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[Despatch Abstract.]

Dyes.-

Informing Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura, that the Government are not prepared to make any further recommendations on their behalf in regard to the supply of dyes from the United Kingdom.

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CHARI & RAM,

East Gate, Madura,

S. INDIA.

Telegraphic Address:-

"Thamarai", Madura.

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Madura, 30th April 1918.



The Secretary,

Revenue Department,

Government of Madras,

Madras.

Sir,

Ref: Our letter of the 13th March 1918 re:Alizarine Dye.

We have the honour to own receipt of a communication from the Collector of Madura whereby we learn that 'the Government of India have addressed His Majesty's Secretary of State for India with a view to facilitate the supply of the dye'.

While thanking you for this piece of information, we would point out that it were better if some more particulars had been given us and a little more prompt attention had been paid to our application. For, as we have repeatedly pointed out in our letters, in business, especially in these abnormal times, the delay caused by official routine is highly disadvantageous to traders like ourselves.

We would like to know whether the Government of India have cabled to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India on the subject and have required a reply by cable, as had been requested by us. And, if the Government of India have not communicated by cable, and have only addressed a letter as per routine, we would request you that His Majesty's Secretary of State for India might be communicated with by cable at once on the subject.

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In this connection, we beg to enclose herein the copies of communication exchanged recently between Messrs. Best & Co, Ltd., Madras, and ourselves. We do not believe that you can interpret the attitude of Messrs. Best & Co, Ltd. in any other way than that they favour the exclusive profiteering of one lucky party. We do not see why Messrs. Best & Co, Ltd. should refuse to do business in dyes with us, though we have often approached them, and why they should decline to give us the informations sought for by us.

Again, their contractor whom we asked by letter, at the suggestion of Messrs. Best & Co, Ltd., whether he would supply any quantity of Alizarine red to us and what price he would quote, has not even condescended to reply, in spite of our two reminders. It is this contractor in favour of whom they decline to do any business in dyes with us.

The refusal cannot be considered as favouring profiteering.

Best & Co. are not to be supplied.

direct and not a step to profiteering.

The reply is in hand.

(Copy)

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6 Nor can it be said that we are inexperienced in this line of business. During the pre-war days of competition in Alizarine Red, the said contractor of Messrs. Best & Co, Ltd., was not able to work successfully in the competition; while, Mr. A. R. Rangachari, our partner, as a representative of Messrs. Meister, Lucius & Bruning Ltd, did immense business, which fact can be testified to by records. This fact is not unknown to Messrs. Best & Co, Ltd, and yet, with our firm, they would not do any business in dyes, in spite of our repeated offers.

2 In this connection, we would like to mention that for the ~~best~~ establishment of a lasting, successful ^{after-the-war} ~~and wide~~ market for the products of British Alizarine Co, Ltd., in India, Messrs. Best & Co, ought to have availed of the offer made by us and supplied us at least with what little quantity they could spare, of Alizarine red. It is the best way to further the interests of the British manufacturers in London, above referred to, and we regret the attitude taken by Messrs. Best & Co, regarding it. As we have got a large clientele of consumers ~~and~~ of the dye products, it would have afforded a good opportunity for our introducing the new British product to them, which will eventually stand in good stead, after the war, when there will be the keenest competition in the field.

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the latter is selling it, and also whether he has sold or is selling
it at all in Madras and its districts for which territory he is the
contractor.

Under these circumstances, we have the honour to request
you to do your utmost to enable us to import Alizarine red direct
from England.

We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servants,

A. Sundarajan

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Your most obedient servants,

A. K. Chatterjee

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Rev-DEPARTMENT.

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CURRENT No. 732 G

From Messrs, Chari & Ram
Madras

Received 3 - 5 - 1918. Registered 4 - 5 - 1918.

Subject.

