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Re No. 311/21

Station Madras

, Dated the 24th January 1921

From (Name) R.G. Grieve Esq., M.A.,

(Designation) Ag., Director of Public Instruction

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

LAW (EDUCATION) Department.

Sir,

In submitting herewith the proposals of the Collector
of North Arcot for the formation of a District Educational
Council under the Madras Elementary Education Act 1920, I
have the honour to propose some modifications in accordance
with the general considerations noted in this office letter
Re 155/21 dated 20-1-21, submitting the proposals for the constitu-
tion of District Educational Councils in Kistna and West of
Godaveri.

2. The constitution of the Council may be as detailed
below.

Ex-

Ex-Officio 4 Members.

1. President, District Board.
2. Collector of the District
3. Inspector of Schools
4. Assistant Inspector of Schools

Nominated. 4.

1. Sub Assistant Inspectress of Schools — 1
2. Lady — 1
3. One Muhammadan — 1
4. One depressed classes — 1

To be elected by Local Bodies. 13

6. Taluk Boards one each. 6
6. Municipalities one each 6
1. District Board 1

To be elected by Private Bodies. 3

- American Mission 1
- Danish Mission 1
- Roman Catholic Mission 1

Total of elected members 16.

3. As this district contains a large Muhammadan population arrangements if possible may be made for the election of an additional Muhammadan member by such Muhammadan Association as the Collector may suggest. I have already stated in my letter RE 155/12/10.121 submitting the proposals of the Collector of Madras that in the moffussil it seems impossible for Teachers' Associations to elect members. I do not therefore ~~not~~ propose the representation of Teacher-Managers.

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

Rm Sams
22.1.21
for Director of Public Instruction.

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Constitution of Educational Council under the
Madras Elementary Education Act of
1920.

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Station Vellore, Dated the 7th January 1921.

From (Name) M.R.Ry., P. Sitaranayya Gera, M.A.,

(Designation) Collector of North Arcot.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Educational) Department, Madras.
Through the Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

Your Memorandum No. 3605-A-1 dated 17-12-1920
Government Home (Educational) department.

In reply to the above I have the honour to submit the following recommendations regarding the constitution of a district Educational Council for North Arcot. I have had the full benefit of a discussion with M. R. Ry., M. S. Ramaswami Ayyangar Avergal, Inspector of Schools, who has just retired from service.

2. Appropriate maximum strength for the Council.

The President of the District Board, Collector of the district, the Inspector of schools and the Assistant

How many schools? "Prot. missions"

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Inspector of Schools will ex-officio be members of the Council. They will be four in all. The District Board will elect another member besides its President. Each of the six Taluk Boards at Tiruvannamalai, Ranipet, Cheyyar, Vellore, Tirupathur and Polur and each of the Municipalities at Tiruvannamalai, Vellore, Wal-lajapet, Gudiatham, Vaniyambady and Tirupathur will elect a member. There will be twelve. The Arcot American Mission, the Danish Mission, the Roman Catholic Mission which manage several elementary schools will have each an elected representative. There are 42 teachers' associations in this district, with 1644 members. They may be divided into two groups and be given the right of electing a member to the council. The Act seems to contemplate the representation only of the managers of elementary schools. The teachers' associations include not only the managers of schools who are also teachers therein but also other teachers who are only assistants not having anything to do with the management. Either the Manager-teachers have to be formed into an artificial constituency to elect a representative or all the teachers whether managers or not-- have to be given the privilege. To prevent the actual workers from being neglected by a body composed wholly of employers of teachers it seems to me to be most advisable to take the teachers' associations as they are, divide them into two groups and allow them to elect two members to the Council. The total number of elected members will thus be eighteen. The Mohamedans may have three representative, Panchamas and Kalkalars one each. The Sub Assistant Inspectress of Girls' schools may be nominated as a lady member to give advice about female education. The council will thus be composed of

- 4 ex-officio members,
- 6 nominated members including the Sub Assistant Inspectress,
- 18 elected members.

