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Legislative Council Question

Withdrawal of caste children
from Suramangalam Board Elementary
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QUESTION.—No. 1207

for the meeting of the Legislative

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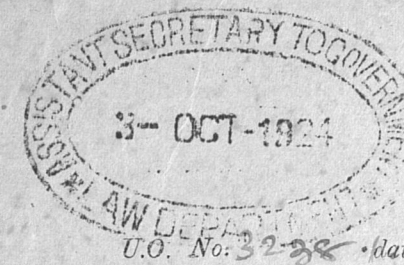
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SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the

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The Question has been admitted.



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Question 26-9-24

Mr. R. Veerian

THE LAW (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT

1207. Will the hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state--

(a) whether my letter dated 29th August 1924 addressed to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Law (Education) Department, Madras, regarding the whole-sale withdrawal of caste pupils from the

Suramangalam Board Elementary School//

in consequence of the admission of
~~on admitting~~ the pupils of the depressed classes ~~into the school~~ has ^{been} already re-
~~ceived the attention of~~ the Government ^{by} ~~and~~

(b) ~~if so~~, whether the Government approve of the ^{principle} ~~policy~~ of separate schools for depressed classes;

(c) the strength of the boys on the 26th August 1924 in the Board Elementary School for boys at Suramangalam as well as in the Girls school who did actually attend on that day;

(d) how many pupils of the depressed classes are reading in both the boys' and girls' schools at present including Muhammadans, Christians and other classes separately at Suramangalam, Salem District;

(e) whether it is a fact that after the announcement by beat of tom tom under the directions of the Kamalapuram village Munsif, Salem district, all caste pupils boycotted the Board school located at Kamalapuram village;

blawse (a)

The letter dated 29-8-24 addressed to Govt. by Mr. Veerian has been received and is under consideration (Please see linked file)

A { || The answer may be 'yes'
= blawse (b) :-

The policy of Govt. is set out in paras 1 and 2 of G.O. No: 329

(B) Home (Edw) D 17-3-1919. The answer may be :-

(B) A { "The Hon^{ble} member is referred to G.O. No: 329 Home (Education) D 17-3-1919 which has been placed on the Editor's Table."

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986. Q. - Mr. R.Veerian: Will the Hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state-

(a) whether my letter, dated 29-8-24, addressed to the Secretary to the Govt. of Madras, Law (Edn) Deptt. Madras regarding the wholesale withdrawal of caste pupils from the Suramangalam Board Elementary School in consequence of the admission of the pupils of the depressed classes has been received by the Government and is receiving attention; and

(b) whether the Government approve of the principle of separate schools for depressed classes?

A - (a) Yes.
(b) The Hon. Member is referred to G.O.No. 329 Home (Edn) dated 17-3-19 which has been placed on the Editor's table.

Mr. R.Veerian:- "With reference to question (b) I find from the Government Order referred to therein that the Govt. do not accept the principle of separate schools for depressed classes. It is further stated in the same G.O.No.329 that out of 8,157 schools run under public management in the Presidency there are only 609 schools into which depressed classes are admitted. May I therefore know, Sir, whether the Hon. the Minister for Education will be pleased to withdraw the grants of the remaining 7,548 schools that are run on sectarian principles" (hear, hear!)

The Hon.Rao Bahadur Sir.A.P.Patro:-

"The principle laid down in the G.O. will be gradually given effect to as cases arise."

Mr.R.Veerian:- "I do not know what is meant by 'gradually giving effect'. Sir."

The final form in which the question was answered is as given above. No further action is necessary. The papers may, it is submitted, be

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