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Affiliated - Special grants for hostel supervision - recommendation
of the Council of Affiliated colleges - Not accepted

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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

No. 4328

SENATE HOUSE, 7 - MAY 1925

Enclosures.

FROM

THE REGISTRAR,
University of Madras.

L. En 1431C
8/5/25

To

The Secretary to Government,
Law (Education) Department.

Sir,

I have the honour, by direction of the Syndicate, to forward, for the favourable consideration of the Government, the following resolution adopted by the Council of Affiliated Colleges at its meeting held on the 16th March 1925:-

That under Section 27 (i)(g) of the Madras University Act of 1923, with a view to the better realization of the object of the Act in the mufassil colleges, the Local Government be requested, through the Syndicate, to give an additional annual grant of Rs.500 to each of the First Grade Affiliated Colleges, and of Rs.300 to each of the Second Grade Affiliated Colleges, that introduce in their hostels for students the system, by which a qualified member of the teaching staff lives on the hostel premises and acts as the warden and tutor of the students in the hostel, the grant being towards the rent of the building occupied by the warden and the allowance for his supervision and tutorial work.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

L. En 1431C
REGISTRAR.

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Law (Edn) Dept

From the Registrar, University of Madras,
No. 4328 dated 7-5-25.

Subject. Grants to affiliated colleges towards
the rent of buildings occupied by Wardens and
the allowances given to Wardens.

The Syndicate recommends that a special grant
of Rs. 500/- a year to each affiliated first
grade college and of Rs. 300/- a year to each
affiliated second grade college may ^{be} sanctioned,

(i) towards the rent of the ^{quarters} buildings occupied
by the Wardens, ^{of hostels,} if they are appointed from among
the members of the teaching staff, and if they
live on the hostel premises and if they do tutorial
work;

and

(ii) towards the allowances for the tutorial
and supervision work done by ^{such} the Wardens.

2. Item (i) above

Under Art. 43 (A) of the Grant-in-aid
Code, grants may be sanctioned by the D.P.I.
towards the rent of buildings used as hostels,
provided satisfactory arrangements have been
made by the management for the supervision of the
students residing therein. The grants shall not
exceed one-half of the net expenditure after
deducting the rent collected from the students.
The rent charges presumably include the rent
of Wardens' quarters also.

Item (ii) above

The amount of teaching grant payable for a
college is fixed by the D.P.I. after taking into
account all the circumstances of the case. It
is not known whether in assessing the grant-in-

Art. 40 of the
Grant-in-aid
Code.

while Art. 40 refers to
second grade colleges as
regulated by rules 32 & 33 of the
Grant-in-aid Code.

in aid ^{the} allowances paid to ^{the} Warden ^{is} taken into account.

3. From the Syndicate's report for the period ending 31st December 1923 it is observed that there were 17th first grade colleges and 26 second grade colleges which maintained hostels. There is no information as to how many of these had members of the teaching staff as wardens who resided in the hostel premises. If it were assumed that all the colleges satisfied the condition specified by the ^{Council of Affiliated Colleges} ~~Syndicate~~, the liability to ^{the Grant} ~~grant~~ would amount to Rs. 16,300 a year.

The file may be sent to the D.P.I. for remarks ^{in the} first instance.

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As regards the Secretariat note the rent charges include the rent for wardens' quarters also and (b) in assessing the grant-in-aid to colleges the allowance paid to the wardens is not taken into account. As regards para 3, the report of the Syndicate includes constituent colleges and on the assumption that all the ^{affiliated} colleges satisfy the conditions the total for Arts Colleges would be, first grade 10, second grade 16. This excludes 3 Government first grade or rather 4 with Palghat and 3 second grade. The cost for these aided first and second grade colleges would come to Rs. 12820. The amount will be enhanced by about Rs. 3000 if Government colleges and the Municipal College, Salem, were included.

It may be observed that the resolution of the Council of Affiliated Colleges does not apply to Constituent colleges but if the concession was given to the Affiliated Colleges it would have to be given to the

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to the Constituent Colleges also, thus increasing the cost. It has also to be observed that the present proposal introduces an entirely new principle. At present the Syndicate does not aid or pay grants to colleges under private management. The grants are distributed by the D.P.I. under the provisions of the Grant-in-Aid Code. Thus if Government accord sanction to the resolution as it stands they will be creating a precedent---a precedent that might have far-reaching results in an increasing number of resolutions passed urging the Syndicate to give monetary assistance for various purposes. Again, the resolution asks for an additional annual grant to such colleges as have a qualified member of the teaching staff living on the hostel premises, a warden with supervision and tutorial work. I do not see myself why additional grants should be given to hostels for satisfying what after all are the minimum requirements of a properly managed hostel, viz., that there should be supervision by a person living in or near the premises and secondly that there should be some provision for tutorial work. A special grant according to a new principle might be justified where the circumstances are exceptional but I do not ^{see} ~~hold~~ that it is justifiable on behalf of institutions satisfying minimum requirements.

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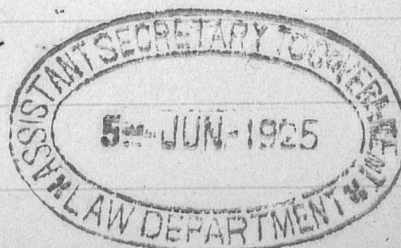
So far as Govt. Colleges are concerned, all the colleges except the second grade colleges at Bombay & Tellicherry are provided with hostels over which supervision is exercised by a member of the college staff. In cases where the warden or Dy. Warden exercising such supervision 'lives in' with students he is also allowed to live in the quarters free of rent. In other cases the principle of giving monetary remuneration has been accepted by the Govt. and detailed proposals for giving effect to this principle are under consideration. As it is, some of them receive remuneration from hostel funds. In regard to aided colleges the D.P. I advises against the acceptance of the resolution of the Council of Affiliated Colleges. The position may be explained to the University. A draft order is submitted.

