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Station Madras, Dated the 6th April 1925. 192

From (Name) R. G. Grieve Esquire M.A.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction



To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law (Education) Department.

Sir.

In submitting herewith the file of papers relating to the introduction of compulsory elementary education for boys of school age resident within the Udumalpet Municipality, I have the honour to state that when his first proposal was received in this office, the Chairman, Municipal Council was requested to revise the same in the light of the remarks of the District Educational Officer.

2. The Chairman in his letter dated 29th October 1924 has now submitted a revised scheme. The scheme was accepted by the Municipal Council unanimously at a special meeting held on 13th October 1924. The District Educational Council in its resolution No. 74/D.E.C. dated 27th February 1925

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has approved of the scheme.

3. The statistics furnished by the Chairman relate to 31st March 1923, but since the inspecting officers have furnished figures as they stood on 31st March 1924, which have also been accepted by the Chairman, my remarks offered below are based on the statistics furnished by the inspecting officers.

(D) 4. According to the formulae prescribed in Government Memorandum No. 2021 A1 dated 24th August 1922 the total number of boys of school age resident within the municipality is 593. The number of additional boys of school age to be newly brought under instruction is estimated to be 254 by the Chairman. But according to the report of the District Educational Officer the number of additional boys of school age is 212 (593 - 381 boys of school age under instruction).

5. At present there are seven municipal elementary schools as shown below:-

(1) Municipal Elementary schools for boys - day schools	3
(2) Night schools	2
(3) Adi Dravida day school	1
(4) girls' school	1
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Of the existing seven schools, four are accommodated in rented buildings, excluding the Muhammadan girls school which has now been provided with a permanent building and the Adi Dravida day and night schools. It is stated that 60 per cent of the additional number of boys can be accommodated in the existing schools and it is proposed to open 2 new schools to accommodate the remaining 40 per cent. It is observed from the reports submitted by the inspecting officers that the existing schools cannot provide for the additional number of boys. Two new schools proposed to be opened will be sufficient to accommodate the additional number of 212 boys of school age, provided spacious buildings are rented. A new school said to have been opened is included in the seven schools referred to above and the two new schools proposed to be opened should be in addition to the existing seven schools.

The Council has not formulated any building programme and has resolved to construct school buildings in course of time. In view of the fact that better buildings cannot be had for rent in suitable

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and central localities and as the building in which the Paddy Bazaar Municipal schools is located, is said to be unsuitable, the Council should be urged to formulate a suitable building programme in consultation with the District Educational Officer. The Council has to pay Rs 528 as rent per annum for the existing schools. On an average Rs 15 per mensem for each school, the yearly rent for the proposed two schools would be Rs 360 and the total estimated expenditure on rents comes to Rs 888, whereas the equated payments on account of a loan would be less, if it is spread over a few years.

(A) Attention is also invited to para 3 of G.O.No. 3410 L & M dated 2nd December 1924.

6. The location and distribution of the school places satisfy the conditions laid down in the explanation to section 45 (2) (h) of the Madras Elementary Education Act of 1920.

7. The present strength in the Municipal elementary schools for boys is 400 and on the introduction of compulsion the council has to provide for the education of 612 boys (400 plus 212) in the old and new schools together. At the rate of one teacher for every 35 pupils, 18 teachers will be sufficient. It is reported by the Dist. Educational Officer that the staff as a whole except one teacher in all the Municipal schools is untrained. A sum of Rs 300 is provided for stipends to teachers and this may be considered sufficient.

(A) Attention is also invited to para 3 of G.O.No. 3410 L & M dated 2nd December 1924.

8. The Council has resolved to levy the education tax at 12½ per cent of property and profession taxes and requests Government to contribute one and a half times of the education tax collected. The request is not supported, since no such payment has been made to any other municipality. The Council's contribution out of its general revenues towards elementary education is fixed at Rs 1040 with reference to the contribution made in 22-23. But the council's contribution for 23-24 was 1900 under "Ordinary" and Rs 3200 for 24-25. Please see G.O.No. 581 Law (Education) dated 14th April 1924. Its contribution may therefore be fixed with reference to its general financial position; but in the financial statement appended herewith

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it is put down at Rs 3200. It is observed that if the Council's contribution is reduced from Rs 3200 it would not be possible to give effect to the scheme unless the council raises its rate of education tax.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant.

Z R Sundaram

G.M.7.4.25

for Director of Public Instruction.

Financial Statement.

