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[Despatch Abstract.]

Leg. Council

Recording office notes connected with the question on the provision for the medical inspection of schools and school children asked by the Honble Mr. B. V. Narasimha Ayyar at the meeting of the ——— held on the 23 — 11 — 15.

VERY URGENT.



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18/9/15

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To the Educational Dept u.o.

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To the *Public (Medical)* Deptn.

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Legislative Department.

EDUCATIONAL

PUBLIC (MEDICAL) DEPARTMENT.

The Honourable Mr. B.V. Narasimha Ayyar:--

16. Will the Government be pleased to state--

(a) what amount has been provided for medical inspection of schools and school children this year;

(b) whether any such medical inspection is now going on and, if not, when it is expected to go on; and

(c) what amount, if any, has been spent already on such inspection and how much more is expected to be spent before the close of this year?

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us.

The question is mainly one for consideration in the Educational Dept where it is understood, ~~that~~ it is being dealt with. Submitted that this may be lodged.

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20/9/15
Pdk
20.9.15

There was a G.O. post pouring the medical wiper because of the death of Com-missioned medical officers. Please put it up.

Rh

21.9.15

Please see the S. G.'s letter recorded in G.O. M. 498 Vol. 8 8.5.15 in the linked file

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21.9.15

The case may be sent on to Est. who will ^{troubleless} take charge of the question. Dept maybe informed.

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See

21.9.15

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The linked file is required by Est. urgently in connection with the League Council Question
Pdk
21.9.15

Is not this partly a L.M. question? It is not confined, as I understand it, to Government schools. Moreover, the Inspectors' and other officers would often be L.M. servants.

So far the attempt has been to inspect the schools in Madras City — Corporation schools — & to Europeans Training school. The question was not previously discussed in L.M.

The inspecting medical officer will be a Commissioned officer (I.M.S.) aided by some Asst or sub. Asst. Surgeon — who are all Asst. Officers.

For orders whether the question should now go to L.M.

21.9.15
Educational (100)

I suggest that the question be dealt with in Educational; if it is merely a question of describing and maintaining the existing practice, L.M. will have nothing to say. But it should be brought if H.M. (L.M.) or H.M. (Civilian - Medical) might see the draft answer.

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Submitted that the Educational Department.
Please see the notes and discussions on pages 7 to 14 of Lp. no 465 Edl., dated the 1st May 1915. Attention is also solicited to the Surgeon General's letter dated the 24th April 1915, in which he suggested that the work must be postponed until an I. M. S. officer was available. He has since been asked in memorandum no. 3125-1 Edl., dated the 28th August 1915, to report whether he is now able to spare the services of an officer for the work. His reply has not yet been received.

2. The following draft answer is submitted for approval:-

16 (a), (b) & (c). No amount has been provided ~~in the current~~ for the purpose in the current year's budget. The work has not yet been undertaken owing to the want of ^{competent} an officer to ^(the first experiments in that direction) conduct it. When an officer is available the necessary funds will be provided.

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22.9.15 22/9/15

What is the urgency? The meeting is not for two months and we ought to get the Surgeon General's answer any day now.

22.5.15

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Submitted that the S.G.'s reply suggesting the deputation of Lt. Col. Donovan for the purpose has been received and is separately under consideration. The proposal has been generally approved and the question whether he should be given any honorarium for the work is yet to be decided.

2. The following answer is suggested: -

"16(a)(b) & (c). The medical inspection of schools and school children has not yet been ^{commenced} and no specific amount has been provided for the purpose in the current year's budget. The Govt. hope to be able to depute ^{an S.H.S. officer} ~~an S.H.S. officer~~ shortly for the first experiments in this direction to be conducted with reference to the elementary schools maintained by the Corporation of Madras. When this affair and the subordinate staff enter upon their duties the funds necessary for the purpose will be easily found."

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Provisional
Answer issued
on 16/11/15

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16.11.15



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15.11.15

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15/11/15

H. E. The Governor.

I have circled the answer. If necessary, it can be added to - probably not, I think

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17.11.

The following is a copy of the question and answer given at the meeting of the Legislative Council:—

Medical inspection of schools.

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(c) what amount, if any, has been spent already on such inspection and how much more is expected to be spent before the close of this year?

(Mr. Narasimha Ayyar.)

21 A.—The medical inspection of schools and school children has not yet been commenced and no specific amount has been provided for the purpose in the current year's budget.

Submitted that the papers may now be

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