

Home (1917) Department.
(Education)
Ordinary SERIES.

G.O. No. 229

DATED 22.2.1917.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Council.-

Recording notes connected with a question asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding the admission of first class middle-school men to the Special Test Examinations.

2
L.M.C. LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Home (Edu) ct 413

Rept 26-1-17

V.P.M.

QUESTION.—No. 167

Council to be held on the

for the meeting of the Legislative

6-2-1917.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the
Home (Education) Department with reference to Nos. (1) and (4) of the
rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with these Questions in the
Legislative Council. Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due
course.

V.T.K.

26-1-17

By U.O. No. 267 dated 26-1-17

To

The Home (Education) Department with Q : 167.



EAV

Local and Municipal(Legislative) Department.

The Honourable Mr. A.Suryanarayana Rao Pantulu :-

Home (Educational) Department.

167. Will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of amending the rules relating to the educational qualifications for admission to the public service by including in the list of persons eligible to appear for the special tests those who have passed the middle school examination in the first class, just like matriculates, as they enjoyed equal privileges with them for a long time?

Home Dept.

(Ed. 2)

The Special tests that are ordinarily open to Matriculates are the account test, the Translation test, (higher and lower the local judicial test, the Pattern test, (lower) and the fail test.

The Additional Member desires that all the above tests should be ~~open~~ ^{known} open to those who have passed the Middle School examination in the first class on the ground that they enjoyed equal privileges with the matriculates for a long time.

2. It may be observed that the Middle School examination is now obsolete having been abolished so long ago as 1890. During the period of its existence which extended from 1880 to 1890 a first class pass therein was recognized as equivalent to the Matriculation coupled with the old handwriting test and the holders of the certificate were ~~eligible~~ eligible for posts carrying a pay of Rs 20 and upwards p.m.

Under the revised

Art. 4. Spl. Test Notice (d)

of: para 12th on 8th of the introd. in the Comm's Calendar

Art. 2 of the P.S.
Notif. on p. 25 of
Go. 317 Edl. (N)
905.94

Note to the preamble -
ibid.

Go. 584 Edl. (P)
21.9.96

Go. 397 Edl. (F)
24.5.08

Public Service Notif. issued in 1894 a first class Middle School certificate ceased to be regarded as a qualification for appointments in the Superior Service carrying a pay of Rs 15 & upwards p.m. But ~~persons~~ holders of such certificates who held permanent appointments in the Post. Service on Rs 15 p.m. on the 20th June 1894 were not debarred from further promotion. The question as to whether these men should not be allowed to appear for the special tests for which Matriculates were eligible was considered in 1895 and 1896 and it was ^(declared) ~~decided~~ that they might ^(appear for the tests) ~~be~~ till the 1st January 1902. Later ^(on) ~~in~~ 1908 the question of throwing open the special tests to this class of men was considered at the instance of Sir Alexander Gordon (then Revenue Secretary) and decided in the negative on the ground that there was no necessity for any further concession and that exemption

NOTES.

Page 5

6

are 7-1
rel 1-2

might be given in special case.
3 The question for consideration is whether the matter should now be reconsidered. It may be observed that the middle school exam: having been abolished in 1890 there will be only very few men now in Govt. Service who will be benefited by the concession if granted. There seems to be therefore no serious objection to considering the question in connection with the general proposals for the amendment of the rules on the subject which are engaging the attention of the Govt. - vide para 3 of G.O. No. 969 Edn. 2 of the 13th Sep. 1916.

If this advice is accepted the following draft answer is for approval:-

Answer

"The Govt: will consider the suggestion"

Specimen

answers dep
12/17

Issue alone
12/17

31.1.17

31.1.17

31.1.17

1-FEB 1917

7

The final form of the question and answer was as follows:—

Amendment of rules for admission to public service.

172 Q.—Will the Government be pleased to consider the advisability of amending the rules relating to the educational qualifications for admission to the public service by including in the list of persons eligible to appear for the special tests those who have passed the middle school examination in the first class, who enjoyed equal privileges with matriculates for a long time?

172 A.—The Government will consider the suggestion.

The matter may be taken up for consideration along with the general question of the amendment of the rules in the Public Service and Special Test Notifications which is under reference to heads of departments. For the present the papers may be

Cal. No. 229, d/22.2.17
Mus.

Recorded

Please note carefully
17.2.17
Q. 172 since decided
13.16
13.9.16
Legislative Council
Recording
notes connected with a question asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th Feb. 1917 re: the admission of first class middle school men to the Special Test Exams:

17.2.17
17.2.17

17.2.17

