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[Despatch Abstract.]

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 for ~~the~~ higher posts in the office of the*

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POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Public Service Notification

Submitting Resident's remarks on the

revised up to 1st July 1913 and requesting that his name may be included among officials authorised to exempt persons from the operation of Special Test Examination Rules.

ENCLOSURES.

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R.O.C. No. 1316/13.

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From (Name) A. T. Forbes Esquire, I. C. S.,

(Designation) Resident in Travancore and Cochin.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

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Sir,

With reference to the Public Service Notification revised up to the 1st July 1913 for publication in the For St. Gazette, I have the honour to state that the -- Special Test qualifications of the manager of my Office should hereafter be those of a Huzur Sherasthadar, viz., the Account Test, the Revenue Test (Lower Grade) and the Translation Test (Lower Grade). The Head Clerk also -- should have passed the Account Test as he is the proper person to act for the Manager and Treasury Officer when the latter goes on leave or is otherwise absent. I request, therefore, that Government will be pleased to arrange for the inclusion of the above tests as qualifications for those appointments.

Item 3 on page 7
of the Public Service
Notification.

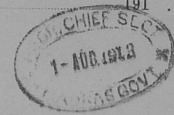
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Articles 6 & 5 of
the Pub. S. Notice

2. I further beg to state that the Resident in -- Travancore and Cochin is not one of the Officials authorised to exempt persons from the operation of these Examination Rules. I request that his name may (also) be included among them, as the field of selection in his office is so restricted that men without these Special Tests must frequently be appointed to higher posts. It is extremely difficult to retain men with good educational qualifications as their prospects are so bad here.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

A. Forbes.

R E S I D E N T.

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C. No. 2456 From the Resident in S.C. No. 1316, dated 28.7.1913.

SUBJECT.

Educational qualifications prescribed for the manager & head-clerk of the office of the Resident in Travancore & Cochin.

At present the manager & Treasury Officer in the office of the Resident in Travancore & Cochin is required to pass the Account test only and the head-clerk in that office is not required to pass any special test. The Resident's proposal to prescribe the Revenue & Land Revenue tests, lower grade, and also as qualifications for the manager & the Account test for the head-clerk may, it is submitted, be accepted.

Apparently ~~the Resident~~ the Political Deptt. has no objection to the proposals.

2. The Resident is not at present one of the officers who are authorized to sanction the exemption of unpassed candidates from the examination rules. He now requests that he may be authorized to exempt candidates from the Special tests for appointment to the higher posts in

Item is under 6 miscellaneous on page 16 of the Public Service Notification.

Arts. 4 & 5 of the Public Service Rules.

Para 2, page 2 of rpt.

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in his office. The lowest appointment in his office for which ^{any} special test is prescribed is that of head-accountant (pay Rs 50-2-60). If he should be enabled to exempt ^{from special tests} candidates for the posts of head-accountant, head-clerk and manager in his office he should be given powers similar to those now exercised by members of the Board of Revenue, the judges of the High Court, the D.P.S and other heads of departments mentioned in Articles 5(2) & 5(3) of the Public Service Notification. But for the purpose of exercising financial powers he is in the position of a collector and collectors of districts ~~are~~ are under article 5(5) of the Public Service Notification empowered to sanction the exemption of persons who have not passed the Revenue lower grade, for employment in acting or sub-pro-tem vacancies ^{only up to the} the grade of revenue inspect ^{and that for} a period of six months. ~~This is recommended in view of the fact that the Resident's office is an isolated one~~ ^{he}

Art. 5(2) of the Public
Service Notification.

he may be given the same higher powers as those exercised by Members of the Board of Revenue and other heads of departments mentioned in articles (3) of the Public Service Notification.

3. The Resident does not specifically ask for any powers in regard to the exemption of candidates from general educational qualifications but it appears to be desirable to invest him with these powers also to the extent exercised by the heads of departments referred to in article 4 (1) of the Public Service Notification that is, in regard to the appointment of unpassed candidates in acting and sub-pro-tem vacancies and in temporary posts without limit of time up to Rs 30 per mensem, and for twelve months up to Rs 50.

4. If these proposals are approved the draft order placed below may be sent to the Political Dept^t for acceptance. That Dept^t may be requested to state whether the present incumbents of the posts of managers + head-clerk should be exempted from the tests which are to be

the newly prescribed for those posts.

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The whole proposal seems to me unnecessary & will make a mess of the Notifications which have not yet been revised. More over the Ref. asks for stricter qualifications for his no. & in the next for powers to exempt from there because he can't get men inducted into them. Can you trace any applications for exemption for any of his people in the last (say) three years? 23/5

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The indexes of 1910, 1911 & 1912 have been looked into. No orders dealing with applications for exemption from the examination rules on behalf of any of the members of the Resident's establishment are traceable.

2. It is however respectfully submitted that the powers now asked for are only in respect of temporary appointments and in acting and not pro tem vacancies. It may be desirable to insist on

Govt alone can sanction exemption permanently. Please see art. 4(1) of the Public Service Rules.

on higher qualifications in permanent incumbent; and at the same time it may not sometimes be possible to secure the services of qualified men for short vacancies.

3. The notifications are revised and published in the Gazette by the Commissioner for Govt Examinations ~~in~~ every year and the present proposals, if approved may not cause any confusion in the notifications.

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The Resident does not know when he will do; he sends over perhaps the one office in the Presidency which isn't shackled by Special Act restrictions & exemption applications & got proposed voluntarily to put his head into the noose.

Orders may go out that in view of the smallness of the Resident's office & the infrequency of changes thereat the Govt. do not think sufficient ground exists for the changes now proposed.

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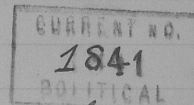
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A draft order is submitted. If approved, it may be sent to the Political Dept^t for acceptance.

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May 6. 9. 13

Political dept.

The draft order may be accepted

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ORDER

No 87409m, dated 12. 9. 1918

In view of the smallness of the Residents' office & the infrequency of ~~these~~ changes therein, the Govt do not think that sufficient ground exists for the changes now proposed.

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