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regarding the reopening of the morning Drawing classes
in the Technical Institute, Madura.

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Ref. on C. No. 488 of 1911,

Station Madras, Dated the 28th February 1911.

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. J.H. Stone, M.A., F.R.H.S.,

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department.

Sir,

In January last I received a petition from
the teachers and students of Madura praying for the
reopening of the morning Drawing class in the Technical
Institute, Madura, which, I understand, was abolished
with reference to G.O.No. 2617, Revenue, dated 10th
August 1910. The Superintendent of Industrial Education
whom I consulted on the subject states that it is not
quite clear that Government intended the abolition of
this class before the reorganization of the school and
that he is inclined to regard the expression of approval
as being intended for his future guidance rather as an
order to be immediately carried out. He says that he
is by no means in agreement with Mr. Cotton's note on
which the G. O. quoted above was passed and he considers

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that, in the face of the obvious demand for drawing instruction in the early mornings in Madura the class should be reopened pending final orders of Government on the report called for in the above G.O. In these circumstances, I have the honour to request you will be so good as to inform me whether Government intended that the class should be closed at once or whether it may be reopened pending the reorganization of the Institute.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. Krishnamoorti

for Director of Public Instruction.

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NOTES.

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S u b j e c t.

Morning Drawing classes in the Madura
Technical Institute.

The Madura Technical Institute was taken over by Government from the District Board with effect from the 1st April 1910. When the Institute was under the District Board, there were two Drawing masters one on Rs.30 and the other on Rs.15 per mensem, whose duties were to teach freehand outline drawing, design, and painting. All the students in the industrial section of the Institute were taught drawing and in addition a morning drawing class was held for outsiders who paid 8 as. a month, if they were students pursuing literary education in some other schools. Both these classes worked for two hours each. In addition to this teaching work, the drawing masters had also to prepare sketches, plans and tracings when required and they received 75 per cent of the fees collected for this work as also of the fees collected from the morning drawing classes.

2. As soon as the Institute was taken over by Government, Mr. Cotton, who was acting as Director of Industries, proposed that the design and painting classes should be abolished altogether as being only appropriate to an art school and that the students in the industrial section should only be taught such drawing as was necessary for the better understanding of

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we're getting in consequence

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the rest of their training. He also proposed that the morning drawing class for outsiders should be abolished and that the students in the industrial classes, instead of all attending the drawing class at the same time, should have classes at different hours so that the masters should be able to supervise and adapt the scheme of work more closely to the needs of the different trades taught in the institute. As the drawing masters would lose the extra remuneration they were getting in consequence of the abolition of the morning drawing class for outsiders, the drawing masters would have no extra remuneration, Mr. Cotton proposed that their salaries should be raised from Rs.30 and Rs.15 to Rs.40 and Rs.20 respectively.

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3. In paragraph 2 of G.O.No.2617 Rev., dated 10th August 1910, the Government approved Mr. Cotton's proposals regarding the teaching of drawing and the retention of the two drawing masters on the pay they were then getting, pending the submission of a detailed and well-considered scheme of reorganization by Mr. Chatterton as soon as possible after his return from leave. This scheme of reorganization has not yet been received. The Hon'ble Mr. Chatterton has promised to submit it shortly.

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4. With reference to the orders of Government in G.O.No.2617 Rev., dated 10th August 1910, the morning drawing class in the Technical Institute has been abolished, but the teachers and students of Madura have petitioned the Director of Public Instruction to reopen it. The Superintendent of Industrial Education being of opinion that the G.O. is not quite clear as to whether the morning drawing class should

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There seems to be no object in reopening the drawing classes now, after they have been held in abeyance for about seven months, especially as the Scheme of reorganization

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3/ should be abolished immediately and that in view of the obvious demand for drawing instruction in the early mornings in Madura, the class might be reopened pending the reorganization, the Director of Public Instruction enquires whether the class might be reopened pending the reorganization of the Institute. It ^{is observed} ~~is clear~~ from paragraph 4 of the notes with G.O.No.2617 Rev., dated 10th August 1910 that Mr. Cotton's proposals for the revision of the curriculum of the Institute were approved provisionally, pending the settlement of a properly worked out scheme. The abolition of the morning drawing class was therefore in accordance with orders and as the class has been in abeyance since August last there is no use in reopening it, pending the reorganization of the Institute, for which Mr. Chatterton is to submit proposals shortly. It will be noted that in the School of arts also the drawing classes at which outsiders attended for a few hours in the day have been abolished and that the teaching of drawing is now confined to the pupils of the school only.--vide paragraph 3 of G.O.No.504 Educational, dated 8th July 1908. In these circumstances, the Director of Public Instruction may be informed that the morning drawing class should not be reopened. If this suggestion is accepted, the draft placed below may issue.

reorganization of the Madras Technical Institute is likely to be carried out shortly. The agitation for the reopening of the classes seems to have been started by the teachers (drawing masters) who have suffered in pocket in consequence of their abolition.

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H.M.

I am not sure what is the real reason for the agitation of the drawing masters. They are being deprived of part of their income - but it is admitted that there is no objection to reopening the classes if the institute is to be so soon reorganized. It will only create discontent to reopen them and then close them again. If H.M. agrees, the draft may go, but perhaps

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it would be better to wait till Mr. Chatterjee's proposals are received before passing orders. There is equally no objection in making the drawing masters discontented, if their prayer is shown to be granted.

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I think there is a feeling here that the old rule clauses were stopped in haste.

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Agree with Mr Chakraborty that it
would be best to reopen them pending
the change to be made as to
royalty also.

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Draft submitted for approval.

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Separate sanction of Govt is, it is submitted,
necessary for the receipt of fees by the drawing
masters - Please see note to article 72 (b) of
the C.S.R..

2. The question is not raised in the current;
the D.P.I. may be allowed to come up for it
separately, if he finds it necessary to do so.

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