1. Estimated Annual Receipts:-

(1) Contribution from the Municipal funds according to the amount contributed in 1924-25.	3200
(2) Proceeds from the education tax	1500
(3) Government contribution under section 37 of the Act.	1500
(4) Government Contribution under the proviso to section 37	1700
	7900

2. Estimated annual expenditure:-

(1) Pay of 18 teachers at the rate of Rs 20 per mensem each	4320
(2) Contingencies at Rs 1/- per pupil	620
(3) Garden, Museum, etc for 6 schools (4 old schools plus 2 new schools) at Rs 50 each	300
(4) Repairs to buildings (2 buildings at Rs 40 each)	80
(5) Superintendent at Rs 40 per mensem	480
(6) Compensation to managers of aided schools	100
(7) Stipends	300
(8) Girls' education	880
(9) Rent (or equated payment on loans)	900
	7980

Z R Sundaram

for Director of Public Instruction

3200
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1500
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MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Proposing an educational tax in order to introduce compulsory Elementary Education for boys in this Municipality.

ENCLOSURES.

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R.O.C.No. 296/M1 of 23.

Station Udamalpet Dated the 11th May 1923

From (Name) Khan Saheb Syed Devan Abdur Razak Saheb Bahadur, M.L.C.
(Designation) Chairman, Municipal Council, Udamalpet.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Local & Self Government Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith copy of my Council's Resolution No.217 dated 11-4-23 in which, it was decided to levy an education tax at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent on the taxes on property and on profession in order to introduce compulsory Elementary Education for boys of this Municipality.

2. The statements referred to in memorandum No.2021 A-1 dated 24-8-22 are enclosed.

3. The Council hopes to be able to begin the work if possible on or after 1st April 1924.

4. The notification regarding the imposition of the new tax is deferred pending approval of the rate adopted by the Council. Double the amount raised as the education tax may be kindly contributed by the Government under Section 37 for at least three years to enable the Council to make Elementary Education compulsory for boys alone.

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

H. N. S. S. S.
for Chairman.

Tabular forms as per para 1 of circular memo.
No. 21 A-1 dated 24th August 1922

Questionnaire - Compulsory Education

Name of School.	Boys.			Girls			Coming from.			
	Below 6 years	6 to 11	Above 11	Below 5	5 to 10	above 10	Within Municipal limits		Outside Municipal limits	
							Boys 6-11	Girls 5-10	Boys 6-11	Girls 5-10
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<u>Municipal Management</u>										
1. Mahamadan El- -mentary school for Boys	13	54	5				54			
2. DO for girls School				50	24	22		50		
3. Chidambaram day School	7	8			1		15	1		
4. " night "	6	11			2		17	2		
5. Chutram School	4	81	20				101			
6. Elementary section of Secondary School	2	86	70		6	1	83	6	3	
6(a). Secondary section of School (Secondary)		3	218				3			
Total	32	243	313	50	33	23	273	59	3	
<u>Private Management</u>										
7. Wesleyan Mission	15	22	29		4		22	4		
8. Kanikapuram -o-warum Koil School		16	2		5	3	16	5		
9. Victoria Girls School				10	133	24		133		
10. Salapathu Pillai School	5	10					10			
11. Subbiah School Pillai	13	28	4				28			
Total	33	76	35	10	142	27	76	142		

UDAMALPET COMPULSORY ELEMENTARY EDUCATION.

Memorandum G.O.NO.2021 A-1 dated 24-8-22.

1. (1) Vide statement.
 - (2) 10 teachers Four are trained teachers.
 Boy's school 7 ~~trained~~ 2 trained 5 ~~Not~~ trained.
 Girl's school 3 teachers. 2 ,, 1 ,,
 - (3) a. Two. Adi Dravida Day & Adi Dravida Night Schools.
 b. Three are in rented buildings.
 Rs.7/- for Muhammadan Elementary Boys School.
 Rs.8-8-0 for Muhammadan Elementary Girl School.
 Rs.10/- Chuttram Elementary School.
 Better buildings cannot be had in suitable and
 centre localities. A building for Muhammadan
 Elementary Girl School is under construction.
 - (4) Boys 593 Girls 586.
 Approximate figures for Muhammadans 1/5 of the above
 number.
 - (5) a. Rs.2702/- for 22-23.
 b. ,, 1700/- from Provincial funds.
 c. ,, 1002/- from Municipal funds.
 - (6) a. Nil. Elementary Education in all Municipal
 Schools is free except in Elementary section
 of Secondary School.
 b. Ariya Vaisya school for 22-23 Rs. 75
 Wesleyan Mission school ,, 50
 Subbiah Pillai school ,, 50 Since taken
 up by Council
 Sabapathi Pillai School ,, 50
 Victoria Girl school ,, 100
- The figures given above are only approximate figures
 as correct figures are not available.
11. (7) Boys 254
 Girls 385.
 - (8) a. 60% of the boys.
 b. 40% of the boys.

