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[Despatch Abstract.]

Instructional rules for the Commission to be established.

Mr. Landon's suggestion for planning the 1/4 of standard.

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Coimbatore, 1.3.26.
26th February 1926. 12°

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Awarding scholarships to all classes of pupils are entirely different from making remission of school fees altogether in the case of forward communities. The same concession of granting full remission of school fees is not at all allowed in the case of depressed classes though they very often ask for same and produce poverty certificates to their Head masters. In order to make matters clear, it should be definitely defined in the matter of this concession in the case of depressed classes.

As far my part I should like to suggest that the Rule may be so amended as to make exemption of school fees in the case of all depressed classes pupils reading in all Government Secondary schools, High schools , colleges and schools run under the public management and that ^{not more than} ~~one~~ fourth of school fees ^{shall} ~~may~~ be levied

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in the case of depressed classes reading in Mission and Non-Mission institutions and to make good of the other three fourths by the govt. in such cases. This Rule may be made to apply in the case of medical, Industrial, technical and commercial schools also.

I shall be glad if you will kindly place this subject on the ~~Education~~ Advisory Committee for Education and registration for consideration:-

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. Veerian

M.L.C.,

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Law (Education) Department

C. 595C. From Mr. Veerian, M.D.C., d. 26.2.26.
Educational concessions - Rule 92 of the
2nd Rule.

The three points raised by Mr. Veerian in his letter are noted on below: --

- (i) Misuse of Rule 92 of the Madras Educational Rules by the grant of concessions to all communities. It is submitted that the Government are not aware of any instance of misuse. The M.D.C. has also given notice of intimation under grants for secondary schools to discuss this point. If the M.D.C. considers it necessary to take further action, it may be considered. ~~to prevent it~~
- (ii) Admission of pupils of depressed classes to full fee exemption granted in schools.

Mr. Veerian points out that pupils of depressed classes are not allowed the full fee exemptions although they very often ask for the same and produce poverty certificates. and he suggests that in order to make matters clear it should be definitely ~~defined~~.

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Apparently the Member refers to the 10 per cent fee concessions ~~now~~ allowed to poor pupils in secondary schools ~~under~~ Article 32 of the Grant-in-Aid Code. It is submitted that the eligibility for the concessions of this description is ~~in accordance with~~ ^{and heads of} determined by Managers of institutions subject to the condition that the ~~also~~ ^{scheme} for the ~~award~~ ^{award} of the concession is approved by the Director of Public Instruction. This concession is not limited to any particular community ~~and~~ ^{and} is allowed also in schools under Municipal councils and local bodies. ~~and also in schools under Municipal councils and local bodies.~~

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It may be pointed out that the depressed classes have been given ~~special~~ ^{special} privileges in the shape of special scholarships and

and in the award of general scholarships also the claims of the depressed classes are given preference while the other communities have only to look to this full fee concession and a ~~xxx~~ portion of the general scholarships. These full fee concessions are intended only for the encouragement of poor pupils among all communities and the depressed classes are not ineligible therefor. It may be that the managers or headmasters of some ~~xxx~~ institutions, having regard to the fact that special concessions have been granted to depressed classes as pointed out above, may in practice restrict the grant of the full fee concession to pupils of other communities. Further as aided institutions are only reimbursed half the fee ~~xxx~~ income foregone, they may not have an inducement to grant the concession to the fullest extent permissible. It may not be desirable to fetter the discretion of the headmasters and managers in this respect.

3. The amendment of rule 92 so as to ~~provide for the exemption of pupils of the depressed classes in schools and colleges, under public management, from the payment of fees altogether and the levy at 1/4th of the standard rates in aided institutions, the remaining 3/4ths being made good to the management by the Government.~~

The L.J.C. tabled a resolution on the above subject ~~for discussion during the last session of the Council. The motion was balloted but not reached. The notes in that connection are at pages 3-4 of G.O. No. 235 Law (Education), dated 15th February 1926.~~ Mr. Veerian requests that this rule may be applied in the case of medical, industrial, mechanical and schools also and that the subject may be placed before the Advisory Committee for Education and Registration for consideration. For orders ~~xxx~~

whether with ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ the suggestion to place it before the Advisory Committee may be accepted. The remarks of L.S.G. (P.H.) and Development department ~~may be~~ be invited ~~xxx~~.

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For favour remarks on A at p. 2



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Portion 'A' on p. 2 ante.

The same ~~xxx~~ has given notice of a ~~motion~~ ^{for reduction of grant} motion under ~~Grant for~~ Medical Colleges and Schools, to discuss the question of extending the present half fee concession to all students from depressed classes in med. colleges & schools. These students are already given several privileges in the matter of stipends. ~~and it was therefore decided~~ that there is no justification for this ^(Grant of this) concession ~~and it was therefore decided~~ that if parents or guardians can afford to pay for them, they obviously ought to do so.

