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Indian Educational Service.

Recording letter from the Government of India in regard
to the formulation of recommendations for filling up the
existing vacancies in the ———.

For perusal
H.E. for perusal
27/4/18

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Simla, the 22nd April 1918

From

The Hon'ble Sir E.D. MacLagan, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Education) Department.

Sir,

In submitting replies to this Department Circular no. 771, dated the 12th of September 1917, regarding the appointment of Indians to the vacancies existing in the Indian Educational Service, certain local Governments have been confronted with difficulties regarding the promotion of members of the Provincial Educational Service. Cases have occurred in which no suitable non-official candidate is available and the senior members of the Provincial Educational Service, though in other ways excellent officers, are not qualified for the particular post or posts which are at the time vacant: whereas there may be a fully qualified officer lower down in the ranks of the Provincial Educational Service. In such cases the local Government has felt a natural reluctance in passing over the claims of the senior officers of the Provincial Educational Service and has suggested various means for dealing with the situation, such as keeping the appointment vacant until the qualified officer has reached a position among the senior officers of the service, or promoting a senior officer, although unqualified, and placing the junior and qualified officer in the actual appointment to do the work.

2. The Government of India fully recognise the reluctance of local Governments to pass over the claims of well-deserving senior officers of the Provincial Educational

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Service, but they are convinced that in dealing with vacancies in the Indian Educational Service the proper principle to observe is either to appoint a qualified outsider or to promote from the Provincial Educational Service the officer most suited for the vacant post even at the cost of superseding several well-deserving officers of the Provincial Educational Service who are not qualified for the particular vacancy in question. It is hoped, therefore, that should this difficulty occur in dealing with appointments to be made in accordance with the Circular of the 12th of September 1917, the above principle may be borne in mind.

I have the honour to be,

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Your most obedient servant,

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Secretary to the Government of India.

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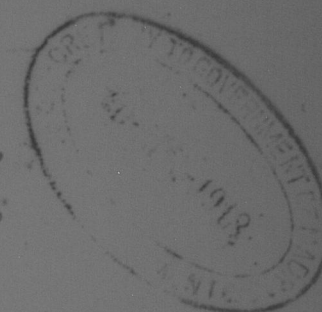
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Home Education Dept.

CNo. 11264 from the Govt. of India, Dept. of Edn.
no. 304 & 22. 4. 18

Subject. Proposals for filling up existing vacancies
in the D.E.S.

Submitted that India's current letter
may be sent to the D.E.S. for perusal and
guidance in connection with his recommendations
for filling up the ^{4th} existing vacancies in the cadre
of the D.E.S. called for ~~from~~ from him in no.
no. 999A-1 & 4. 4. 18.

(for which Mr. Steele
has originally proposed)

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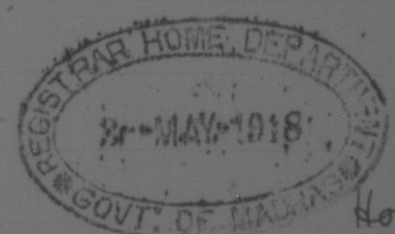
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DPI has already reported on
that vacancy. However another vacancy
has since arisen.

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Later
for 3. 5. 18.



Home Edu Dept.

The file may now be ~~submitted to the~~ recorded. A draft order is placed below.
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