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[Despatch Abstract.]

Religious education committee

Stating that the D.P.D. is himself competent to pass the travelling and hotel expenses incurred by ~~the~~ unofficial members of the committee appointed to consider the question of religious and moral instruction in schools.

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Vellore,
29th April 1912.

From

The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur

Muhammad Habibullah Sahib Bahadur,

Member of the Committee,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Educational Department,

Fort St. George,

Madras.

Sir,

Adverting to G.O. No. 48, Educational, dated 19th January 1912 appointing a Committee to consider and report upon the question of Religious and Moral instruction in Schools, I have the honor to enquire whether such of the members thereof as reside in the Mofussil stations are entitled to any Travelling allowance for attending the meetings of the Committee which are held at Madras and if so, at what rate and under what article of the Civil Service Regulations. There have so far been 3 meetings of the Committee and I believe there will be one more. I shall also feel obliged if you can kindly let me know who should countersign such travelling allowance bills and how they are cashable and where. I may add that I made a similar reference to the Hon'ble Mr. J.H. Stone, Chairman of the Committee about the middle of March last but there has been no response from him up to date. Hence this reference to you.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Member of the Committee.

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Educational
~~LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL~~ DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No. 1390

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Subject.

Requesting sanction of Government for the payment of travelling, hotel and carriage expenses to the Non-official members of the Committee appointed in G.O. No. 48 Edl., dated 19th January 1912 to consider and report upon the question of religious and moral instruction.

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Ref. on Cur. No 2159/12

Station Madras, Dated the 5th April 1912

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. A.G. Bourne, D.Sc.F.R.S.C.I.E.,
(Designation) Director of Public Instruction.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational ~~Local and Municipal~~ Department.
Sir, /Through the Accountant General/

I have the honour to request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government under article 1004 of the Civil Service Regulations for the payment of travelling, hotel and carriage expenses to the non-official members of the Committee appointed in G.O. No. 48 Educational, dated 19th January 1912 to consider and report upon the question of religious and moral instruction. I recommend that such of the members as are not residents of Madras may be allowed for their journeys single first class railway fare with one third class railway fare for a servant and actual hotel and carriage expenses not exceeding Rs. 7 and Rs. 5 per diem

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respectively. Such non-official members as are residents of Madras may be allowed actual carriage expenses not exceeding Rs. 5 per diem if they care to claim it.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

R. G. Griev.

For Director of Public Instruction.

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OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, MADRAS,

Fort St. George, the 10 of May 1912.

No. P.A. 2- 2539



Forwarded to the ~~Chief~~ Secretary to the Government,
Educational Department.

The railway fares and the actual hotel and carriage
expenses recommended by the Director of Public Instruc-
tion are in accordance with the scale sanctioned in G.O.
No. 46, Educational dated 25th January 1911.

A. Vishwade

OFFG: ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

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MEMORANDUM

No 1390-29 5-6-12

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Note 6 to Article 1004 of the Civil Service Regulations on page 161 of the Madras Supplement thereto, issued by the Accountant General as correction slip dated 5th April 1911, authorizes the Director of Public Instruction to pass the travelling, hotel and carriage expenses of unofficial gentlemen attending the meetings of the European school examination board. It is observed that this note, which is based upon G.O. No. 46, Edl., dated 25th January 1911, does not correctly represent the intention of ^{the} Government expressed in paragraph 2 of the order. It was ^{intended} contemplated thereby to authorize the Director of Public Instruction to pass similar ~~such~~ expenditure in the case of all educational conferences, commissions and departmental enquiries, and not only in respect of European school examination board. The Accountant General is requested to arrange for the correction of the note ^{so as to} ~~to carry out~~ ^{to} ~~the above~~ intention of Government.

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To the A.G.

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NOTES.

MEMORANDUM

Note 6 to Article 1004 of the
Civil Service Regulations on page 1
of the Madras Supplement thereto
issued by the Accountant General as
correction with dated 2nd April 1936
authorizes the Director of Public
Instruction to pass the travelling
hotel and carriage expenses of un-
official persons attending the
meetings of the European school ex-
amination board. It is observed that
this note which is based upon G.O.
No. 46, M.S., dated 23rd January 1936
does not correctly represent the
intention of Government expressed in
Paragraph 8 of the order. It was
intended thereby to authorize the
Director of Public Instruction to
similarly authorize expenditure in the case
of all educational conferences, examina-
tions and departmental enquiries and
not only in respect of European school
examination board. The Accountant
General is requested to arrange for
the correction of the note to read
as follows:-

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C.No.1278, from the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah Sahib Bahadur Vellore, dated 29th April 1912.

C.No.1390, from the D.P.I.

No.2159, dated 15--4-1912.

Endt. of the A.G.

No.P.A.2-2539, dated 10--5-1912.

Subject.

Travelling allowance to ~~non-official~~ non-official members for attending the religious education committee meeting.

(M) In G.O.No.46, Educational, dated 25th January 1911, the Government sanctioned, under Article 1004 of the Civil Service Regulations, the payment of travelling, hotel and carriage expenses to certain non-official ~~members~~ gentlemen who attended the meetings of the European School Examination Board in the year 1910, and also authorized the Director of Public Instruction, at his request, to pass similar expenses in future. By "similar expenses" was meant the travelling, hotel and carriage expenses of non-official gentlemen attending Educational conferences, etc. Please see page 2 of the notes with the G.O.

