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Rao, typist and shorthand writer of the Kistna District
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Subject.

Forwarding to Government a memorial from S. Rangadhama Rao, typist and shorthand writer of the District Court, Kistna, for exemption from the Examination Rules and from passing the special tests.

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Station Madras, Dated the 10th October 1919. 191

From (Name) S. Rangadhama Rao, Esquire, (Solicitor)

(Designation) Deputy Registrar, High Court.

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

Sir,

I am directed to forward for the orders of His Excellency the Governor in Council, a memorial, dated the 10th September 1919, from S. Rangadhama Rao, typist and shorthand writer of the District Court, Kistna, praying for permanent exemption from the Examination Rules and from passing the special tests.

2. A copy of a letter D. No. 5973, dated the 10th September 1919, from the District Judge, Kistna, forwarding the memorial is enclosed.

As per

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Registrar.

P.S.
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Copy of letter D.No.5973 dated the 10th September 1919, from
the District Judge, Kistna.

I have the honour to forward the application of S. Rangadhama
Rao, typist and shorthand writer of the District Court, for favour-
able consideration.

2. There are two requests: the first to be placed on a
footing with Matriculates and School Final Candidates and declared
eligible for the same posts as persons who have passed such exa-
minations. This may, in my opinion, be kindly granted, as he is
quite equal to passed candidates in every way and has the special
merit of having passed the Advanced test in both shorthand and
typewriting. The other request is to be exempted at his age from
passing all special tests. I recommend that permission may be
given him to appear for all the special tests.

P.S.

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To

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL,
Fort St. George, Madras.

Through

THEIR LORDSHIPS THE JUDGES OF
THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE,
Madras.

Through

J.J. COTTON, Esq., M.A., I.C.S.,
District and Sessions Judge, Kistna,
Masulipatam.

The humble representation of S. Rangadhama Rao, Typist and
Shorthand-Writer, District and Sessions Court, Kistna, Masulipatam.

Most humbly Showeth:

That your Excellency's humble memorialist
has been typist for the last 16½ years. He has passed Type-
writing Advanced and also Shorthand Advanced, which indicate
that he has a thorough knowledge of both the systems.

2) Your memorialist as a typist and shorthand-writer has
been drawing Rs. 35 + 40; and the shorthand allowance, which was
hitherto a mere allowance, has recently been made pensionable.

3) Your memorialist was also tried in other important
branches of Court work as Accountant, Examiner and Sessions
Bench Clerk and he is conversant with those duties.

4) Previous Judges such as Messrs. Elwin, Dutt, Braidwood
and Coleridge, who had seen his work and were pleased with it,
recommended his case to Government for exemption, he being a
failed Matriculate; but the Government declined to exempt him,
vide their latest Order No. 372-Mis. (Educational Department),
dated 1st May 1912, on the ground that his application dis-
closed no new grounds.

5) He now submits that under the clause relating to the natives of India, noted in the Public Service Notification - ② published at page 282 of the Fort St. George Gazette, Part 1-B., dated 29th April 1919, he may be exempted on satisfying Government that he has studied up to Matriculation. The enclosed certificates will, it is hoped, satisfy the Government on that point. He has not joined any school since 1903.

6) As the strain of constant typewriting affects him from time to time with writer's cramp, and as he anticipates in the future that he may not always be able to continue as a typist, his further humble submission is to be transferred to the regular line and be exempted at his age which is 40 from passing the Special Tests (Civil and Criminal) for holding higher posts in the ministerial branch of the Judicial Service. The enclosed testimonials will serve to show that he possesses experience of office work and knowledge of English which would entitle him to venture to claim the exemption which he now seeks.

Your Excellency's most humble
and obedient servant,

Masulipatam, |
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Recommendation of E.B. Elwin, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

"In forwarding herewith for the favourable consideration of the High Court an application from S. Rangadhama Rao, Typist of this Court, for exemption from passing the Matriculation Examination to enable him to appear for the Departmental Tests, I have the honour to state that I consider his case a fit one for such exemption being granted, as by character and other qualifications he deserves every encouragement."