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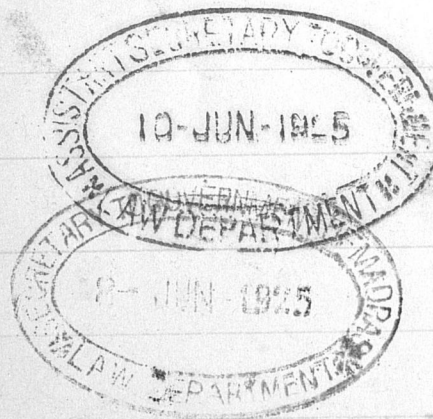


Attention is directed to the note recorded in G.O. No. 247 Ed. II 19th February 1924, especially to Dewan Bahadur Ramachandrarao Rao's instructions at page 3 of the G.O. In this particular case the G.O. is proposed to be addressed to the Registrar as the communication in the current file was addressed by him. If the subject matter of the file is considered to be of sufficient importance the G.O. may be ^{communicated} ~~addressed~~ to the Vice-Chancellor with a covering letter. The despatch entry has been altered accordingly. A formal letter embodying the contents of the G.O. seems to be unnecessary.

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Please fill the usual form of accompanying communication & send -

The draft is added to in pencil - 8/6/25

Colleges

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C. No. 1431 From the Registrar, University of No. 4328, dated 7-5-25 192
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No. 975, dated 11-6-1928

With his letter read above, the Registrar,
~~of the~~ University of Madras, submits for
the consideration of the Govt. the follow-
ing resolution adopted by the Council of
Affiliated Colleges:-

"That under Section 27(1)(g) of the
"Madras University Act of 1923, with a
"view to the better realization of the ob-
"ject of the Act in the mufassil colleges,
"the local Govt. be requested, through the
"Syndicate, to give an additional annual
"grant of Rs. 500 to each of the First
"Grade Affiliated Colleges, and of Rs.300
"to each of the Second Grade Affiliated
"Colleges, that introduce in their hostels
"for students the system, by which a quali-
"fied member of the teaching staff lives
"on the hostel premises and acts as the
"Warden and tutor of the students in the
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"and the allowance for his supervision
"and tutorial work".

2. Affiliated colleges are either ~~xxx~~ maintained by Govt. or are under private management. Institutions of the former category, barring one or two exceptions,

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have hostels attached to them with suitable provision for supervision. The wardens or deputy wardens who exercise such supervision either live "rent free" in the quarters provided for them or receive monetary remuneration. The Govt. do not consider that any further action is necessary in respect of ~~these~~ colleges.

3. Grants to colleges under private management are distributed by the D.P.I. under the provisions of the Grant-in-Aid Code. In the opinion of the Govt. the provision of adequate arrangement for the supervision of hostels attached to ~~aided~~ colleges is a minimum requirement ~~and should be provided~~

~~by managers~~

claim for extra aid. ~~The Govt. consider it is unnecessary to take action in the direction suggested by the University.~~

Ad 2/6/25 V.R. 8/6

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According to the rent of the quarters occupied by the wardens of hostels & they are included in the rent according to the charges in the college.

Vice-Chancellor
To the Registrar, University of Madras
(with ref. to his letter 432 dated 15.5.25)
Copy to the D.P.I.

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though a special grant might be justifiable where circumstances are exceptional.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
10-JUN-1925
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Govt of Madras

Colleges

Affiliated - Special grants for hostel supervision - recommendation of the Council of Affiliated Colleges - Not accepted.

Law (Education) Dept.

G.O. No. 975

Dated the 11th June 1925.

From the Registrar, University of Madras, No. 4328, dated the 7th May 1925.

Order:

With his letter read above, the Registrar, University of Madras, submits for the consideration of the Government the following resolution adopted by the Council of Affiliated Colleges:-

"That under Section 27(1)(g) of the Madras University Act of 1923, with a view to the better realization of the object of the Act in the affiliated colleges, the local Government be requested, through the Syndicate, to give an additional annual grant of Rs 500/- to each of the First Grade Affiliated Colleges and of Rs 300/- to each of the Second Grade Affiliated Colleges that introduce in their hostels for students the system, by which a qualified member of the teaching staff lives on the hostel premises and acts as the Warden and tutor of the students in the hostel, the grant being towards the rent of the building occupied by the warden and the allowance for his supervision and tutorial work".

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supervision. The wardens or deputy wardens who exercise such supervision either live "rent free" in the quarters provided for them or receive monetary remuneration. The Government do not consider that any further action is necessary in respect of these colleges.

3. Grants to colleges under private management are distributed by the Director of Public Instruction under the provisions of the Grant-in-aid Code according to which the rent of the quarters occupied by the wardens of hostels if they live on the hostel premises is included in the rent charges in assessing grant-in-aid to colleges. ² If the opinion of the Government the provision of adequate arrangement for the supervision of hostels attached to colleges of this description is a minimum requirement and should be provided by managers of institutions. The Government therefore consider that it is unnecessary for them to take action in the direction indicated though a special grant might be justifiable where circumstances are exceptional.

(By Order of the Government, Ministry of Education)

for Secretary to Government.

To the Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras
Copy to the Director of Public Instruction.

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