(K) 2. In appointing a committee to consider and report on the question ~~of~~ of religious and moral instruction in schools, the Government added ~~the~~ remark at the foot of G.O.No.48, Edl., dated 19th January 1912, that unofficial members of the committee would be eligible to draw allowances under Article 1004 of the Civil Service Regulations. After the issue of the G.O., Mr.Stone enquired whether travelling and other expenses were admissible to the unofficial members of the committee. He was, in D.O.No.

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884-1, Edl., dated 21st March 1912, referred to the remark at the foot of the G.O.

3. The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah Sahib Bahadur, one of the members of the committee, now enquires whether he as well as the other members resident in the mufassal stations are entitled to any travelling allowance for attending the meetings of the committee, who should countersign such travelling allowance bills, how they are cashable and where. Another communication has ^{also} just been received from the Director requesting that non-resident members of the committee may be allowed travelling, hotel and carriage expenses. The last communication has been ^{submitted through} ~~received from~~ the Accountant General ^{who} ~~merely~~ observes that the scale of allowances proposed by the Director is in accordance with that sanctioned in G.O.No.46, Edl., dated 25th January 1911.

4. All the enquiries and the correspondence referred to above have arisen from the restricted interpretation put upon para.2 of G.O.No.46,Edl., dated 25th January 1911. This fact is evident from the correction slip issued by the Accountant General in April 1911 to the notes to Article 1004 of the Civil Service Regulations in the Madras Supplement thereto. He has taken the Government Order to mean that the Director has been authorized only to pass the expenses of unofficial gentlemen attending the meetings of the European School Examination Board. As already pointed out in para.1 above, this is contrary to the intention of Government, which was to authorize the Director to pass similar expenses

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expenses in the case of all educational conferences etc. That this is so is clear from the fact that the Government at first in connection with the proposals for decentralization suggested to the Government of India the delegation of these powers generally to the Director, and that the Government of India in the amendment of Article 1004 empowered the Local Government to sanction such delegation. It is therefore submitted that the Director of Public Instruction may be informed that he is competent to sanction the expenses in question under para.2 of G.O.No.46, Edl., dated 25th January 1911.

5. A draft order is submitted below for approval, which, if approved, may be sent to Financial for acceptance.

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Financial Department.

Attention is solicited to the Financial Dept. note dated the 10 January 1911 on page 2 of notes to G.O. no. 46 Educational dated the 25 January 1911 in which that dept. has agreed to the proposal of the Educational dept. to sanction a general delegation of power to the D.P.I. to pass the travelling allowance hotel and carriage expenses of non-official gentlemen who attend educational conferences.

2 The draft order may, if it is submitted, be accepted in Financial.

3 With reference to the point noted at A on page 2 of these notes it is submitted that the Educational Dept. may be asked to point out to the Accountant-General by a memorandum that his interpretation of G.O. para. 2 of G.O. no. 46 Edl. of 25-1-11 is not correct and that the correction slip of 5 April 1911 referred to should be amended so as to bring out the view expressed at B on pages 2+3 Supra.

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Financial Department

Attention is directed to the fact that the 10th of June is the date of the 22nd session of the Council of the Department of Education. It is requested that the Department of Education be kept advised of the progress of the work of the Council and of the results of the various committees and sub-committees. It is also requested that the Department of Education be kept advised of the results of the various conferences and meetings of the Council and of the results of the various committees and sub-committees.

The draft order now being prepared is being prepared in accordance with the instructions of the Council.

With reference to the financial order, it is requested that the Department of Education be kept advised of the progress of the work of the Council and of the results of the various committees and sub-committees. It is also requested that the Department of Education be kept advised of the results of the various conferences and meetings of the Council and of the results of the various committees and sub-committees.

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Submitted for order whether the draft order may now issue.
2. A separate draft memo. ~~is submitted~~ to the Accountant General is also submitted for approval with reference to para. 3 of the Financial note overleaf.
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C.No.1278, from the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah Sahib Bahadur, Vellore, dated 29--4-1912.

C.No.1390, from the D.P.I. No.2159, dated 15--4-1912.

Endt. of the A.G. No.P.A.2-2539, dated 10--5-1912.

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Under para.2 of G.O.No.46,Edl., dated 25th January 1911, the Director of Public Instruction is himself competent to pass the expenses referred to at the rates specified in para.1 of the order.

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To the D.P.I.

" A.G.

" Finl. Dept.

" Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah Sahib Bahadur, with

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Letter No 1278-1846-12

To

The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur
Muhammad Habibullah Sahib
Bahadur

Sir

With reference to your
letter, dated 29th April 12,
I am directed to state that
~~members~~ unofficial members
of the Committee, appointed to
consider & report on the question
of religious and moral instruc-
tion in schools, are eligible
to draw travelling and other
allowances under Article
1004 of the C.S.D. The D.P.I
has been authorized to pass
the bills for such allowances
and they can be encashed
at any of the treasuries
described by you.

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To the D.P.I.

" A.G.

" Finl. Dept.

" Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah Sahib Bahadur

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Under para 2 of G.O. No. 46, 1911,
dated 28th January 1911, the Director
of Public Instruction is himself com-
petent to pass the expenses referred
to at the rates specified in para 1
of the order.

Order of the A.G.
No. P.A.S. 3233, dated 10-7-1912.
No. 2153, dated 13-4-1912.
C.No. 1330, from the D.P.I.
C.No. 1278, from the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah Sahib
Bahadur, Vellore, dated 29-4-1912.

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