9. (a) Compulsion is only for boys.

No exemption.

(b) Nil.

10. (a) Two. One is being opened.

(b) In the year 23-24.

(c) In rented buildings. One in the South and the other in the South West.

(d) 200.

11. Yes, about 1/3 of the total cost. Partly from its own resources and partly from Government grants.

12. Nil.

13. Nil.

14. Nil.

15. Enclosed.

16. 5 teachers.

17. The Council will pay stipend and get teachers trained.

18. 1.15 teachers for 7 Schools at an average of Rs.204 3600 per mensem.

1. Add privilege etc allowances. 250

2. Contingencies --- 500

3. Garden museum etc --- 300

4. Rents --- 400

5. Superintendent --- 600

6. Compensation --- 200

7. Stipends --- 150

8. Interest --- Nil.

9. Cost of Girls education --- Nil. Rs. 6000

(b) 1. Present contributions from Municipal revenues. 1000

2. Grant under proviso 1700

3. Education tax 750
House tax & Land tax 12000 @ Rs.6 1/4%
Companies tax and profession tax.

4. Government grant Double education tax 1500

4950

Total expenditure

Rs. 6000

Deduct income from items 1 & 2

,, 2700.

Balance

,, 3300.

Additional taxation at 50% of Rs.3300

,, 1650.

19. Yes. Non-councillors will be co-opted.

20. Periodical house to house inspections will be made by the Municipal staff and the Superintendent and parents will be induced more by persuasion than by punishment to take the best advantage of the new scheme.

21. Nil.

Udamalpet Municipal Office,

Dated 11th May 23.

Chairman.

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Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Udamalpet at its
meeting held at 4 P.M on Wednesday the 11th April 23.

Present.

1. Khan Saheb Syed Devan Abdur Razak Saheb Bahadur, M.L.C.
Chairman.

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217. Introduction of compulsory education for boys.

Resolved that elementary education be made compulsory
for boys and an education tax of $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent be levied
on property and profession taxes.

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(Sd) S.D.A.Razak.

Chairman.

(Extract)

Udamalpet Municipal Office,

Dated 10th May 23.

Sd. S.D.A. Razak
Chairman.

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Municipal Department.

FROM

THE CHAIRMAN,

Municipal Council,

UDAMALPET.

To

The Secretary to the Government
of Madras,
Local Self Government Depart-
ment,
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Through,

The District Educational
Officer,
Coimbatore.

Dated 10th

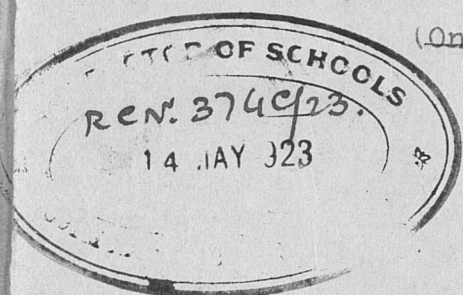
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Subject.

Proposing an educational tax in
order to introduce compulsory ~~xxxx~~
elementary education for boys of this
Municipality.

R.C.No.374 C of 1923.

Dated 25th Sept. 1923.

Submitted to the Director of Public Instruction.

2. In G.O.No.65 Local and Municipal dated 10-1-23, Government in reviewing the Administration report of the Udumalpet Municipality for 1921-22, remarked that the introduction of compulsory elementary education would involve a very slight commitment. The Council has now come forward with a scheme for the introduction of compulsory elementary education for boys, to take effect in April 1924.

3. The figures in Column 8 of the tabular form accompanying the Chairman's letter are higher than those in column 3 and cannot therefore be correct. From figures furnished by the Deputy Inspector of Schools, 348 boys of school age resident in Udumalpet are attending school. Deducting this from the 593 boys of school age, the number of boys of school age to be newly provided for is 245. In item 7 of the memorandum this number is given as 254, which I think is sufficiently approximate.

