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[Despatch Abstract.]

Establishment - Peripatetic teacher of
music - Post to be retained till 31st December 1926.

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Peripatetic teacher of music for European Schools-

Retention for a further period of one year.

ENCLOSURES.

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R.O.C. No. 1407 E/25

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From (Name) R.Littlehales Esq., M.A.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction

Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law(Education)

Department.

Sir.

The sanction accorded in G.O.No.149 Law(Education) dated 2- 2- 25 for the retention of the post of Peripatetic teacher of Music for European Schools, Madras expires by the end of February 1926 and I have the honour to request the sanction of Government for the retention of the post for a further period of one year with effect from 1- 3- 26. Necessary provision for the purpose has been made in the budget for 1926- 27.

2. Mrs. Craven who holds the post has applied for leave for six months with effect from 15- 1- 26, and the question of the kind and period of leave for which she

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is eligible. is under correspondence with the
Accountant General. The Inspector of European Schools
recommends the grant of leave with no substitute for
the period of her absence. Mrs. Craven wishes to leave
for England in anticipation of the sanction of leave and
I have told her I have no objection to her going but
that the amount of leave to be sanctioned will depend
upon the amount which is due to her under the rules
and subject to the continuance of her appointment in
the post. She expects to return in July.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

A. D. Bower

for Director of Public Instruction

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Law (Education) Department.

From the D.P.I., R.O.C., No. 1407 E/25, dated 11-1-1926.

Subject:--Peripatetic teacher of music for
European Schools--Further retention.

In G.O.No. 728, dated 8-5-25, the Government sanctioned a consolidated pay of Rs. 200 a month for the peripatetic teacher of music. This amount ^{Consists of the following}

(1) For her work in European Schools in the Madras City.	Rs. 150
(2) For her work in the training section of the Presidency Training School for Mistresses, Egmore.	30
(3) Towards conveyance charges.	20
Total	200

2. With the opening of the training school for European and Anglo Indian women at Lovedale, the training section in the Presidency Training School, for European and Anglo Indian Mistresses, has been abolished. The peripatetic teacher ^{has no} ~~work at present in that school.~~ In paragraph 2 of his letter No. 411E/24, dated 22-5-25, the D.P.I. proposed that no reduction should be made in the pay of the ^{teacher} ~~post~~ on account of the exclusion of the Presidency Training School, Egmore from the sphere of ^{her} ~~work of the teacher.~~ The question whether any reduction should be made in the pay of the post was reserved for consideration along with the question of the extension of the tenure of the appointment. The D.P.I. now applies for sanction to the retention of the post for another year from 1-3-26. Presumably his intention is that the pay should continue to be Rs. 200. It is not clear why this pay should not be reduced by Rs. 30 when the work for which this amount was allowed has ceased. Details as to the work now done by the teacher as compared with the work ^{done} ~~by her~~ in previous years have not been furnished. Before considering the proposal further, the Director may be requested ^{to} ~~to~~ justify more fully the necessity for the continuance of the pay of

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of Rs. 200 for the post.

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U.O.Reply No. 1407/2589-226

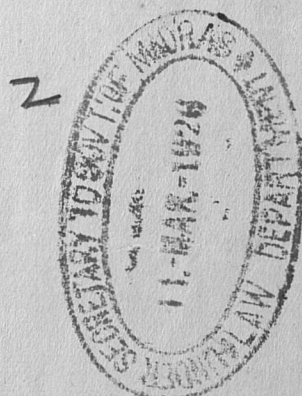
All the teachers of the Presidency Training School, Egmore, who are willing to do so attend the classes which are held every Saturday morning by Mrs.Craven at the Egmore European School's centre.



The Inspector of European schools has furnished me with the details of Mrs.Craven's work for the 8 months April to November 1925. I attach a copy hereto. This statement however does not give her work in schools in the hill stations during May and June where she is fully occupied in Coonoor, Lovedale and Ootacamund.

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The work done by Mrs.Craven fully justifies in my opinion the pay of Rs.200 per mensem. Mrs.Craven is a recognised authority in Madras in the teaching of singing and voice production and I know of no other person with her qualifications and experience available for this work. I know furthermore that the suggestion was made to her to take up work in Bangalore. She refused it however in view of the fact that she had this Government work in Madras as well as her private pupils in this place.



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In the circumstances above stated, this Dept. may agree to the continuance of the pay of Rs.200 for the teacher.

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Summary of Diaries of Mrs. F.M. Craven for the year 1925-26

Name of School Total number of visits.

