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G.O. No. 493

DATED 7-5-1915

[Despatch Abstract.]

Mr. N. D. Darn

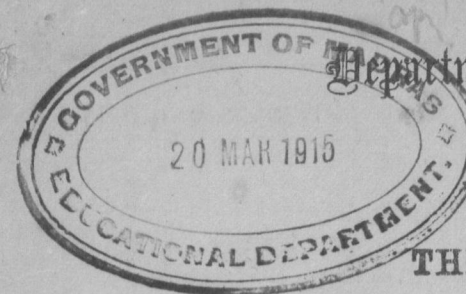
Informing that the personal allowance of Rs 100 now drawn by him will not be taken into account in calculating his salary for the purposes of the special personal allowance of Rs 100 granted to officers of 15 years' standing in the Indian Education Service.

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Department of Public Instruction.

THE PRESIDENCY COLLEGE.



N. R. No. 132/15, dated 3 - 3 - 1915.

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Enclosures.

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Subject.

Submitting an application from Mr. N. D. Dan,
Professor of Geology, requesting that he may be
made eligible for one of the Educational Depart-
ment allowances in addition to his present
allowance of Rs. 100/-

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N. R. C. No. 132/15

3rd March 1915.

Submitted to the Director of Public Instruction.

E. M. S. S. S.
Principal,

Presidency College, Madras.

The Presidency College,
Madras, / ^{at} March 1915.

To

The Secretary to Government

in the Educational Department,

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Through

The Principal,

Presidency College,

a n d

The Director of Public Instruction,

M a d r a s.

Sir,

When the terms of my transfer from the Geological Survey of India to the Indian Educational Service for employment as -- Professor of Geology here were settled in May- June 1914, I said in my letter of the 9th May to the Officiating Director, Geological Survey of India, "Although I have been of opinion that Rs.150/- is a fair allowance, I ought not to withdraw since an allowance (of Rs.100 a month) has been sanctioned as result of my representations and since I did not lay down a minimum". At that time I knew in a general way that an officer of the Educational Service, got an -- allowance of Rs.100 a month if his pay did not exceed Rs.1,000/- at the end of fifteen years' service. I now find however that - the rule regulating this allowance (para 9 of the Government of India, Home Department, Resolution No.4 Educl. 204-215, dated 23rd July 1896) provides for cases of "the total salary" (and not "p a y") not exceeding Rs.1,000.

The Government of India inserted a proviso whereby the question of the continuance of my present allowance was rendered liable to reconsideration in certain circumstances, after every other term ^{had been} agreed upon, and the Secretary of State did likewise. On neither occasion did I demur as I recognised that the stipulations were but fair. In the same ^{way} I feel persuaded that the Govern-
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do not intend that as a result of my ignorance of the exact words of the Government of India Resolution of 1896 which did not concern me before my transfer, my allowance should virtually disappear in December 1922 when it will be fifteen years since my -- joining the Geological Survey Department; and I think that the very fact that the Government have not thought fit to insert a specific saving clause with regard to this allowance while doing so with reference to other kinds of increase in pay, is in my favour; but it is desirable that the uncertainty should be removed by an expression of the Government's opinion.

I submit that ^{the} present allowance is given in order to compensate me somewhat for leaving the Geological Survey Department and undertaking to live a town-life all the year round, and I use the word 'somewhat' advisedly for I have found by actual experience that for a man of my station in life, living in Madras is much dearer in comparison to living in Calcutta than I anticipated, and this allowance I further submit should not be taken into account in interpreting in my case the phrase 'total salary' in the rule of 1896.

The contingency mentioned in the Secretary of State's despatch of the 23rd October 1914, of my getting one of the - Educational Department allowances of Rs.200 or Rs.500, is extremely remote. My position in the ^{scale} of seniority of Educational Officers is a matter of great uncertainty, and so far ^{as} I can see, I have no prospect of becoming either a Principal or an Inspector, and thus, altogether, there is little reason to hope that I shall some day be considered so senior or so deserving as to be preferred over many others and selected for one of these allowances. These allowances however correspond to the increase in pay from Rs.1000 to Rs.1400 that an Assistant ^{Superintendent} Inspector of the Geological Survey obtains on becoming a Superintendent. By my transfer I abandon absolutely the chances of becoming a Superintendent, while here, under the present conditions, I have no increase to hope for after 1919.

I have said above that I think Rs.150 to be a fair allowance

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to be given to me on transfer. The difference between this and the allowance of Rs. 100 actually granted, would amount in the -- fifteen years ^{I have to serve before} retirement, to a little more than what I should get as allowance under the rule of 1896, in the seven years 1923-1929. And if in my place a European officer had been obtained from the Geological Survey, the Government would have paid a much larger total sum as Exchange Compensation during the fifteen years.

I do not desire to reopen the terms of transfer but I beg to request that the Government will not allow me to suffer in the end because of my not having been aware, in the beginning, of the exact wording of the Resolution of 1896, and will be pleased to rule that I should not be ineligible ~~for~~ the allowance under the Resolution in addition to my present allowance, from December 1922.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

N. D. Darn.

Professor of Geology,
Presidency College, Madras.



N. Ref. on C. No. 1739 of 15, dated 18 March 1915.

Submitted to Government.

G. Krishnaswami

for Director of Public Instruction.

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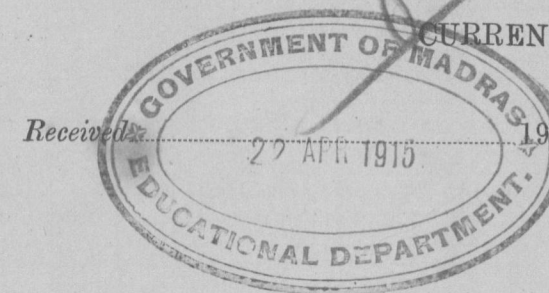
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FROM

K. L. DATTA, Esq., M.A.,

The ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, MADRAS,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Educational Department.

SIR,

With reference to Government Endorsement No.105-8-1 Ed1 dated 29th March 1915, I have the honour to state that in his despatch No.191 Public dated 23rd October 1914 received with Government of India Finance Department No.751 E.A. dated 21st November 1914, the Secretary of State laid down among other things, that the question of the continuance of the allowance of Rs.100/- per mensem sanctioned to Mr. N.D.Daru should also be liable to reconsideration in the event of Mr. Daru eventually obtaining one of the Educational Department allowances of

Rs.200

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*Enclosed att of letter to
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 Secy to Govt of Madras*

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 allowance of £100 per annum
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 salary for the purpose of the
 personal allowance of £100 per
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 by the 2nd Act.

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