(Copy of Communication dated the 24th March, 1918 from
Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura, to Messrs. Best and Co., Madras)

We learn that you have received or are likely to receive
some quantity of Alizarine Red of the British Alizarine Co. Ltd.,
London. Will you please let us know ~~that~~ quantity you have
received or are likely to receive, ~~and~~ what quantity you can
spare for us and what your quotation is.

An early reply will greatly oblige

(Copy of Communication dated the 27th March, 1918 from
Messrs. Best and Co., Madras, to Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura.)

In reply to your letter of the 24th instant we have to
inform you that we hold no advice from the British Alizarine
Co., Ltd. that they are sending forward any Alizarine Red.

(Copy of Communication dated the 29th March, 1918 from
Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura to Messrs. Best and Co.,
Madras.)

We are in receipt of your letter of the 27th instant.
We had a report just a week ago that a lot of Alizarine
Red with Marks "B.A. & Co." and "K.V. Ramachari, B.A." on the
casks had arrived at Madras. Your letter falsifies that report
and we take your letter tells the truth.

At any time that you may receive alizarine red, please
remember us and intimate to us of the fact so that we may take
some quantity.

(Copy of Communication dated the 2nd April, 1918 from
Messrs. Best and Co., Madras, to Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura.)

In reply to your letter of the 29th ultimo we have to
advise that ~~that~~ the consignment of Alizarine Red referred to
in your letter is probably the one received for Messrs. K.V.
Ramachari and Sons. We ourselves have no stock or any advice
from the British Alizarine Co., Ltd. that they are sending
forward fresh supplies.

(Copy of communication dated 3rd April, 1918 from Messrs. 6

Chari and Ram, Madura, to Messrs. Best and Co., Madras)

We thank you for your letter of the 2nd instant and the² kind information given therein. May we request you to let us know what quantity has been received for Messrs. K.V. Ramachari and Sons?

We know that Messrs. K.V. Ramachari and Sons were your contractors for Alizarine Red before the war. Do they continue to be your contractors? Will you please let us know ^{when} their last contract was entered into and for what quantity of Alizarine Red, if there exists a contract? May we know if you can entertain a contract from us for any decent quantity of Alizarine Red to be supplied in instalments according as it is convenient to the manufacturers? In this connection, may we tell you that the German manufacturers before the war entertained such contracts but did not grant a monopoly to the contractor, except for the label? Similar arrangements can be made by you, is it not? To enlist our co-operation, in as much as the undersigned has the experience of having represented a premier German firm and having sold a lot of Alizarine Red during the years of his representation, will surely be of advantage ^{to} to you, besides such business that we do being profitable to ourselves.

We commend this our proposal to your best consideration and hope that you will arrive at a conclusion that will lead to business

Hoping to have a detailed and favourable reply,

^{25th April '18.}
(Copy of Communication from Messrs. Best and Co., Madras to Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura.)

We are in receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant and regret that we are unable to give you the information asked for.

We are not in a position to do business in dye at present.

(Copy of communication dated 3rd April, 1918 from Messrs. Best and Co., Madras to Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura.)

We are in receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant. We had a report just a week ago that a lot of Alizarine Red with Marks "A.A.S. Co." and "K.V. Ramachari, B.A." on the cases had arrived at Madras. Your letter informs that report and we take your letter to be the truth.

In reply to your letter of the 2nd instant we have to

(Copy of Communication dated the 2nd March, 1918 from Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura to Messrs. Best and Co., Madras.)

At any time that you may receive Alizarine Red, please advise that such the consignment of Alizarine Red referred to in your letter is precisely the one received for Messrs. K.V. Ramachari and Sons. We ourselves have not stock or any advice from the British Alizarine Co., Ltd. that they are sending forward fresh supplies.

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MADRAS DEPARTMENT.

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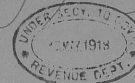
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Subject



Alizarine dyes.

Submitting a petition from Messrs Chari & Ram, Madura about ---

ENCLOSURES.

