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[Despatch Abstract.]

S.S.L.C. Scheme.

Declining to comply with M. E. By S. S. Gopala-
krishna Ayyar's request that ^{his son} ~~he~~ may be exempted from the operation
of the rule requiring that candidates for the public examination
under the ——— should be fifteen years old.

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PRIVATE SECRETARY'S OFFICE, MADRAS. 4 10-16



Memo. No. 256-P

Transferred to the Secretary to Government, Home (Educational)

Department, for favour of disposal.

ENCLOSURES:

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(By order of His Excellency the Governor.)

Let him

Private Secretary.

Ostacannid,
The 3rd October 1916.

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To



His Excellency The Right Hon'ble

Baron Pentland, P. C., G. C. I. E.,

Governor of Fort St. George in Council,

M A D R A S.

May It Please Your Excellency,

I beg most humbly and respectfully beg to bring the following few lines for Your Excellency's benign consideration and to request that favourable orders may be passed on the same in the light of the facts set forth below:--

I beg to enclose herein extracts from -- Secondary School Certificate No. 10003 A. of my son, S. G. Subramanian, who is now a student in the VI Form, Basel Mission College, Calicut. His date of birth as entered in the Certificate Book is 15th July 1902, and he will thus be only 14 years and $7\frac{1}{2}$ months old on the 1st March 1917. As such, he will not, under the existing regulations, be able to appear for the ensuing Secondary School Certificate Examination to be held in March next, being $4\frac{1}{2}$ months short of age, unless he secures a special exemption. It is extremely hard that he should have to detain himself on that ground alone, and to wait for one more year, to be able to appear for the Public Examination. He is a very brilliant student, "intelligent, a systematic worker, keen at mathematics" and well up all round, and has shown steady and systematic progress, taking invariably the first rank in all the classes and in all the subjects; and his conduct and character, too, have been certified to be "good" and his "progress very satisfactory." I understand that exemptions of the kind used to be granted. Although he is less than 15 years old at present, he appears to be older, as he is likely to be certified by a medical officer

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I beg to add that I applied to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, who, in his Proceedings Dis. No. 6394 of 1916 dated 22-9-16 (copy of which is herewith submitted) informs me that "no exemption from the age rule can be granted." I most humbly beg to add in this connection that cases of such short age might occur but very rarely -- not even one in a thousand -- and it bears very hard on clever students that their immediate and brilliant -- prospects should thus have to be put off, on such a slight technical ground, for falling short of a few months.

In these circumstances, I most humbly and respectfully beg to request that Your Excellency may be graciously pleased to view the matter with a benign consideration and to pass favourable orders for granting him a special exemption, or to call for the production of a medical certificate in his behalf after medical examination by a competent medical officer, so as to enable him (the student) to appear for the ensuing Secondary School Leaving Certificate Public Examination, for which act of kindness and charity I shall, as in duty bound, ever be loyal and grateful.

I beg to subscribe myself,

Your Excellency's most loyal and

obedient subject,

Sd/-Gopalakrishnan. B.A.Z.J.,

First Assistant, B.M. College.

Calicut,
29th September 1916.

Extracts from Secondary School Leaving
Certificate. Serial No. 10003.A.

Name of pupil. Sekharipuram G. Subramania Aiyar

Nationality, Caste or religion } Hindu (Brahmin)

Date of birth. 15th July 1902.

Father's name. S. S. Gopalakrishnaier

Schools and classes }
in which previously }
attended. }
Mannar. El. School. Sept & 25.
Palghat. Sekharipuram }
El. School } also II & III.
Calicut. Zamorin's High. Class IV
(1st term)
Alakur. B.D. Sec. School. Class IV.
Calicut. Zamorin's High. Forms I & II.
Calicut. Basal Mission High. Forms III, IV & V.

School Record. Form IV.

First Term. June - December 1914.

General Remarks on }
special aptitudes, } Intelligent.
character and conduct. } A systematic worker.
Keen at mathematics.
Conduct good.

Second Term. January - April 1915

Conduct. Good.

First Term. June - December 1915. V. Term.

Conduct and Character. Quite Satisfactory.

Second Term. January - April 1916.

Conduct and Progress. Very Satisfactory.

for J. Karyan.
Headmaster.

[True Extract]

S. S. Gopalakrishnaier

Subjects

Percentage of marks.

At School.

		IV Form	V Form.	VI Form
Group. A.	English	54	58	
		Form Average	37	38
	Vern. Comp. & Translation	40	61	
		Form Average.	36	41
	Elementary Mathematics.	48	52	
		Form Average.	34	31
Group. B.	Science	54	57	
		Form Average	36	37
	Geography.	Rank.	$\frac{1}{56}$	$\frac{1}{52}$
		Form Average	37	57
	History of India	Rank	$\frac{14}{56}$	$\frac{3}{52}$
		Form Average	50	54
		Form Average	37	38
		Rank.	$\frac{1}{56}$	$\frac{1}{52}$
	History of England.	58	61	
		Form Average	38	40
Group. C.	Malayalam.	56	62	
		Form Average	46	40

[True Extract]

Subbalakrishnan

Proceedings of the Director of Public Instruction.