2.

Recommendation of A.C. Dutt, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

"In forwarding herewith an application from S. Rangadhama Rao, Typist of this Court, for exemption from passing the Matriculation Examination or the compulsory portion of the Upper Secondary Examination, I have the honour to state that I agree with Mr. Elwin. I may here state that a Shorthand-typist is generally very useful in a Civil Court. The District and Sessions Judge always has a Shorthand-Writer attached to his Court; but such Shorthand-Writer is generally not a typist as well. A Shorthand-typist can take down a judgment in Shorthand and transcribe it neatly with a typewriter. A neat transcription always facilitates corrections. The Sessions Judge can give a special allowance to the Shorthand-Writer attached to his Court and he therefore has no difficulty in securing a Shorthand-Writer. Sub Judges
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and District Munsifs are not allowed to do so, although many of them distate their judgments. I know of at least one Sub Judge who complained to me that he had no Short-hand-Writer in his Court. If the exemption applied for is granted, I have little doubt that the applicant would be very useful to one of the subordinate Courts, if he is transferred to the regular line."

3.

Recommendation of H.L. Braidwood, Esq., B.A., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

"In compliance with the request contained in your letter Ref. on Cur. No.1470/10, dated the 6th May 1910, I have the honour to enclose the application of S. Ranga-dhama Rao, Typist of this Court, for exemption from Ex-amination Rules.

I have nothing to add to the strong recommendations of my predecessors, copies of which are forwarded herewith."

4.

Recommendation of F.A. Coleridge, Esq., I.C.S., Dis- trict Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

"I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the typist of this Court to His Excellency the Governor-in-Council, applying for exemption from the Ex-amination Rules.

Recommendation of M.B. Kishore, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

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and District Judges are not allowed to do so, although many of them disavow their judgments. I know of at least one District Judge who complained to me that he had no Short-Hand-Writer in his Court. If the exemption applied for is granted, I have little doubt that the applicant would be very useful to one of the subordinate Courts, if he is transferred to the regular line."

Recommendation of H.M. Braithwaite, Esq., B.A., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

"In compliance with the request contained in your letter Ref. No. 1470/10, dated the 28th May 1910, I have the honour to enclose the application of S. Nanga-rama Rao, Typist of this Court, for exemption from Examination Rules. I have nothing to add to the strong recommendations of my predecessors, copies of which are forwarded herewith."

Recommendation of F.A. Coleridge, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, to the High Court.

"I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the Typist of this Court to His Excellency the Governor-in-Council, applying for exemption from the Examination Rules."

He has already been twice recommended for exemption by my predecessors in office. I venture to enclose copies of their letters.

So far as his work is concerned I can say he is a first class typist and is also a trained Shorthand-Writer. I do not use him for the work as I have another Shorthand-Writer, but my predecessors were in the habit of dictating judgments to him, which he took down, I believe, to their full satisfaction.

His knowledge of English is good and he would be perfectly able to do any work that is likely to fall to his lot in the Regular line of a Court's Establishment. His conduct is exemplary."

5.

Recommendation of F.A. Coleridge, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, on his application for the Shorthand-Typist's place on Rs.70/ in the office of the Resident, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Forwarded.

The applicant is an excellent typist, accurate and rapid, and he knows Shorthand well enough to take down dictated judgments with accuracy.

A teacher was recently required for the College here and this man was selected out of many applicants and the High Court has allowed him to instruct out of office hours. His writing is very neat and he is thoroughly trained in the work of a Court.

He seeks the appointment as the pay is better than anything he can ever get in this Department."

S. Nangarama Rao

Hme (2nd) Dept

Co. 1972 B- From the Dy Registrar, High Court

No 3057/1972 Co-60

Subject: - Exemption from examination rules

The applicant submitted a memorial in 1909 praying that he might be exempted from the examination rules so as to enable him to appear for the Special tests. The Court declined to grant the request mainly on the ground that the High Court had made no special recommendation on his behalf - Co No 225 (2d) / 1909. The request was renewed in 1910 and 1912 with the same result. He then now requests (1) that he may be granted a general exemption from the provisions of Art. 1 of the Public Service Notification and (2) that he may be exempted from passing the civil judicial and criminal judicial tests.