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The Secretary to Government,
Law (Education) Dept.
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Re: Subject placed
before the Educational
Sub Committee for
granting remission
of school fees for
Depressed Class pupils.

you are well aware that
this matter was placed before
the advisory Committee during
the last meeting of the Madras
Legislative Council at
Madras. The same was adjourned
to some date. I shall
therefore feel highly obliged

if you will kindly inform me when this subject is likely to be placed before the ^{again} next for considering the question of making remission of school fees. I shall be glad to hear the approximate date. If some help is rendered by the Govt. in this direction (making remission of school fees in Govt. schools i.e., free scholars in all Govt. educational institutions) the community will feel ever grateful.

I have the honor to be,
 Sir,
 your obedient servant,
 R. Veerian.



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We may tell him that the committee is likely to meet about the time the Leg Council meets in July next.

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The following D.O. is for appd.
 D.O. No. 595 C-2 & 9.6.2.6

Dear Sir,

pp 5-6 ante

In reply to your letter of May 24th 1926, I am desirous to

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Law (Education) Dept.
 (Ref:- Mr. Veerian's letter at pp 5-6 ante)
 The following three subjects have been

marked for discussion by the Advisory Committee:-

(i) Conscience Clause.

(ii) Amendment of Rule 92 of the Educational rules so as to provide for ~~the~~ full remission of fees in case

of depressed classes pupils.

(iii) Hindi teaching in Government schools.

The date of the meeting of the Committee has not been fixed. The Legislative Council meets on the 10th July. For orders as to the reply to be given to Mr. Veerian.

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Say that the date for the next meeting
of the Advisory Committee on Education
has not been fixed but that the Committee
is likely to meet about the time the
Legislative Council meets in July next.
Yours sincerely

To M. R. R. A. V. V. V.
And: M. d. c.

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Mr. Ghiselin -

The Hon. Mr. Ghiselin -

Dear Sir -

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd inst.

in relation to the proposed

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Of the three members of the Advisory Committee whose opinions have been recorded on the previous page, M.R.Ry. S.Arputhaswami Udaiyar is not for any modification in the present rules.

2. Muhammad Ghouse Mian Sahib suggests the issue of a circular saying that where 'poverty' certificates are issued the certificates should be accepted by heads of institutions. The rule makes it sufficiently clear that if a pupil belonging to the classes eligible for the concession is admitted to a secondary school or college and if the pupil presents a certificate from one of the prescribed authorities he should be allowed the half-fee concession. The necessity for a circular is not clear.

3. M.R.Ry. R.Veerian wants that it should be made possible for pupils of the depressed classes to be admitted to secondary schools and colleges on payment of one-fourth of the rates of fees. Assuming that he means one-fourth of the standard rates of fees and that the concession rate should be allowed to all depressed classes pupils irrespective of poverty, it is submitted that the financial effect of the concession will be large. Recently a proposal for the removal of the poverty test in respect of girls was placed before the Finance Committee. The Committee rejected the proposal saying that the present provision for a reduction of fees in cases of poverty was sufficient. In that connection the D.P.I. had reported that the additional cost of waiving the condition as to poverty altogether for the purpose of the half-fee concession would be about Rs.1.33 lakhs. This ^{took in} no doubt ~~to all~~ Muhammadan and all backward class pupils and girls. Page 4 of G.O.855 Edn., dated 19-5-25, shows that the number of classes recognised as "depressed" is as many as 85; seeing that

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Mr. Veerian wants to reduce the fees payable by them from one-half to one-fourth it is clear that the acceptance of his suggestion is bound to result in a large additional cost. Further the other backward classes will not be slow in urging their claims in securing such further concessions as may be granted to the depressed classes. ~~Submitted that~~ ^{no further action seems}

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work to Mr. Veerian. The papers may
G.O. No 1415 of 27.7.26.
be "Recorded"

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In connection to depressed
classes - Mr. Veerian's
suggestion for reducing
to one-fourth of standard
rates - notes - Recorded.
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Mr. R. Veerian.

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82. To reduce the allotment of Rs.8,02,600 for Medical Colleges and Schools byRs.100.

(to raise the question of not giving school fee concession in the case of all depressed class students)

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L.S.G.(P.B.) Department

The Hon'ble Member's intention appears to be that the half fee concession should be give to all students belonging to the depressed classes. Under rule 92 of the Madras Educational rules, fees are at present recovered in all educational institutions (including medical colleges and schools) at half the standard rates, from Muhammadans, Grijas, girls and members of backward classes and castes when their parents or guardians are so poor that the grant of this concession is necessary to enable them to continue their studies. If a further concession is to be made in favour of the depressed classes it should be applied to all educational institutions and not merely to the medical colleges and schools. It is for the educational authorities to revise the existing rule if considered necessary.

2. The following ~~special~~ special additional facilities are given to students belonging to depressed classes in the Medical Colleges and Schools:-

(1) Colleges. 36 free studentships in all are reserved for candidates belonging to the backward and depressed classes.

(2) Schools. 5 stipends of Rs.15 a month are awarded annually to candidates belonging to these classes in the men's medical schools. These candidates are not required to pay any fees

In the Women's Medical School, all students are eligible for stipends of Rs. 20 a month.

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There is no reason whatever why all students from the depressed classes should have concessions in the matter of fees. If their parents or guardians can afford to pay for them, they obviously ought to do so.

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10.3.26.

Await the motion.

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