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Department of Education, Health and Lands.

Delhi, the 13th January 1926

From

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Offg. Secretary to the Government of India,

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law (Education) Department.

Report of the Committee on Indian Students, 1921-22.

Sir,

In continuation of this Department letter No. 298, dated the 9th February 1925, I am directed to say that replies have now been received by the High Commissioner for India from all the Universities and Colleges whose opinion was invited by him on the recommendations made in paragraphs 89 and 92 of the Report of the Committee on Indian Students, 1921-22. The replies show that while University and College authorities are generally willing to correspond with University bureaux in India on the subject of the admission of Indian students, exception has been taken by institutions other than the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge to the procedure contemplated in paragraph 92 of the Committee's Report, according to which the list of Indian students desiring admission in any year would be sent in the first place to the two last-named Universities. Further, certain institutions have affirmed the necessity for a central agency in England, while two of them consider that this agency should either form a branch of the High Commissioner's Office or be closely associated with it. In these circumstances the Government of India have accepted a recommendation made by the High Commissioner for India that the existing practice be continued, the Education Department of his office serving as the central coordinating agency in England for the

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