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Sanctioning the continuance for a further period of one year from the 27th January 1918, of the temporary party constituted for the purposes of searching for and acquiring oriental manuscripts of interest and value.

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Requesting sanction for the further retention of the temporary search party for acquiring Oriental Manuscripts of interest.

ENCLOSURES.

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Ref. on Cpr. No. 10056/17

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Station Madras, Dated the 20th December 1917

From (Name) The Hon. Mr. J. H. Stone, M.A., F.R.S., C.I.E.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Home (Education) Department.

Sir,

As the sanction accorded in G.O.No. 54 Home (Education), dated 10th January 1917 to the retention of the temporary party constituted under G.O.No. 1096 Educational dated 18th September 1914 for the purpose of searching for and acquiring Oriental Manuscripts expires by the 26th January 1918, I have the honour to request that Government will be pleased to sanction its continuance for a period of another year from 27th January 1918. The Curator's letter G.No. 144/17, dated 5th December 1917, a copy of which is enclosed herewith, explains the work done by the Party and the need for their continuance.

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2. Provision for the charge has been included in the Budget estimates for 1918-19.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. Krishnaswami

for Director of Public Instruction.

20.12.17

Letter from M. R. Ly. S. Kuruwami Sastriyal, M.A., Curator,
Govt. Oriental Manuscripts Library, Madras,
to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, G.No. 144
of 1917, dated 5th December 1917.

I have the honour to state that shortly after the submission of my report L.O.No. 104 of 1916, dated the 30th April 1917 on the valuation of the Manuscripts in the Tanjore Palace Library, the temporary search party constituted under G.O.No. 1096 Educational, dated the 18th September 1914, resumed their regular work and for this purpose it was considered expedient to divide the party into two sections, one being intended to work in the Northern districts and the other in West Coast. Accordingly the activities of one section were directed to the completion of the examination of the manuscripts in the remaining portions of the Kistna District, which had necessarily to be left somewhat unfinished owing to the party's sudden recall thence in the month of September 1916 to work at the Tanjore Palace Library. This section after having finished its business in the Kistna District, has been working from the beginning of November last in the Viagapatam district. The other section of the party has been doing its work of search for manuscripts in the Malabar district from about the middle of May last. Both these sections of the search party have obtained for the Library a goodly collection of rare and useful manuscripts. Thus it will be seen that since the creation of the peripatetic search party, the examination of the manuscripts materials in the two districts of Godavari and Kistna has been completed and that the Northern districts and west coast have been taken up simultaneously with a view to expediting the work of search as far as possible. In these circumstances the continuance of the temporary search party is obviously essential to carry on the work of search and

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11 collection in the remaining parts of the Presidency, I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to address Government and obtain their sanction for the further retention of the staff constituting the party. In this connection it is submitted that G.O.No. 54 Home (Education) dated the 10th January 1917 communicated in the Director's Pros. Disl No. 347 / 17 dated the 18th January 1917 sanctioned the present extension.

(True copy)

G. S. Thakur

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20.12.17.

for Director of Public Instruction

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C No 1697B From the O.P. I. R. O. No 10056/17 dated 20-12-17

Subject - Continuance of the temporary party sanctioned for the purpose of searching for and acquiring Oriental Manuscripts, for a further period of one year.

For the Registrar

In the circumstances explained by the Curator in his letter on pp 3-4 of the sanction applied for, for the continuance of the party for one year from the 27th Jan, 1918, may be granted.

A Draft Order is submitted for approval. It may be sent to Financial U.O. for acceptance. Necessary provision has been made in the Budget estimate for 1918-19.

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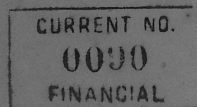
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For the Asst Secy,

Submitted that the draft order may be accepted in Finl. There is full year's provision in the C.B.E for 1917-18 and 1918-19.

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of one year from the 27th January 1918, of the temporary
party constituted for the purpose of searching for and
acquiring oriental manuscripts of interest and value.

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the continuance for a further period
of one year from the 27th January 1913,
of the temporary party constituted
under G.O. No. 1096 Edl. dated the
18th Sep. 1914, for the purpose of search-
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