4. Accommodation:- To provide for these 254 boys the proposal is to open 2 new schools in rented buildings (item 10 of memo) and to leave existing Municipal schools as they are. The proposed location of these schools in the south-west and south (item 10 (c) of memo) is suitable, as will be seen from the plan of the Municipality enclosed. In other respects I regret I do not agree with the proposals. The following statement gives the floor area and strength of each Municipal boy's elementary school:-

School.	Floor area.	Strength.	Floor area per pupil.
Municipal Muhammadan	405 sq.ft.	72	5½
Municipal Adi Dravida.	142 sq.ft.	16	9
Municipal Chattram.	374 sq.ft.	105	3½

5. The above statement shows that the accommodation in Municipal elementary schools is generally quite inadequate. Moreover, the Municipal Muhammadan school building is quite unsuitable, being dark and ill-ventilated. The Municipal Chattram school is located in a Chattram lent temporarily to the Council, and sooner or later another building will have to be found. It is stated in item 3 of the memorandum that better buildings cannot be had in convenient localities. This being so, I do not understand why it is proposed to

locate both existing and new schools in rented buildings. In my opinion, the Council would be well advised to construct new buildings, both for existing (excluding the Adi Dravida school which is accommodated in a Municipal building) and new schools.

6. In these new buildings would be accommodated the 177 boys of all ages now attending the Municipal Muhammadan and Chattram schools, plus the 254 boys of school age to be provided for, or 431 in all. At the rate of $9\frac{1}{2}$ sq. ft. per pupil this total requires a floor area of 4095 sq. ft. A simple type of pukka school building suitable for a Municipal area may be estimated to cost Rs.2-8-0 per sq. ft. of floor area. The total cost of new buildings would therefore be Rs.10238. The annual instalment on account of the repayment of principal and payment of interest on a loan of Rs.10000 @ 6% for 20 years would be Rs.872, or for 30 years Rs.726.

7. I beg to suggest that the Council be asked to reconsider the question of accommodation with reference to the above remarks.

8. Equipment:- No provision is made for the equipment of schools in the statement of expenditure in item 18 of the memo, and the remark in item 11 of the scheme cannot therefore be understood. I estimate that the capital cost of equipment is about Rs.5 per pupil, which would provide simple floor-planks and low desks and the usual furniture. At this rate a sum of Rs.1270 would be required for the equipment of 254 boys to be newly provided for, plus say, Rs.400 to supply inadequacies in existing schools, or a total of Rs.1700. The annual instalment on account of the repayment of principal and payment of interest on a loan of Rs.1700 @ 6% per 10 years would be Rs.95.

9. Teaching staff:- The Council proposes to employ 15 teachers for 7 existing and new schools. These 7 schools are apparently made up of the 5 Municipal elementary schools shown in the tabular form, which include 1 girl's school and 1 Adi Dravida night school. As is pointed out in para 6 above, the Council will have to provide for 431 boys of all ages. At the rate of 1 teacher for every 35 pupils, 12 teachers will be required in addition to the teachers employed in the girls' school. At the rate of Rs.20 per mensem the cost of salaries should be Rs.2880 per annum. The privilege allowances mentioned in the statement in item 18 of the memo are

not understood: these should be included in the salaries.

10. Out of the 7 teachers employed in Municipal boys' schools only 2 are trained (item 2). The scheme should therefore provide for the training of 10 teachers, at say, 3 each year. The cost of stipends would be Rs.300, which is, I think, a more reasonable figure than the provision of Rs.150 in item 18 (7) of the scheme.

11. Contingencies:- I prefer a rate of Re. 1 per annum per head to a lump sum for ^{each} school. For 431 pupils to be provided for, an annual expenditure of Rs.431 or Rs.450 would be required, as against the Rs.500 provided in item 18 (3) of the scheme.

12. Garden, Museum etc:- For the 5 existing and new schools a sum of not more than Rs.250 should be required, as against the provision of Rs.300 in item 18 (3) of the scheme.

13. Repairs to buildings:- No provision has been made under this head, as the proposal is to accommodate the schools in rented buildings. I suggest that an annual provision of Rs.200, which represents 2% of the total expenditure estimated in para 6 above, be made.

14. Superintendent:- The provision of Rs.600 in item 18 (5) of ~~the~~ the scheme or a salary of Rs. per mensem may be approved as a temporary measure.

15. Compensation to managers of private institutions:- The provision of Rs.200 in item 18 (6) of the scheme is based on the approximate figures given in item 6 (b) of the scheme. As it is proposed that compulsory education should come into force from April 1924, the amount of compensation payable will have to be calculated on the fee-collections of 1923-24. In 1921-22, however, actual fee-collections amounted to Rs.290-5-6 and the fees leviable at the rates prescribed in rule 84 of the Madras Educational Rules Rs.78-5-0. I think a provision of Rs.100 will be found sufficient.