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Station Madura.

Dated the 11th May 1918.

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From (Name) G.F. Paddison Esq., M.A., I.C.S.,
 (Designation) Collector of Madura.

To the ~~Chief~~ Secretary to the Government of Madras
 Rev. Secy

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith a petition dated
 the 29th April 1918 from Messrs. Chari & Ram, Madura.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

22 May 1918
 For Collector.

C.M. / 11-5-18.

To Under Secy

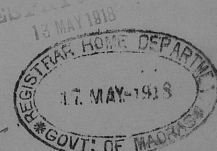
The letter received directly from Messrs Chari & Ram on the same subject has been sent to the Home (80ⁿ) Dept for disposal. Submitted that this current also may be sent to the Dept for necessary action.

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Madura, 29th April 1918.

The Collector

of

Madura.

Sir,

Ref: Your letter No. 1307/Rev. of 1918 dated 11th instant.

In your letter under reference it is stated that 'the Government of India have addressed His Majesty's Secretary of State for India with a view to facilitate the supply of the dye' (alizarine dye).

We would like to know whether the Government of India have cabled to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India on the subject and have required a reply by cable. We have pointed out in our previous letters that in business, especially in these abnormal times, there is no time for routine, as the consequent official delay will be highly disadvantageous to traders like ourselves.

So, if the Government of India have not cabled already, we have the honour to request ~~xam~~ that they may be requested to cable at once on the subject.

Besides, in your communication under reference, we are not told what kind of facility has been recommended to be afforded. We trust that the Government of India have very strongly recommended our case to grant the necessary license to have the Alizarine red exported

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We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servants,

A. K. Sundararaman

CHARI & RAM.

Subject Supply of Algaunine dyes. 11

pp 1-6 of No. 232 G. From Messrs Chari & Ram of 30.4.18

To Under Secy.

Please See pp. 1-6 of. With reference

to paras 1-4 of the letter app 1-2 of, attention is invited to the letter in go. no. 374-5 Rev of 30.1.18 in which the Govt of India were requested to send a cable to the Secy of State urging the grant of license to Messrs Chari & Ram to export dyes. The Govt of India, however, sent a letter to the India office on 22.3.18 enquiring whether such license cannot be granted for the export of the dyes required by the firm. They also pointed out to the Secy of State the evils arising from monopolies which the present restrictions tended to create in India. This was communicated to the firm in go. no. 1299 Rev of 4.4.18. Messrs Chari & Ram now request that a cable may be sent urging the grant of a license to them to export the Algaunine dyes.

2 In this connection it is submitted that the British Algaunine Company are now sending supplies of the dyes in question to Messrs Best & Co., Madras and the latter firm is now concerting measures in communication with Mr. Jones to sell the dyes at cost price plus freight & other charges.

CHARI & RAM

No. 1101

Exporters of
Algaunine Dyes
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for us by our exporters in England.

We have the honor to be,

Yours,

Your most obedient servant,

[Signature]

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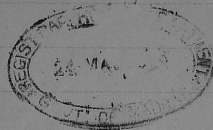


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to the consumers in this Presidency without the intervention of any intermediary. This question is ~~now~~ under consideration in the Home (SD) Dept^y. As the object of the War Trade Dept^y in restricting the export of the dyes to only a few firms is to prevent profiteering and as the firms who import the dyes are required to prove that they have sold only to actual consumers and as this is at present being undertaken by Messrs Best & Co in this Presidency, it is doubtful whether any further communication from this side will induce the Home Govt to issue a separate license ^{Messrs} to Chari & Ram. No further action appears therefore necessary.

