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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislature Council ~~Resolution~~

Resolution - Depressed Classes
pupils - Free education or levy
of fee at $\frac{1}{4}$ the standard
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Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

SUBJECT.—No. *819*

for the meeting of the Legislative

Council to be held on the *14th to 15th Dec* 1925.

plante SUBMITTED that two copies of this Resolution may be forwarded to the
Law (En) Department. The Resolution has been
admitted.

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U.O. No. 3331-3 dated *20.11.25*

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The *Law (En)* Department

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Council Office,
12-11-25.

Resolution.

Mr. R. Veerian.

THE LAW (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

519. That this Council recommends to the Government that rule 92 of the Madras Educational Rules, be so amended as to enable pupils belonging to the depressed classes to be admitted and given instructions in all - institutions either free or on payment of not more than one fourth the standard rates of fees.

T.N.G.

Mr. Veerian's resolution on page 2 ante has been ~~balloted~~. Mr. Veerian requests that Rule 92 of the Madras Educational Rules be so amended as to enable pupils belonging to the depressed classes to be admitted and given instruction in all ~~institution~~ institution ^{not} either free or on payment of ~~more than~~ ^{not} ~~more than~~ one-fourth of the standard rates of fees.

2. Under rule 92 of the Madras Educational Rules pupils belonging to the depressed classes among others, whose parents are poor have got at present to pay only half the standard rates of fees. The scholarships awarded by the Educational Department are of two kinds (i) general scholarships open to all communities, and (ii) special scholarships to those who are educationally backward.

In the award of the general scholarships, other conditions being satisfied, preference is given to Adi-dravidas, Adi-andhras other backward classes. In addition to the above, the Government in the Education Department are also granting the following special scholarships and fee remissions to Adi-dravidas, Adi-andhras and pupils belonging to the aboriginal and criminal classes:-

16 scholarships and equal number of fee remissions commencing from ^{Form I} and continuing throughout the secondary ~~schools~~, ^{schools}.

27 special scholarships tenable in VI standards of elementary schools and renewed in VII and VIII standards on the pupils' promotion.

Further the Labour Department is awarding a large number of special scholarships for the depressed classes. From the above, it will be seen that the Government are doing their best ^{for} of the encouragement of education among the depressed classes.

3. The present resolution pleads for either a complete remission of fees or ^a three-fourth fee concession in favour of the pupils belonging to the

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16 scholarships and equal number of fee remissions commencing from Form I and continuing throughout the secondary schools.

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depressed classes. It has to be noted that the general concession in rule 92 is to be granted only in the case of poor pupils of the classes mentioned therein and if one particular ^{community} is to be granted greater concessions, the other classes can also legitimately claim the same treatment. As pointed out above other special concessions are being granted to the to communities (including the depressed classes) which are generally backward in point of education. Further the list of officers empowered to grant the certificates of poverty has been enlarged in G.O.No.707, Law (Education), dated 5-5-1925, with a

view to suit the convenience of the depressed classes, and pupils belonging to ~~these~~ ^{classes} who have ~~become~~ ^{became} converts to Christianity have been declared eligible to the fee concession in spite of their conversion. ^{Use G.O. No. 855 Law (Edu), d. 19-5-25.}

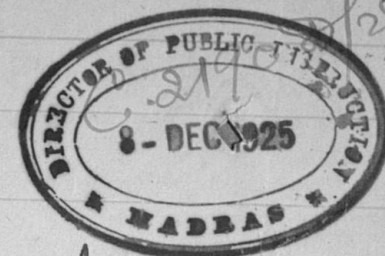
4. It is not all pupils belonging to the depressed classes that will be too poor to pay fees. It is quite conceivable that ~~some~~ ^{some} of the parents of these pupils can well afford to pay fees and in their case no extra inducement is called for. As for ~~the~~ others they must naturally look forward to the half fee concession and the special and general scholarships adverted to above.

5. Further a whole sale remission or even the remission of ~~the~~ three-quarters of fees and the consequential increase in the grant-in-aid payable to aided schools for reimbursing managers for the amount of fee income foregone will involve a heavy burden on the public funds.

6. It may be noted in this connection that notice of a resolution recommending the admission of students from the depressed classes as free scholars into all secondary schools was given in 1922 by Mr. G. Vandanam but the ~~resolution~~ ^{resolution} lapsed -- G.O.No.755 Law (Education), dated, 19-6-1922.

7. The file may be sent to the D.P.I. for further remarks.

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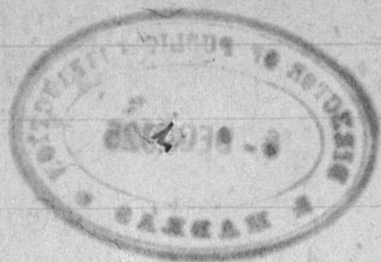
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