16. Girls' education:- The cost of girls education is given as nil in item 18 (9) of the scheme, although in item 18 (1) of the scheme provision has apparently been made for salaries in the Municipal Girls' school (vide para ⁹ above). The Council is maintaining a girls' school recently transferred from Government management, besides which provision should be made for the expansion of girls' education. The omission to make any kind of financial provision

would therefore appear objectionable.

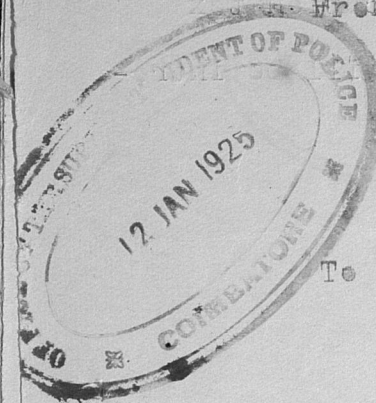
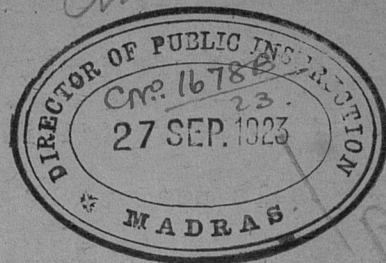
17. Revenue:- In the first place, it is proposed to levy an education tax on properties yielding Rs.750 per annum. Second, in accordance with the instruction given in the last sentence of para 18 (b) (4) of Circular Memo. No.2021 A-1 dated 24-3-23, it is proposed to levy additional taxation yielding Rs.1650. These two proposals need to be reconciled. Moreover, in item 18 (b) (4) of the scheme a grant from Government equal to double the education tax is provided for. This needs explanation.

18. It will, I think, be clear from the remarks made above that the scheme is not ready for final disposal. It may however be noted that the estimated total annual cost of the scheme as worked out above is Rs.5300. The introduction of compulsory education for boys would appear therefore to be well within the financial capacity of the Municipal Council.

H. Chandra
25.9.23
District Educational Officer.

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Udamalpet Municipal Office,
dated 29th October 1924.

M.R.RY.K.Chellamuthu Gounder, Ayeragal,
Chairman, Municipal Council,
Udamalpet.

To The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.
Through The District Educational Office,
Coimbatore + Nilgiris.

Sir,

In retransmitting this office R.O.C.NO.296/MI of 23 dated 11-5-23, I have the honour to state that a revised questionnaire is enclosed as suggested by the District Educational Officer.

The Municipal Chattram school has been removed to a more spacious building and the locality in which Muhammadan Elementary School for boys has been repaired and arrangements have been made for free air and ventilation in the same.

A new building has been constructed for Muhammadan Elementary school for girls.

New building for other schools will be constructed when funds are available.

The provision on account of girls' education has since been separately shown in the revised questionnaire. The Council is not in a position to ~~xxxxxxx~~ contract fresh loans as it is has already to repay a sum of Rs.15000/- to Government. The equipment etc will be provided little by little from the Municipal Funds.

The Council has in its Res.NO.145 dated 13-10-23 resolved to levy education tax at 12 1/2% of the property & Profession taxes. The probable education tax that will be realised amounts to Rs.1500/- According to Sec 37 of the Elementary Education Act Rs.1500/- (sum equal to the education tax realised) will be given by the Government. In the questionnaire Rs.1600/- is shown as Government

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Government Grant i.e Rs.100/- more and above the education tax proceeds expected.

I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to recommend to Government for sanction to levy the Education tax from 1-4-25 so that compulsory elementary education will be introduced from the beginning of next year.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

K. Chelvanathan.
Chairman.

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Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Udumalpet at its meeting held at 4 P.M on Saturday the 13th October 1923.

Present.

1. Khan Sahab syed Devan Abdur Razak Sahab Bahadur, M.L.C. Chairman.
2. M.R.RY.M.Appavu Pillai Avergal, Vice Chairman.
3. ,, V.P.R.Balasubramania Chettiar Avergal.
4. ,, R.Duraisami Nadar Avergal.
5. ,, A.Chand Muhammad Rowther Avergal.
6. U.S.Vazir Khan Sahab Bahadur.
7. Syed Devan Khaja Mohideen Sahab Bahadur.
8. M.R.RY.P.Somasundaram Pillai Avergal.

Special.

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145. Letter of the Director of Public Instruction requesting to pass in the special meeting a resolution for the introduction of compulsory education for both boys and girls.

Resolved Unanimously.

1. The Council is not in favour of introducing compulsory education for girls at present.
2. The Council resolves to levy an education tax at $12\frac{1}{2}\%$ of property and profession taxes and requests the Government to contribute at least $1\frac{1}{2}$ times of the education tax collected.
3. The buildings required for the schools will be constructed in course of time when Government is pleased to contribute one half of the cost.