3 The refusal of Messrs Best & Co to do any business at present in dyes with Messrs Chari & Ram referred to app^y 2-4-18 is not ~~done~~ to favour Messrs K. V. Ramachandran & Sons and encourage profiteering but to prevent profiteering and sell the dyes direct to the actual consumers as stated in para 2 of the note above. Perhaps this letter of Messrs Chari & Ram may be sent to the Home (SD) Dept^y with the request that the present ^{about the supply of dyes} position ^{& them} maybe explained ^{to them} and the firm told that in these circumstances ^{this} Govt do not consider it necessary to address again ^{the India office for the issue of a separate license to them} the India office for the issue of a separate license to them.

DS
8.5.18



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S. The tone of the letter is verging on
impertinence. Home (13th) may be asked to
make it clear to the applicants that in the
absence of action of affairs, he must take his
chances with other styles.

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8/5/18

SK
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Home Dept. no

Rev. no 732 C/18-1.

11-5-18
Home (13th)
C. no 1242 A
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Home (13th) accepted

A draft order is submitted for
approval

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8/5/18

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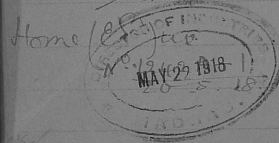
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Here is an allegation of profiteering
against K. Ramakrishna Co. The consignment
referred to is probably the last lot of
the prewar contract.

However the Genl. of the day of mourning
had better see the file and the proposed
order

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Mr. Immes (in)

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It is not the first time
that this firm has adopted
the unbusinesslike course on
the subject of dyes. Note
is taken to the Privy
Council of the 7th 13th
Jan'y.

269 G.C.
18.2.18.

2. I suggest that in
replying to the firm
it is best for Govt. to
lay their cards on the
table and to say
that they understand
that 50 casks of 20%
hasli have just arrived
for Messrs. Best & Co. in
Madras. The B. N. Co.
has stipulated that the
dye shd. be distributed
direct to dyes, and
the Board of Trade issuing
a certificate from Messrs.
Best & Co. to this effect.
Govt. have been asked to
cooperate with the firm
in distributing the dye
at very low prices direct to

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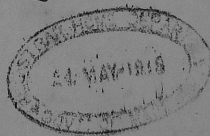
days and measures are
being concerted with
his object in view. They
are informed that a
B. A. Co. looks to be
able to send out supplies
supply in future, and
in a few days they
can not make any further
representations on a formal
behalf.

Calumet

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Sept 26. 8

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Home (25th) Dept
A ^{reviewed} draft order in accordance
with the Bureau's note on page 4
and 5 supra is submitted.

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27/18/18.

HK
28/18/18

S. J. L. M.
31/7/18

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10/11/18

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my 27/9/18



are not prepared to make any further recommendations on their behalf in regard to the supply of-----from the United Kingdom.

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C. No. 1242A, From the Messrs. Chari & son, No. _____, dated 30th April 1918.
Madura.

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No. 704, dated 11-1-191

Mis.

The Government understand that 50 casks of 20 per cent alizarine paste have ^(in ~~indras~~) already arrived from England for Messrs. Best and Co. The British Alizarine Co. ⁽ⁱⁿ⁾ has, in ^{forwarding} sending the consignment, stipulated that the dye should be sold direct to actual dyers and the Board of Trade in England also requires a certificate to this effect in respect of each consignment. Messrs. Best and Co. have requested the Government to co-operate with them in distributing the dye direct to dyers and certain arrangements have been sanctioned. ^{His end.} ~~to secure the object in view.~~ The dyes ^{with} ~~are~~ to be sold at very low prices as compared with ^{current} ~~the~~ market rate.

3. The Government also understand that the British Alizarine Company hopes to be able to send Messrs. Best and Co.

regular supplies of dyes in future subject
to the condition mentioned above. In the
circumstances they are not prepared to make
any further representations as requested by
Messrs. Chari and Ram, Madura.

S.Y.
27-1-18.

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To

Messrs. Chari and Ram,

M A D U R A.

Recd 10/7/18
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READ AGAIN G.O. No.
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ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

PATENT NOT FILED UP, BEING MEANT FOR DESPATCH
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