1. Doveton Boys' High School, Madras	2
2. St.Mary's High School, Madras	1
3. St.Bede's High School, San Thome	3
4. Bishop Corrie High School, George Town	2
5. Civil Orphan Asylum, Kilpauk	20
6. Presentation Convent, Vepery	2
7. Madras Collegiate School, Vepery	1
8. Doveton Girls' High School, Vepery	1
9. Christ Church School, Mount Road	11
10. St.Josephs Boys School, Vepery	11
11. Presentation Convent School, Royapuram	7
12. St.William's School, Royapettah	4
13. St.Thomas Convent School, San Thome	5
14. Presentation Convent Middle School, George Town	1
15. St.Mathias School, Vepery	8
16. St.Antony's School, Pudupet	11
17. St.Mark's School, George town	7
18. St.Francis Xavier's School, George Town	2
19. St.George's Cathedral School, Royapettah	4
20. St.Andrew's School, Egmore	4
21. Church Park Training School, Teynampet (class for mistresses under training)	24

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added to the file for the year 1925-26
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The Law dept. recommend the retention of the post of Peripatetic teacher of music for European schools for a further period of 1 year from 1.3.26 on a pay of Rs 200 p.m. Mrs. Crauer the present incumbent of the post has gone on leave for 6 months from 15.1.26 and it is apparently the intention to keep the post vacant till she returns from leave. The questions for consideration are

- (1) Whether it is necessary to sanction the continuance of the post until Mrs. Crauer returns from leave or until a substitute is appointed in her place.
 - (2) Whether the pay of the post should be reduced from Rs 200 to Rs 170 p.m.
2. Item (1) alone:- Evidently Mrs. Crauer is not a full-time officer of Govt. and it is not clear whether she can draw any leave ^{allowance} under the rules. If there is no idea of filling up the post, there is no need to sanction its retention at present. The question may be taken up along with the question of ^{the} leave allowances to be granted to her, or when it is decided to fill up the post.
3. Item (2) alone. If the suggestion is

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item (i) above is approved, the question of the emoluments to be attached to the post need not be considered now.

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Law (Edm)

The suggestions of Finance may be put to the D.P.I. Draft no. note submitted.

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Law (Education) Department

Subject.- Further retention - Peripatetic teacher of Music for European schools - Correspondence ending with the Director's U.O. No.1407 E/25 dated 9th March 1926.

From paragraph 2 of the Director's letter No.1407 E/25, dated 11th January 1926, it would seem that Mrs. Craven, the present incumbent of the post of peripatetic teacher of music, has gone on leave for six months from 15th January 1926 and that it is the intention to keep the post vacant till she returns from leave. Apparently Mrs. Craven is not a full-time officer of Government and she may not be eligible for any leave allowance under the rules. If the intention is that no substitute need be appointed, it is unnecessary to sanction the retention of the post at present.

The D.P.I. may be requested U.O. to state whether it will not suffice if the further retention of the post is sanctioned with effect from the date of her return to duty.

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U.O.Reply No. 1407E/26 dt 20.4.26.

In the D.P.I's letter quoted in the Secretariat note it was stated that the Accountant-General was being consulted as regards the kind and period of leave for which Mrs. Craven was eligible. The Accountant-General stated that she was eligible for leave on half average pay for four months only from 15-1-1926 provided that no substitute was appointed in her place but that as the sanction for her post ceased on 28-2-1926 she could not be granted leave beyond that date unless the retention of her post beyond that date was sanctioned by Government.

Mrs. Craven was accordingly granted leave on half average pay from 15-1-1926 to 28-2-1926 with permission to prefix 14-1-1926 which was a gazetted holiday. If the retention of the post is not sanctioned with effect from 1-3-1926 Mrs. Craven will lose leave and leave allowance for about 2½ months. Mrs. Craven was first appointed on 14-1-1922 and it therefore seems equitable that after 4 years service she should be able to enjoy the leave allowance for the period of 4 months. This can only be done if the further retention of the post is sanctioned with effect from 1-3-1926.

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In the circumstances explained in the D.P.I's note above the Finance Dept may be requested to agree to the continuance of the post from 1st March 1926.

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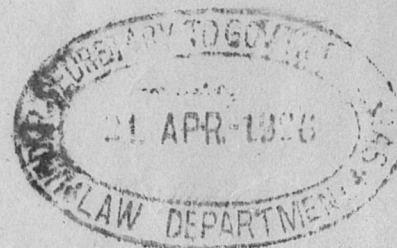
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Finance (E.R.)

Previous Fin. deptt. notes on pp 4-5- ante.

The sanction to the temporary post of Peripatetic teacher of music expired on the 28th Feby. 1926. The ~~present~~ ^{last} incumbent of the post, Mrs. Craven, however, proceeded on leave from 15-1-1926. The post has been kept vacant from that date. She, in consequence, drew leave salary for the period from 15-1-1926 to 28-2-1926 as no substitute was appointed in her place - vide subsidiary rule (1) to F.R.103(c).

2. The D.P.I applies for the further retention of the post for a period of one year from 1-3-1926. It is evident from the D.P.I's note on p.7 ante, that the main object of the proposal is to sanction leave and leave allowance to Mrs. Craven for a period of 2½ months from 1-3-1926.

3. As pointed out in para 1 supra, the post has remained vacant from 15-1-1926. As all the schools have now been closed for the Summer vacation, there is absolutely no necessity for the post until after the vacation i.e. till the middle of June next. It does not, therefore, appear that Fin. can agree to the retention of the temporary post from 1-3-1926 merely for the purpose of enabling Mrs. Craven to draw leave salary for 2½ months from 1-3-1926.