(Extract.)

Udumalpet Municipal Office,

Dated 29-10-24.

(sd) S.D.A. Razak
Chairman.

K. Chelvanathan.
Chairman.

UDAMALPET MUNICIPALITY.

Compulsory Elementary Education.

Memorandum G.O.NO.2021 A-1 dated 24-8-1922.

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I 1. (1) Vide statement.

2. ~~10~~ 10 teachers. Four are trained.

Boys' School 7 2 trained and 5 untrained.

Girls's school 3 2 ,, 1 ,,

3. (a) Two. Adi Dravida day & night schools.

(b) Two are in rented buildings.

Rs.12 for Muhammadan Elementary School for Boys.

Rs.15 for Chatram Elementary school.

|| Better buildings cannot be had in suitable and centre localities.

A building for Muhammadan Elementary school for Girls has been --

~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ constructed.

Boys 593 Girls 586.

Approximate figures for Muhammadans 1/5 of the above number.

5. (a) Rs.2702 for 1922-23 & Rs.5147 for 23-24.

(b) Rs.1700 from Provincial funds & Rs.1904.

(c) Rs.1002 ,, Municipal funds & Rs.3243 from Municipal funds.

6. (a) Nil. Elementary education in all Municipal schools is free except in Elementary section of Secondary school.

(b) Ariya Vysia school for 22-23 Rs.75. *(Kannika Karamchandran)*

Weslyan mission

50 (closed)

Subramania Pillai school

50 Since taken up by Council.

Sabapathi Pillai School

50 (on Palni Road)

Victoria Girls school

100

The figures given above are only approximate ones as correct

figures are not available.

Boys 254 Girls 385.

(a) 60% of the boys (b) 40% of the boys.

(a) Compulsion is only for boys. No exemption.

(b) Nil.

(a) Two. One has been opened.

(b) In the year 1925-26.

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(c) In rented buildings. One in the South and the other in the South West.

(d) 200. ✓

11. Yes. About 1/3 of the total cost. Partly from its own resources and partly from Government grants.

12. Nil

13. Nil

14. Nil.

15. Enclosed.

16. 5 teachers.

17. The Council will pay stipend and get teachers trained.

18. Boys schools.

1. 12 teachers for 6 schools at an average of Rs.20 per mensem. 2880

2. Contingencies 450

3. Garden and museum 250

4. Rents 300

4. Repairs to buildings 200

5. Superintendent at Rs.40 per mensem temporary 480

6. Compensation 100

7. Stipends 300

4960

9. Cost of Girls education.

3 teachers at Rs.20 per mensem 750

Contingencies 80

Garden etc 50

880

Total

5840

(b) Present contribution from Municipal funds for 1922-23 1040

2. Grant under proviso 1700

3. Property, companies & profession tax at 12% 1500

4. Government grant 1600

5840

Total expenditure 5840

Deduct income from items 1 & 2 2740

3100

The additional taxation must amount to half of 3100, or 1550

but it actually amounts to Rs.1500/-. Hence Rs.1600/- is ---

shown as the sum of Government-Grant expected from Government.

19. Yes. Non Councillors will be co-opted.

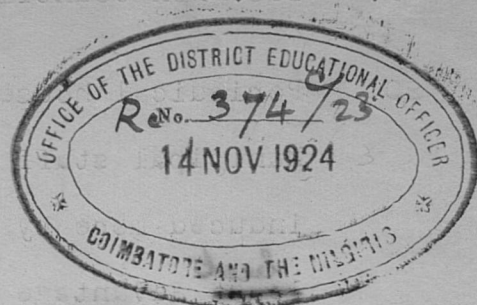
20. Periodical house to house inspections will be made by the Municipal staff and the superintendent and parents will be induced more by persuasion than by punishment to take the ^{best} ~~least~~ advantage of the new scheme.

Udamalpet Municipal office,

Dated 29-10-24.

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K. Chellamuthu

Chairman.



Tabular form as per para 1 of circular 22
Memo No 2021 A.I. dated 24th August 1922
Questionnaire - Compulsory Education.