Dis. No. 6394 of 1916, dated 22-9-1916.

Read the following paper:--

From the 1st Assistant, B. M. College, Calicut, dated 15th September 1916, requesting that, in the circumstances stated, a special exemption from the age rule may be granted to his son S. G. Subramanian, to enable him to appear for the ensuing Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination.

The petitioner is informed that no exemption from the age rule can be granted.

(Sd). J. H. Stone,

Director of Public Instruction.

(By order)

(Sd). R. Venkatarama Aiyar.
21-9-1916.

Manager.

(True Copy)

S. Gopalakrishnan

From

S.S. Gopalakrishnan, B.A.L.
First Asst., B.M. College,
C A L I C U T.

To

His Excellency The Right
Hon'ble Baron Pentland,
P.C., G. C. I. E.,
Governor of Fort St.
George in Council,
M A D R A S.

Dated } 29-9-1916.
Despatched } 30-9-1916.
Received }

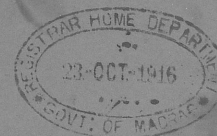
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Enclosure:- 2.

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Requesting that, in the circum-
stances stated, a special ex-
emption may be granted to his
son S.G. Subramanian, to enable
him to appear for the ensuing
Secondary School Leaving Cer-
tificate Public Examination to
be held in March 1917.

PRIVATE SECRETARY'S OFFICE, MADRAS.



Memo. No. _____

Transferred to the Secretary to Government, Home
(Education) Department, for favour of disposal.

ENCLOSURES: 2

(By order of His Excellency the Governor.)

Let Him
Private Secretary.

The 22nd Oct. 1916.

For the Regd.

Home Dept.
(Edy)

Subscribed that this away
has lodged as order
have, ^{since} ~~already~~ issued
respecting M. R. R. Gopal-
krishnan's request for
petition under G.O. 1089 Edy,
d/ the 16th Oct. 1916.

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On
28.10.16

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Calicut, 14th October 1916.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge with many thanks the receipt of your kind letter No. 293 P. dated the 3rd Instant, and to request that you may be so good as to place the accompanying paper for His Excellency's kind perusal and orders.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,
Sd/-opalakrishnan.

First Assistant,
Basel Mission College,
Calicut.

To

His Excellency The Right Hon'ble Lord Pentland



L y t h, P. C., G. C. I. E.,
Governor of Fort St. George in Council

M A D R A S.

May It Please Your Excellency,

disposed of
in 1899
16.10.16

In continuation of my humble me-

morial of the 29th Ultimo, I most respectfully beg leave to submit the following additional points for Your Excellency's benign consideration and favorable orders.

1. S.G.Subramanian, the student referred to in the above memorial, was the winner of a silver -- medal for having stood first in the Vernacular Prize Essay Competition held last year by the Madras S.P.C.A. for all the students of the High Schools in the Presidency.

2. He stood 4th in the list of competitors (having secured 71% of marks) for the English Prize Competition held by the same Society last year for all the students of the High Schools, First and Second Grade Colleges in the Presidency.

These facts would go to show that he is an exceptionally clever student, although he is less than 15 years old at present.

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as rule.

3. In all Public Offices and Departments of Government, all fractions of the value of more than half are invariably counted as one. In this case, the fraction $\frac{5}{8}$ of a year may be counted as one year, and the $\frac{14}{8}$ may similarly be treated as 15 years.

In these circumstances, I most humbly and respectfully beg to pray that Your Excellency may be graciously pleased to pass favourable orders on the memorial.

I beg to subscribe myself,

Your Excellency's most loyal and obedient subject,

Calicut, 14th Oct.1916.

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S.S.Gopalakrishnan,
First assistant,
Basel Mission College,
Calicut

To

His Excellency The Right
Hon'ble Lord Pentland of
Lyth, P.C., G.C.I.E.,
Governor of Fort St.
George in Council,
M A D R A S.

Dated 14)
Despatched 14) October 1916.
Received)

No.

Enclosures;- Nil.

S u b j e c t.

Submitting for favourable consideration and orders certain additional points in continuation of the Memorial of the 29th September 1916.

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~~Home~~ DEPARTMENT

Declining to comply with M. R. Ry. & S. S. Gopalakrishna Aiyar's requests that his son should be exempted from the operation of the rules requiring that candidates for the Public Exam. should be at least 15 years old.

READ AGAIN G.O. No., dated 191

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 35-18, From U. S. R. R. S. S., No., dated Aug. 29th Sep. 1916.

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ORDER.

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No. 1089, dated 16. 10. 1916.

The Govt. suggests
that they are unable to grant
the exemption applied for

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To
 M. R. Ry. S. G. Salakarishna
 Assistant B. A. T. T.,
 G. I. & T. S. B. M. College
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Note:- The Govt. have been systematically working away at relaxing the rules under the S. & T. Scheme - & vide Govt. No 354 Est & the 8-6-41 & No. 600 Est of the (P) 27 June 1943.

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