As Required by section 5 subsection (7) of the Madras Elementary

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Education Act 1920 the number of six members appointed by the Governor in Council will thus not exceed one fourth of its total strength of twentyfour after excluding the four ex-officio members. The missions noted in the margin have not been considered to be entitled to representation in view of the small number of

	Number of schools	schools managed by them.
London Mission	7	There is another aspect of the question which deserves serious consideration.
United Evangelical Lutheran Mission	15	Opinions will hardly differ about the necessity of having experienced educationists on a body intended to look after education. Those who have borne the brunt of grappling with the problem firsthand will have much of useful
American Protestant Mission	7	
Church of Scotland Mission	14	
Church of Scotland Lutheran Mission	3	
Wesly Mission	1	

advice to give for a solution of the same on progressive lines. Gentlemen who have been Headmasters for long in High Schools with Elementary schools as part of the institutions which they have been working would be acquisitions to the educational council. As the Act recognises only the managers of recognised elementary schools as being entitled to form part of a Council the teachers of High Schools will have no place therein unless they are nominated by Government. Their experience will be far more valuable than that of far less educated elementary school teachers. Should this proposition find acceptance, I would venture to recommend that the Headmasters of the Mahant High School at Vellore and Mission High School forming part of the local College be nominated to the Council. This would raise the nominated strength to eight. To satisfy the requirements of section 5, the total strength of the council has to be raised to 36 in order to give us 24 elected members after excluding the four ex-officio members and eight appointed members. The extra six seats may be allotted as below:--

American
One more to the Arcot/Mission, one to the Tirupathur Taluk Board, one to the Ranipet Taluk Board, one to the Vellore Taluk

? They can be elected by 18th managers of Missions
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Too big

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Board, one to the Cheyyar Taluk Board and one more to the teachers' Association which may be divided into three --- groups instead of two as proposed in paragraph 2. For all appearances a board of thirtysix members may be too large. *yes* Considering the necessity to gather experience when principles have to be worked out on so large an area as a district I venture to think that this proposal is a better one than that made to have a council of only twenty eight members. Should the nomination of a Panchama Member be considered to be more of theoretical than practical importance in matters of education the Mohomedans may have 4 members instead of three.

4. As this is an experiment I think it will be advisable to start with a nominated President for the council preferably that of the District Board who is a non official.

5. A statement giving certain details to explain the basis of my proposals is herewith submitted. I have thought it premature to ascertain if the non official members proposed to be appointed by Government are willing to serve on the educational council.

Chandrasekhar
for Collector.

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Statement.

Constitution as proposed in paragraph 2 of this letter.

Ser. No.

Total twentyeight members.

Ex-officio 4 members.

- 1 President, District Board.
2. Collector of the district.
3. Inspector of schools.
4. Assistant Inspector of schools.

Nominated members 6

- 5 Sub Assistant Inspectress of Girls' schools. ✓
- 6 to 8 Three Mohomedans.
- 9 to 10 One Panchama and one Kaikalar (weaver community)

Elected Members--Local authorities. 13

		No. of schools.
11 to 16 One for each of the Taluk Boards of		
	Tiruvannamalai managing	23
	Ranipet do	49
	Cheyyar do	38
	Tirupathur do	64
	Polur do	15
	Vellore do	46

17 to 22 One for each of the Municipalities of

	Tiruvannamalai managing	7
	Wallsjapet do	6
	Gudiyatham do	10
	Vaniyambadi do	6
	Tirupathur do	7
	Vellore do	13

23 One by the District Board.

5 Elected Members--Private bodies.

- 24 The Arcot American Mission one Member managing 69
- 25 the Danish Mission do 34
- 26 The Roman Catholic Mission one Member
- 27 & 28 The Teachers' associations--42 associations

1644 Members.

2 Groups to elect two members.

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Statement.

Constitution as proposed in paragraph 3 of this letter.

Ser. No. Total thirtysix members.

Ex-officio--4 members.

- 1 President of District Board.
- 2 Collector of the district
- 3 Inspector of Schools
- 4 Assistant Inspector of Schools

Nominated Members 8

- 5 Sub Assistant Inspeecress of Girls' schools.
- 6 to 8 Three Mohomedans
- 9 to 10 One Panchama and one Kaikalar (weaver community)
- 11 Headmaster of the Mahant High School, Vellore.
- 12 Headmaster of the Mission High school forming part of the local college, Vellore.