She is only a part time officer and as such she has already been shown a special concession in having been allowed to draw leave salary for the period from 15-1-1926 to 20-2-1926 by keeping the post vacant.

4. Law may be requested to negative the proposal. The question of reviving the post may be considered when the actual necessity therefore arises.

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Law (Govt) to

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The proposal in this file is that the ~~ten~~ period of retention of the temporary post of peripatetic teacher of music for European schools be extended by another year from 1st March 1926. The Finance Department does not accept the proposal, but suggests that the question of the further continuance of the post may be considered when the necessity for it arises and when Mrs. Craven, the incumbent of the post who has gone to England, returns for duty. For orders whether this suggestion may be accepted. Please see the D.P.I.'s note on page 7 ante.

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C₄'s orders may perhaps be taken

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As the D.P.I. points it is only equitable that Mrs Craven should have four months leave with allowances as she has served four years. ✓ T.K.

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C₄ (1) Did the agreement with Mrs Craven contain any leave provisions!

(2) I should like to see the reasons adduced for this appointment. She it was first made.

Dep. Secy to Govt. no 118 B-1
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(1) Draft no. note to the D.P.I. submitted.

(2) After issue of the note, the papers required by C₄ will be put up.

The post was in 1911. Papers are in the file.

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Further retention - Peripatetic teacher of music for European schools - correspondence ending with the D.P.I.'s no. 1407 E/26 of 20.4.26

The D.P.I. may be requested to say whether the agreement with Mrs. Craven contains any provisions as regards leave to the officer. A copy of the agreement may be forwarded to Govt. for information.

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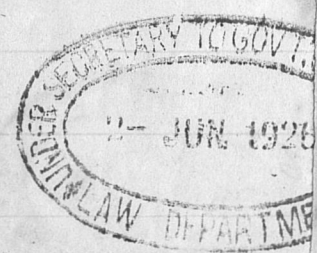
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U.O. Reply No. 1407 E/26 of 29.5.26

Mrs. Craven has executed no agreement since the post of peripatetic teacher of music held by her is only temporary and is renewed each year.

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The appointment of ~~per~~ Peripatchi teacher of music was first made in 1916. When the Committee of the Madras School of music decided in that year to close its school the Director proposed that advantage might be taken to provide for the teaching of singing in European schools by utilizing the services of Miss Hes, the headmistress of the School of music, as peripatchi teacher of singing in Madras. The appointment was first made for one year. Since then it has been retained from year to year.

2. The D.P.O. reports that no agreement has been executed by Mrs. Craven since the post is temporary and renewed from year to year - vide p. 10 ante.

3. The file may be submitted to M.C. with reference to his note on p. 9 ante.

SECRETARY TO GOVT. OF MADRAS
27 MAY 1926
LAW DEPARTMENT

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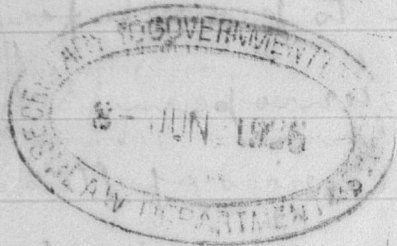
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Is there any real necessity for
the retention of this post?

I shall like to discuss this

with D.P. S. 7/6/26



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D.O. No. 118 B-6 of 9-6-26

My dear Grieve,

Further retention - Post of
peripatetic teacher of music for
European schools - correspondence
ending with your no. note

No. 1407 E/25 of 29-5-26.

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I am desirous to
inform you that the Honble Mr.
Moir would like to discuss with
you the question whether there
is any real necessity for the
retention of this post.

yours sincerely

R. G. Grieve

R. G. Grieve Esq,
M.A.
Ag. D.P.S.

(F.C. may be signed
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Office of the Director of Public Instruc-

tion, Madras, (Camp) Ootacamund,

12th June 1926.

D.O.No.

My dear

Krishnamachari,

with reference to your D.O.No. 118 B-6 dated 9-6-1926

I discussed the question of Mrs. Craven this morning with
the Hon. Mr. Moir and stated that, while I did not consider
the indefinite prolongation of her appointment to be
necessary I thought it undesirable to make a change in the
system of instruction in Music and Singing in the middle
of the European School year. The Inspector of European
Schools who was with me concurred in this view and we
therefore suggested to the Hon. Member that the appointment
might be continued till the end of December and meanwhile
that my recommendation regarding Mrs. Craven's leave might
be accepted.

Yours sincerely,

R. G. Grieve

M. R. Ry. Rao Bahadur

V. T. Krishnama Achariyar Avl., C.I.E.,

Secretary to Government, Law (Edn) Deptt.,
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They also approve
of the action of the D. P. S.
in having granted Mrs.
Craven leave on half
average pay from 15.1.26
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to prefix 14.1.26, and of his
proposal to grant her leave
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the total period of her leave
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