Name of School	Boys		Girls		Coming from					
	Below 6 years	6 to 11	Above 11	Below 5	5 to 10	Above 10	with in municipal limit		out side municipal limit	
							Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Muhammadian Elementary School for boys	13	54	5				54			
Do for Girls				50	24	22		50		
Adi Dravida Day School	7	8			1		8	1		
Do Night School	6	11			2		11	2		
Chittiram School	4	81	20				81			
Elementary section of Secondary School	2	86	70		6	1	83	6	3	
Secondary section of school (Secondary)		3	218				3			
Total	32	243	313	50	33	23	240	59	3	
Private Management										
Wesbyan Mission	15	22	29		4		22	4		
Kanikaparamasvari Mysia School		16	2		5	3	16	5		
Victoria girls school				10	133	24		133		
Subbia pillai's school	13	28	4				28			
Sabapathi pillai's school	5	10					10			
Total	33	76	35	10	142	27	76	142		

Proceedings of the Meeting of the District Educational Council,
Coimbatore, held on Friday the 27th February 1925 at 1 P.M., in
the hall of the Dist. Edul. Council, Coimbatore.

Members Present.

1. M.R.Ry C.M.Ramachendra Chettiyar Avl., B.A.B.L., President.,
2. " T.S.Sivasubramanya Chettiyar Avl., B.A., Vice-President.,

Ex-Officio

3. C.Ransford Esqr., M.A., Dist., Educational Officer, Coim & the
Nilgiris,

Nominated.

4. Khan Sahib G.A.Gulam Hussain Sahib Bahadur.,
5. " Muhammad Khalendar Sahib Bahadur.,
6. M.R.Ry R.Veerian Avl., M.L.C.,

Elected.

- 7 M.R.Ry C.V.Venkataramana Ayyangar Avl., B.A.B.L., M.L.C.,
- 8 " M. Appavu Pillai Avl.,
- 9 " Raja K.Ramaswami Chettiyar Avl.,
10. " K.R.Venkatesa Ayyangar Avl.,
11. " C.S.Venkatachariar Avl.,
12. " K. Ramaswami Ayyar Avl.,
13. " S.K.Karuppanna Thevar Avl.,
14. " V.K.Palaniswami Goundar Avl.,
15. Very Reverend Fr. L.Beachu V.G.,
16. The Reverend R.Robertson. B.D.,

Read:- Papers relating to the proposed introduction of compulsory
elementary education for boys in the Udamalpet Municipality and the
D.P.I's letter calling for views of the council in the matter.

Resolution No.74/D.E.C dated 27-2-1925

The scheme is approved.

Sd/- C.M.Ramachendra chettiyar.

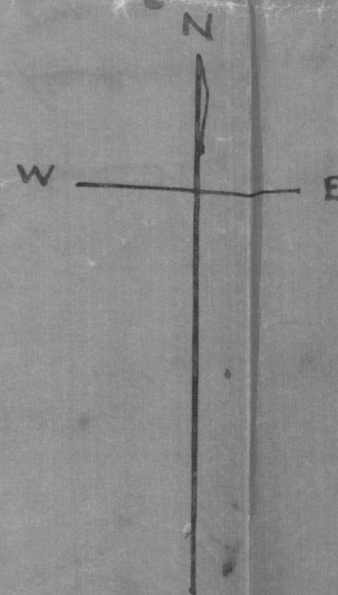
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SCALE 1" = 5 CHAINS.



DHARAPURAM ROAD

PALANI ROAD

ADI DRAVIDA DAY & NIGHT
SCHOOL 9

THIAGARAJA
PILLAY
SCHOOL 8

CHUTTARAM
SCHOOL 10

VICTORIA
GIRL SCHOOL 11

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MEMORANDUM NO 13141-DATED 27-4-25.

Education - compulsory - Udumalpet Municipality - Introduction - Chairman letter R.O.C. 296/M of 24; dated 29th October 1924.

A copy of the letter from the D.P.I. R.O.C.No;1678 B of 23, dated 6th April 1925 is communicated to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Udumalpet. The Govt. are unable to accede to the request of ~~Udumalpet~~ ^{the Municipal} Council for the payment of a contribution from Provincial funds equal to ~~the 12~~ ^{one and a half} times the proceeds of the education tax. The Chairman is requested to report whether the Council is prepared to contribute ~~annually~~ ^{annually} from its general revenues at least a sum of Rs. 3200/- or, in the alternative, to raise the rate of education tax proposed to be levied.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Udumalpet (with copy of p. 1-4 c.f.) *22.4.25.*

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Extract from the proceedings of the Udumalpet Municipal Council,
at its meeting held on 4th December 1925.

186. Government order regarding compulsory elementary education.

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The Council has
already informed
that this
request can
not be complied
with. Use
memo on
p. 25 of.

The Government may be requested to sanction
a grant of $1\frac{1}{2}$ times of Education Tax as the
council is unable to contribute Rs. 3200/-
from its funds.