The High Court generally makes no recommendation: it simply forwards applications for exemption. In the

Co No 91 (2d) / 1910

25.12.10

" " 372 (2d) / 1912

para 5 & 6 of the memorial. H. 3-4 cf

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His knowledge of English is good and he would be perfectly able to do any work that is likely to fall to his lot in the regular line of a Court's establishment. His conduct is exemplary."

Recommendation of P.A. Coleridge, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge, Kistna, on his application for the shorthand-typist's place on R.S. 70 in the office of the Resident, Hyderabad, Decemr.

Forwarded. The applicant is an excellent typist, accurate and rapid, and he knows shorthand well enough to take down dictated judgments with accuracy. A teacher was recently required for the College here and this man was selected out of many applicants and the High Court has allowed him to instruct out of office hours. His writing is very neat and he is thoroughly trained in the work of a Court.

He seeks the appointment as the pay is better than anything he can ever get in this Department."

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* Vile p. 1 and 2

para 2 of the
application p. 3

(D)

But in exceptional cases
they may be exempted
from the examination
rules if they are really
fit for clerical places -
vide G.O. No 654 Tril
dated 6th Sept 1919.

p. 4 of

present case, the D. Judge recommends
the grant of the first request and
also permission to appear for
the special tests. As regards exemption
from the examination rules, it may be
observed that the applicant is a ^(Rs 35 + Rs 40) short
hand typist drawing Rs 75 and a
salary limit will have to be
fixed, which must at any rate be
not less than Rs 75, if it is decided
to grant the exemption applied for.
Attention is invited to Divan Bahadur
Swamikannu Pillai's note at foot
of p. 4 of G.O. No 1653 (Amended), 23-12-1918
from which it would appear that
it is not usual to grant exempt
typists from the examination rules
with a view to enable their transfer

to the clerical line. ^{The point is}
~~whether the present case is such a case~~
~~as to warrant exemption from the examination~~
~~rules. We have granted similar exemption~~
~~in the case of~~ ^{senior clerks & clerks in Board of}

From para 6 of the application
it appears that what the applicant
seeks is exemption from passing rather
than permission to appear for special
tests. Permanent exemption from passing
special tests is granted only in exceptional

exceptional cases. Permission to appear for the tests unaccompanied by exemption from the provisions of Art. 1 of the Public Service Notification would not materially help the petitioner. ~~Disfranchisement in 1901 to the exemption from Art. 1 of the Public Service Notification is not to be the same as the exemption from Art. 1 of the Public Service Notification. The exemption from Art. 1 of the Public Service Notification is not to be the same as the exemption from Art. 1 of the Public Service Notification.~~ The remarks of the judge Sept. may be invited now.

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Just as

- The difficulty in this case is
- 1° Unless the exemption for general qualifications extends up to No 75 parts, it is useless & it will be a hardship to the other members of the Est. if he is so exempted.
 - 2° No special tests, what the clerk wants is exemption. The S. J. requires permission to appear.

The case appears weak, but however this is a matter for

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Homes (Ind.) Dept.

W.

Please see The Education Dept
note on pp. 1-3 ante. Submitted that
this Dept. may agree that the case
for exemption is weak and suggest
rejecting the application.

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24.10.19.

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28.10.19.

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28.10.19.

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28.10.19

Homes (Ind.)

A draft letter is subd.

W.
28.10.19.

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With reference to
Mr. White's letter, R. o. c. No. 305
d/ 10th Oct. 1919, forwarding
an application from the
Dist. Judge of Zivtar on
~~Application~~ for permanent
exemption from the exam-
rules and from passing
the Special tests of S.
Rangadham Rao, typist and

Recd
Mr. [unclear]
[unclear]
3-11-59

and short-hand version of
his court, I am directed
to state that H. S. the
Governor in council
planned requests that he
is unable to sanction the
exemption applied for.
I have to

29.10.09.
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READ AGAIN G.O. No.
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