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Backward classes.

Communicating to the Collector of South Kanara the views of the Director of Public Instruction on the subject of the inclusion of the "Kaveri Konkanaatha" community in the list of----- and communities mentioned in rule 15 of the Grant-in-aid Code.

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Subject.

Kaveri Konkanastha Community.

Recommending that the ----- may be recognized as a backward community in educational matters.

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Dis. No. 2950 D/Rev. 18.

Station Mangalore , Dated the 2nd October 1918

From (Name) Lionel Vibert, Esquire, I.C.S.,

(Designation) Collector of South Kanara.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Home (Educational) Department.

Through the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
Sir,

I have the honour to submit a copy of petition ----- received by me from the members of the "Kaveri Konkanastha" Community requesting that the community may be recognized - as a backward class so that their school going children may be admitted to the concession of paying only half fees in - all aided and private schools, and to select competent ---- members to represent the interests of the community in the Local Boards, Municipal Councils and the Bench of Magistrates. This small community is to be found chiefly in the Kasaragod and Uppinangady Taluks and scattered in the Udipi and -----

Mangalore Taluks, and numbers about four to five hundred --- persons in all. They are mostly petty traders and are not referred to in the District Manual probably because of their insignificance. One member of the community rose to the -- position of a Tahsildar, but he retired long ago. At present the community possesses one Revenue Inspector, two or three clerks in Government service and two Law Graduates practising at Kasaragod. The community is no doubt backward in education. Their request for recognition as such therefore ---- deserves favourable consideration.

As regards their representation on the Local Boards, Municipal Councils and bench of Magistrates, it will be ---- considered when a suitable opportunity occurs.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. M. Ambekar
S/x
For Collector. 10

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To

The Collector of South Kanara,

Mangalore.

Petition from the members of the Kavery Konkanaastha Community of South Kanara District, Dated 25th July 1918

The petitioners humbly represents as follows:-

1. That your Honour's petitioners are members of the ---- 'Kavery Konkanaastha' Community, backward in education and -- absolutely dependent for its very existence upon the good will of other communities favoured by fortune.
2. That the petitioners beg to represent the community of which they are members and beg to approach your Honour realising their helpless situation which threatens their very ---- existence as a community.
3. That the petitioners have decided to put forth their --- joint endeavours with a view to ameliorate the condition of their poor community.
4. That their entire community counts within its fold not over 425 residing in the District as particularised in the
----- margin.
Kasaragod Taluk --225.
Mangalore Taluk-- .50
Uppinangadi Taluk 100
Udipi Taluk---- 50

Total-425.

5. That a few of the -- members of the said ---- community earn their -- bare subsistence by working as Gumasthas under Vakils of other communities and a few as petty traders both these professions are not calculated - at any time to advance the status of the community.
6. That the literate section forms a small minority of -- the total number and the literacy of the majority does not extend beyond a superficial knowledge of Kanarese only.
7. That very few of the community can boast of being in -- Government Service. At present, there are only three members of the said community one as Revenue Inspector and the other two as Taluk Clerks. The Revenue Inspector's post is the highest pinnacle any member of this community has been able

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(C.No.2581-A) From the Collector of South Kanara,

No.2950 dated the 2nd October 1918.

Endt. of the D.P.I. N.R.C.No.8482 dated the 18-10-18

Subject:- Inclusion of the 'Kaveri Konkanaatha' community in the list of backward classes and communities mentioned in rule ¹⁵ of the Grant-in-Aid Code.

With reference to the D.P.I's endorsement on p.5 c.f. attention is solicited to G.O.1327 Edl., dated 24-11-14 which, on the recommendation of the Director, sanctioned the inclusion of the Devalkar community of the South Kanara district in the list of backward classes specified in rule ¹⁵ of the Grant-in-Aid Code. The Devalkar community was then reported to number only from about 100 to 200 to 300 persons. In the case now under consideration - the Kaveri Konkanaatha community - the total number is reported to be 400 to 500. There are also other classes included in rule ¹⁵ of the Grant-in-Aid Code which are numerically insignificant e.g., Kadan (399) and Gudigada (227):

2. The question of the revision of ^{the list of} backward classes is now under consideration in connection with the recommendations of the Education ^{at} Conference held in March 1916 - please ^{see} paras 44 to 47 of the printed yellow notes below.

3. For orders whether the Director's views may be concurred in and ^acopy of his endorsement communicated to the Collector of South Kanara.

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