Elected Members --local authorities 17

- 13 to 14 One for each of Taluk Boards of Tiruvannamalai and Polur
- 15 to 22 Two for each of the Taluk Boards of Tirupathur, Rani -pet, Cheyyar and Vellore.
- 23 to 28 One for each of the six municipalities named in the previous ~~1938~~ *Statement*
- 29 One by the district Board.

Elected Members--Private bodies 7

- 30 & 31 Arcot American Mission two members
- 32 Danish Mission one member
- 33 The Toman Catholic Mission one Member
- 34 to 36 The teachers' associations three groups to elect three members.

Note. If at the present stage of panchama education the nomination of a member of that community to the council be considered to be more of theoretical than practical importance the Mohomedan Community may have four instead of three members.

The D.P.I. is not in favour of allowing

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Teachers' Association in the district to elect representatives. He has also not accepted the Collector's recommendation in regard to the nomination to the Council of headmasters of ~~the~~ ^{local} two High schools.

3. The D.P.I's proposals may generally be accepted. It is for consideration whether ~~Govt may~~ ^{not nominate at least one representative of Teacher-managers.} On the 31st March 1920 maintained schools in the district. The number of ~~selected~~ ²³ members will then be ~~23~~ and this will not exceed the proportion fixed in the Act. It is however understood that the taluk boards have been bifurcated into 8.

Collector
4. The ~~Govt~~ recommends that the President of the Council should be nominated by the Government. The point is for orders. North Arcot is not backward.

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My point in getting two representatives for each taluk board is to facilitate the eventual levy of the cen. I would raise the cen. to be levied by 6 & measure above the D.P.I's proposals.

2. It was decided to send a case for election of the President of the Council where we allow it is so my other sto. He is elected.

M. Sec's proposals approved. Part will be nominated

A draft order is dated.

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The taluk boards may be allowed two seats each. He has noted against nomination a

* taken from the P.I. Report

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No. 345, dated 10-3-1921.

~~Mr. P. S.~~

Under Section 445
of the Madras Elementary
Education Act, 1920, the Govt
(Ministry of Education) hereby
constitute a District Education
-al Council for the District
of North Arcot, consisting
of the undermentioned
members: —

(i) Ex-officio members.

Collector of N. Amer. --- 1

Inspt of Schools, VIII circle:

ASR: Inspector of Schools. - -

President, Dist. Board, }
N. Acad. }

~~Q~~ (ii) To be elected

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by the undermentioned local bodies and other agencies

- DIST Board, North Arcot --- 1 ✓
- Six Taluk Boards - (2 each) - 12 ✓
- Six Municipal Councils - (1 each) - 6 ✓
- Muhammadiyah Association in the district to be selected by the Govt. --- 1 ✓
- American Mission --- 1 ✓
- Danuth Mission --- 1 ✓
- Roman Catholic Mission --- 1 ✓

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(ii) To be appointed by the Govt:

~~Sub Assistant Inspector, North Arcot Range~~
~~Woman~~
Muhammadiyah --- 1 ✓

Depressed classes --- $\frac{1}{4}$
Total --- 31

2 The President of the Council will be appointed by the Govt.

3 The President, Dist. Board, North Arcot, The President of Taluk Boards in the Dist.

The Chairman of Municipal Councils in the Dist.

US requested to take early steps for the election of the authorized number of members to the Council and to report to Govt. before the 24th inst. The names (in full) of the persons elected for notification in the

the Govt. Sh. George Gazette.

4 The Inspector of Schools, VIII circle, will arrange for the election of members to the Council by the other ~~mentioned~~ agencies mentioned in para 1 (ii) above. The names in full of the persons elected by the different agencies should be reported to Govt before the 24th inst.

5 The Govt. approve the proposal that the Sub-Asst. Inspectors of Schools N. Arcot circle should be appointed as members of the Council.

The collector is requested to submit at a very early date his recommendations (a) in regard to the other persons to be appointed by the Govt. under para 1 (iii) above. (b) in respect of the Pres. of the Council S. 3. 1 to be appointed by Govt.

P. T. D, clerks - c. 1395/A

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To the Coll. of N. Arcot c. 1398

- D. P. D.
- P. D. B., N. Arcot
- P. T. B. in the Dist.
- C. M. C. in the Dist.
- Inspector of Schools, VIII circle
- S. G. P. (for publicity of panel)
- Publicity officer
- Gazetted on 15.3.21

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