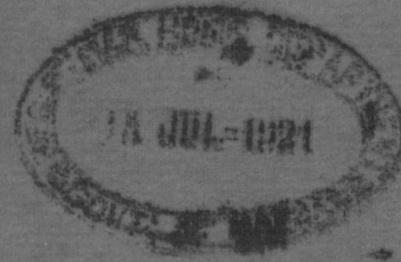


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No 93 ~~re~~ asked at the meeting of 11-11-13
re definition of day in Madras Inspection
Code ~~as~~ with reference to the tours of subsec
Inspectors of ^{schools} ~~the~~ educational dept

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Question No 89

The Hon'ble Mr. V.S. Srinivasa Sastri.

Educational Department.

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93 59 (a). Is it a fact that Article 95 of the Madras Inspection Code issued by the Director of Public Instruction requires that a 'day on tour' should be reckoned in all cases from midnight to midnight, and that this rule is in practice so literally interpreted that a sub-~~assistant~~ assistant Inspector who is away on duty from head quarters, say, from 6 A.M. on Monday to 10 P.M. on Tuesday i.e. for 40 hours, cannot get credit for even one day on tour ?

(b) Is it a fact that Article 23 of the Civil Service Regulations from which the midnight to midnight rule is taken has a proviso to the definition of "day" in these words: "But an absence from head quarters which does not exceed 24 hours is reckoned as one day at whatever hours the period begins and ends" but this proviso is not reproduced in the Madras Inspection Code?

(c) Will Government be pleased to direct a modification of the present rule of the Education Department which fails to carry out the spirit of the Civil Service Regulations, and thus remove a great hardship from which Sub-Assistant Inspectors now suffer ?



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SUBJECT.—Question No. 89 proposed to be asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 11—11—1913.

SUBMITTED that ^{two}~~three~~ copies of this question may be forwarded to the Educational Department with reference to No. (1) of the rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with questions to be asked in the Legislative Council. *Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due course.*

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A "day on tour" is defined, as stated, in article 95 of the Madras Inspection Code. The D.P.I. may be asked to state whether it is interpreted in practice as stated in clause (a) of the question and, if so, whether he sees any objection to the modification of the present practice.

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The rules in question were framed with a view to preventing frequent returns to head quarters and encouraging systematic touring on the part of sub assistant inspectors and supervisors.

It was represented that cases of hardship might occur under them and a note has been added - "Part of a day at the beginning and end of a continuous tour may be reckoned a full day at the Director's discretion." An Inspector would doubtless exercise his discretion in the case instanced by the questioner. The apparent severity of the rule is moreover mitigated by the note to Rule 94. There were some complaints when the rules were first issued but no appeal

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against an inspector's decision under
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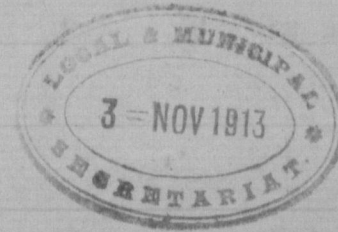
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Draft answer to Legislative Question 89.
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The rule referred to was framed with a view to encourage systematic touring on the part of inspecting officers and prevent frequent returns to head-quarters. A note has since been added to it ^{allowing} to the effect that parts of a day at the beginning or end of a continuous tour ^{to} may be reckoned as ^a full day at the Inspector's discretion. ~~No appeal against an Inspector's decision under the rule has ever been received and~~ The Government have no reason to believe that the rule is worked so as to cause any real hardship.

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The question and answer as finally settled are as follows:—

Question 93. (a) Is it a fact that article 95 of the Madras Inspection Code issued by the Director of Public Instruction requires that a "day on tour" should be reckoned in all cases from midnight to midnight, and that this rule is in practice so literally interpreted that a sub-assistant inspector who is away on duty from head-quarters, say, from 6 a.m. on Monday to 10 p.m. on Tuesday, *i.e.*, for 40 hours, cannot get credit for even one day on tour?

Definition of
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(b) Is it a fact that article 23 of the Civil Service Regulations from which the midnight to midnight rule is taken has a proviso to the definition of "day" in these words—"But an absence from head-quarters which does not exceed 24 hours "is reckoned as one day at whatever hours the period begins and ends",—but this proviso is not re-produced in the Madras Inspection Code?

(c) Will Government be pleased to direct a modification of the present rule of the Education Department which fails to carry out the spirit of the Civil Service Regulations, and thus remove a great hardship from which sub-assistant inspectors now suffer?

Answer 93—

The rule referred to was framed with a view to encourage systematic touring on the part of inspecting officers and prevent frequent returns to head-quarters. A note has since been added to it allowing parts of a day at the beginning or end of a continuous tour to be reckoned as a full day at the Inspector's discretion. The Government have no reason to believe that the rule is worked so as to cause any real hardship.

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