(Sd) K. Chellamuthu,
Chairman.

(True extract) Ref 296/ul-24

Forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Law Education
to his
Department, Madras with reference /memorandum No. 1314 A-1 dated
27th April 1925.

Udumalpet Municipal Office,

K. Chellamuthu

Dated 10th December 1925.

Chairman.

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Law (Education) Department.

C. No. 16 A.

Memo. No 16 A/26-10/23-1.26

Introduction of compulsory education - Udumalpet Municipality - Endorsement from the C.M.C. Udumalpet No.296-24 dated 10-12-1925.

The Chairman, Municipal Council, Udumalpet, is informed that the Government are unable to reconsider their decision in regard to the amount of contribution payable from Provincial funds under section 37 of the Elementary Education Act. If the Council contributes only Rs 1040 from its general fund to the elementary education fund, an additional sum of Rs 2160 is required to finance the scheme of compulsory elementary education. The Chairman is requested to report whether the Council is prepared to enhance the proposed rate of education tax (12½ per cent on property and profession taxes) so as to raise the additional income required.

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To
The C.M.C., Udumalpet (Memo)
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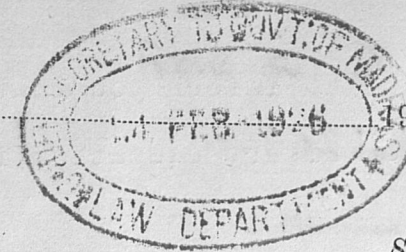
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Station Udamalpet Dated the 18th February 1926.

From (Name) M.R.By. K. Chellamuthu Gounder Avergal.,

(Designation) Chairman, Municipal Council,

Udamalpet.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras

Law (Education) Department.

Sir,

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Reference-- Government Memorandum No. 16. A/26 -1-
dated 23-1-26.

The Memorandum read above was placed before the council in its meeting on 9-2-26,, The council after considering the difficulties of the rate payers and the stress for money in the market did not want to burden the people with additional taxation. They resolved that at present they are unable to enhance the rate of Education tax more than 12½ % on the property and profession taxes.

They have resolved to open an additional Elementary School within the limits and intend to run the same with their own funds.

I have therefore the honour to inform you that for the present the scheme of introducing compulsory education in the municipality may be dropped.

At the same time I venture to request that the Government will be pleased to enhance the subsidy ^{granted} for maintaining the Elementary Schools within the Municipal limits.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

N. K. K. K.
Chairman.

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To the C.M.C. Municipal (with ref to his letter no 286/25 of 18.2.26)

D.D. (with copy of C.M.C.'s letter no 286/25 - with ref to the Director's letter no 1678/25 of 16.4.25)

C No. 1314 A.

From the D.P.J. No. 1678-B of 23.10.25

Education - Compulsory - Individual petition

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Go. 241 LE (2)
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Go. 581 LE (C)
14-4-21

The Municipal Council has resolved to introduce compulsory elementary education in the area under its jurisdiction for all the boys of school age. The Council proposes to levy an education tax at 12½ per cent of property and profession taxes and expects an income of Rs 1500 from this education tax. The Council (as a special case) requests the Govt. to contribute one-and-a-half times the education tax collected, under section 37 of the Elementary Education Act. The D.P.J. does not support this request, since no such enhanced payment has been made to any other municipality.

2. In the scheme put forward, the Council provides a sum of Rs 1040 as its contribution to the Elementary Education fund from its general revenues. The amount actually contributed by the Council 1920-21 is Rs 1020 and in the budget estimate for 1924-25 it provided a sum of Rs 3200 towards its contribution. Reference is solicited to the financial statement furnished

by the D.P.D. at p. 4 c. f. According to this statement the scheme cannot be introduced unless the Council consents to contribute at least a sum of Rs 3200 every year from its general revenues or unless the rate of education tax is raised. The D.P.D.'s letter may be communicated to the Chairman and he may be asked to state whether the Council will contribute Rs 3200 every year to the elementary education fund or whether it will raise the rate of the tax so as to cover the estimated expenditure of the scheme.

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A draft memo. is submitted.

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- 6th. to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madras, 13/4 A-1 of 27-4-25 p 25 CF
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- 6th. to the do do no 16 A-1 of 20-1-26 p 27 CF
- com 67/11 from the do do no 296 of 18-2-26 p 28 CF

The Chairman states that the scheme for the introduction of compulsory elementary education in the Municipality may be dropped, as the Council is unwilling to raise its contribution or to enhance the rate of education tax. The papers may be

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