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Director's proposal to amend the rules so as to provide for grant of aid towards garden tools purchased for elementary schools - Accepted.

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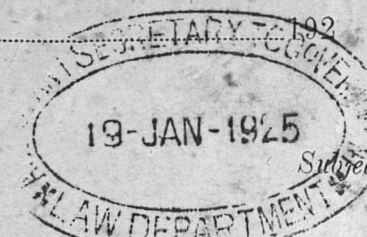
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Station Madras, Dated the 17th January 1925.

From (Name) R. LITTLEHAILES, Esq., M.A.,
(Designation) DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

LAW (EDUCATION) Department.

Sir.

The items for which equipment grants are admissible to Elementary Schools are stated in Rule 2 of Chapter III of the rules issued under section 42(2) of the Madras Elementary Education Act. The penultimate sentence of Clause (1) of this rule provides for plant, materials and tools needed in industrial and technical sections of Elementary Schools. A difficulty has arisen in regard to bringing under this rule, garden tools purchased in Elementary

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Elementary Schools, unless gardening is taught as a specific technical or industrial subject. I submit that schools should be eligible to receive grant for the purchase of garden or horticultural or agricultural tools, even though gardening or horticulture may not be taught as a specific subject and beg to recommend that the rule may be modified accordingly.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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The Government accept the proposal of the D.P.I. that District Educational Councils should be empowered to disburse grants to elementary schools under private management towards the purchase of garden or horticultural or agricultural tools even though gardening or horticulture may not be taught as a specific subject.

2. The following notification will be published in the Fort St. George Gazette:-

Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Madras Elementary Education Act, 1920, the Government (Ministry of Education) propose to make the following amendment to the rules framed under section 42 (2) of the Act. [Any objections or suggestions in respect of

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the proposed amendment will be considered if received before the ^{15th} March 1925:-

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Draft Amendment.

In rule 2 (i) of Chapter III of the rules framed under section 42 (2) of the Madras Elementary Education Act, 1920, and published as notification No. 45, dated 21-2-22 on pages 146-178 of Part I-B of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 21-2-22, before the words 'and for needlework or other art' insert the words 'for the purchase of garden or horticultural or agricultural tools'.

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The D.P.I. (with refce. to his letter No. 82 B/25, dated 17-1-25.)

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Nature 'study' is one of the compulsory subjects in an elementary school and provision for a garden in connection with a school is a necessity. All schemes relating to compulsory education provide for school gardens. Thus, though 'gardening' as such may not be taught in elementary ^{schools,} for purposes of nature-study a garden is a necessary adjunct.

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