

Law (1926) Department.
(Education)

Ordinary SERIES.

G.O. No. 1586

DATED 18-8-1926

[Despatch Abstract.]

District Educational Council, Salem.

President's journey to attend a meeting of a District
Soldiers Committee at Salem--travelling allowance met from
District Educational Council funds.

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Edl No. 26.

Office of District Educational Council,
Salem, dated 3--7--26.

From

M. R. E. Subrahmanya Pillai Avl. B. A.,
President, District Educational Council,
Salem.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Law (Education) Department,
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honour to bring to your kind notice that the Collector of Salem, in his D.O. dated 7th November 1926 last (Copy enclosed) invited me to attend a meeting of the District Soldiers' committee, and I accordingly attended the same, as I considered that it was part of my duty as District Educational President to help the Collector in the discussion. The subject matter related to Educational concessions, and as the Government Orders issued from time to time on the subject are generally sent to District Educational Councils, the President of an Educational Council is supposed to be posted up in them. The draft administration Report of the Council was also prepared by me on that very day after the meeting was over. The District Inspector of L.F. Accounts takes objection to my having claimed travelling allowance from Council Funds. He however does not quote the authority under which the objection is raised. A copy of ^{his} objection is herein enclosed for reference. I shall be glad if the Government will be so good as to let me know whether I was within my province in attending the meeting in question and whether ^{if so,} travelling ~~allowance~~ expenses incurred is not a legitimate charge on the Council funds.

Education Dept.

Encl.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant,

E. Subrahmanya Pillai
President.

Referred to the Exr.
of L.F. Accts for remarks.
(D.O.)

D.F.C.

To the Exr. of L.F. Accts.

Manjappa
Assistant Secretary to Govt.



Collector's Office,
Salem, 7th November 1925.

D. O.

Dear Mr. Subrahmanya Pillai,

At noon on the 11th of November (Armistice Day) I am having a meeting of the District Soldiers' Committee and it appears to me that your presence would be very helpful in discussing Educational concessions as I understand from some of the Subedars that there is difficulty in obtaining the actual enjoyment of these concessions in some cases. If you could spare a few minutes in conversation with them, I think some good will be done.

Yours Sincerely

/Sd/ F.L. Brigstocke.

To
The President,
District Educational Council,
Salem.

(True Copy)

E. Subrahmanya Pillai

President.

DEPARTMENT 3/3
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Audit Objection.

The Collector of Salem, in his D.O. dated 7-11-25 requested the President to be present at the meeting of the Soldiers' committee, as he considered that the President's presence would be very helpful in discussing Educational concessions. The President accordingly attended the meeting and during his visit to Salem, did some office work also. The travelling allowance is not a legitimate charge on the District Educational Funds.

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(True Extract)

Elmer H. Allen

President.

D.R.G.

Elmer H. Allen

Collector's Office,
Salem, 7th November 1925

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Yours Sincerely,

Elmer H. Allen

To the President,
District Educational Council,
Salem.

(True Copy)

Elmer H. Allen

President

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ENCLOSURES.

No.

Handwritten: R7 No. 4586

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Station Fort St. George, Dated the 3rd August 1926.

From (Name) L.M. Hooper Esquire.

(Designation) Examiner of Local Fund Accounts.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law (Education) Department.

Sir.

In returning herewith letter Edl.No.26,dated the 3rd July 1926, from the President, District Educational Council, Salem, forwarded for my remarks with Law (Education) Endorsement No.2531 A-1,dated the 10th July 1926, I have the honour to state that as the journey was performed for the specific purpose of attending a meeting of the District Soldiers' Committee, though incidentally some work connected with the District Educational Council was done, objection was raised in audit to the payment of the travelling allowance from the District Education funds.

2. It is for Government to decide in the circumstances

if the expenditure incurred should be debited to the Elementary Education funds or not. I would in this connection invite attention to Government Order No.1069, Law (Education), dated 22nd July 1921 and Government Order No.498, Law (Education), dated 21st April 1922 in which Presidents of District Educational Councils have been exhorted to economise expenditure on travelling allowance as far as possible.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

[Signature]

Examiner of Local Fund Accts.

P.M.B.

[Signature]

Law (Govt) Dept.

President, D.E.C. Council, Salem - T.A.

for journey to attend a meeting of the D.
Soldiers' Committee.

prop [C.N. 2531A]

W.H. [v. 3077A]

From the P.D.E.C., Salem, ED. No. 26, D. 3-7-26.

From the Cor. of L.F. Accts, No. L.F. 4586, D. 3-8-26.

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The orders in G.O. No. 1069, Law (Govt), 22.7.21, regarding the payment of travelling allowance to members for attending meetings of both the D.E.C. Council and the D. Board, cannot apparently be applied to the present case in which the President, D.E.C. Council, Salem, attended a meeting of the D. Soldiers' Committee at the request of the Collector and also availed himself of the opportunity to do some office work ~~in~~ in his office as President of the D.E.C. If T.A. ~~is~~ ~~drawn from the funds of the D.E.C.~~ usually paid for the funds of the D. Soldiers' Committee to those who are called upon by the D. to attend a meeting of the D. Soldiers' C. the President, D.E.C., Salem, can ~~draw~~ T.A. from those funds, and in that he need not draw T.A. from the

of the D.C. Council. Otherwise the expenditure will have to be met from the D.C. funds.

The file may be sent to the Public Dept. for remarks as to whether T.A. may not be paid to the President from the funds of the D.C. Soldiers' Committee.

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Pub. Dept.

Many Correspondents who attend meetings of the Dist. Soldiers Committees are paid out of the D.C. funds a single second class Ry. fare to & from a daily batta of Rs 1-8-0.

Portion marked in para 2 on p 2 of 954 Pub. on 30.9.25 (R)

From the Collis D.O. on p. 2 C.F. of the D.C. it will be seen that the President was instructed for discussing educt. concessions with the Subedars. From para 4 of G.O. 663 (Home (Educn) 723.5.1918) it will be seen that the local bodies are expected to ~~met from their own funds~~ ^{met from their own funds} ~~concessions~~ ^{concessions} in consequence of the grant of ~~the~~ ^{certain educational} concessions.

It is for consideration whether the T.A. of the President should not be met from the D.C. funds. For order.

The M.B. funds do not

contemplate charges of this nature. Surely it may be taken as a legitimate function of the Pres. to assist by his advice in a matter affecting education which was specially commended by Govt. to local bodies? It is not as if this were anything but a casual non-recurring charge.

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Law (Govt. Dept.)

In the circumstances

mentioned above, this Dept. may agree to the expenditure in question being met from the D.C. funds. A draft order is submitted for consideration.

[It does not seem necessary to consult Finance.]

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This is in respect of fee concessions to children of soldiers

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Gov^t sanctioned the
payment of
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performed by him
for attending a meeting
of the D^t Soldiers'
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The P.D.C., Salem }
" Ex. of L.F. accts } (1905)

The President, Dt. Edl. Council, Salem, is informed that) the expenditure on travelling allowance for his ~~journey to Salem~~ attendance at the meeting of the Dt. Soldiers' Committee, Salem, may be met from the funds of the Dt. Edl. Council, as a special case

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