is likely to prove an efficient Forest Ranger.

Sd. M. Krishnan Nair, B.A.B.L.
Calicut, 27th September 1908. High Court Vakil & Member,
Legislative Council,
M A D R A S.

(V.) A. Ramunni menon has been working as a temporary clerk clerk in the Settlement Department for the last three years. I have known him for the last one year. He has a fair - knowledge of Settlement account work. I have found him to be attentive to his duties, industrious and well behaved.

C a l i c u t,)
1st Dec. 1904.) Sd. C.S. Subramania Iyer, B.A.,
Uncovenanted Assistant to the Special
Settlement Officer, Malabar.

(VI.) I have much pleasure to certify that A. Ramunni Menon, now employed as a clerk, in the District Board Engineer's office, Calicut, is a young man with much activity. He is a member of a respectable family and his character is good. I hope, he will succeed in his attempt to get into the Forest Department where he is likely to prove himself to be an able officer.

28th September 1908. Sd. M. R. Kelappan,
Retired District Munsiff, and
Honorary First Class Magistrate, Calicut.

(True copy)

A. Ramunni Menon
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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTE FILE.

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Petition
from the

A. Ramunni Menon, No.

, dated 12-1-1909.

6th Clerk D. B. Engineer's office

Current No.

from the

Malabar, No.

, dated

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SUBJECT.

Requesting that he may be exempted from the examination rules

Under Article 1 of the Public Service Notification, candidates for appointment to any post in the Superior Service ^{Post} carrying a pay of Rs 20 ^{more than} or ~~more~~ are required to have passed the Madras Upper Secondary Examination or the Matriculation Examination of the Madras University or some other examination accepted by Govt. as equivalent to these examinations.

2. In G.O. No. 569 L dated 15th April 1908, Presidents of D and Taluk Bds in the districts in which the qualifications required for entering Govt. service have been made applicable to L.F. appointments by the D^r Bds concerned have been authorized to grant exemptions from the examination rules without any limit of time in regard to the appointment of unpassed candidates to posts on Rs 20 per mensem and upwards ^{other}

*Malabar is one of them.
Vide G.O. No. 2494 L. XV.
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other than those of Head Clerks and Head Accountants of offices under the control of Dt. Bds. on a maximum salary of Rs 50 per mensem and upwards.

3. The petitioner, A Ramunni Menon, an unpassed man and 6th clerk on Rs 20-1-25 in the Dt. B.D. Engineer's office, Malabar, states that he is now endeavouring to qualify himself as a shorthand typist, that the prospect of his being appointed as a shorthand typist in the Dt. Court or the Collector's office is exceedingly doubtful as he does not possess the requisite University qualifications and ^{requests} that he may be exempted from the examination qualifications rules. The question of exempting him from the General Educational Test has to be considered in the Educational Dept. It is therefore submitted that this current may be transferred u.o. to that Dept.

L. & M., U.O. No. 262-14

Dated 10-2-1909.

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Educational Department

The petitioner (A. Ramunni Menon) is a Candidate for the ensuing examination in Typewriting and Shorthand, Intermediate Grade.

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Assuming that he passes in those examinations, he will not still be qualified for a Shorthand Typists post in District Courts or Collector's offices, unless he is exempted from the general education qualifications prescribed in Article 1 of Public Service Notification. The examination in shorthand and typewriting comes off in April next unless he passes, there will be no necessity for the exemption. ~~not and~~ no exemption from the general educational qualifications can be granted except upon the recommendation of a Collector or District Judge who proposes to employ the petitioner as a Shorthand typist.

3. The draft order placed below is submitted for approval.

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C. No. 255 From the A. Ramunni Menon, No. , dated 12-1- 190 9
Clerk, Dt.Bd. Engineer's
Office, Malabar

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No. 94, dated 13-2-1909.

The petitioner will be informed that the Government ~~regret that they~~ cannot take into consideration his ~~present~~ application for exemption from the examination rules except upon the special recommendation of the head of a public department who wishes to employ ~~the petitioner~~ him.

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The Petitioner,
thro' the P.D.B., Malabar.

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