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Payment of a duty allowance of Rs 1/- to teachers in single
teacher schools - orders passed.

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Audit objection - Payment of duty allowance to teachers in single teacher's schools.

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

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras

LAW (EDUCATION)

Department.

Sir,

In submitting herewith letter R.C.No. 1769/25

dated 17th December 1925 from the President, Taluk Board

Madura together with the endorsement of the President, District Educational Council thereon, I have the honour

to state that under G.O.No. 1934 Law (Education) dated

11th December 1924 the duty allowance payable to head-

masters and headmistress is on varying rates from --

Rs 2 to Rs 5 per mensem. The duty allowance is not --

admissible when there is only a single teacher-Please

see para 5 of G.O.No. 1599 Rev. dated 1st September 1922

Since it is not admissible in Government elementary

schools it cannot be given in Board and Municipal ele-

mentary schools. Therefore the auditor's objection is

valid.

Why?

Are teachers in board schools allowed all the

allowances permitted for teachers in gov. schools

enclosed. I referred the question to the

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2. In view of the fact that the low paid teachers would be adversely affected if recovery is ordered, I suggest that the recovery may be waived and the President, Taluk Board may be informed that in future the allowance should not be paid to single teachers schools. In this connection I may also state that a general orders on the subject may be issued so as to enable the other local bodies to know that the payment of such allowances is not permissible.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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for Director of Public Instruction

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Audit objection - Payment of duty allowance to Teachers of single Teacher Schools - special sanction applied for.

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Re No. 1769/25

Station M A D U R A , Dated the 17th December 192 5.

From (Name) M.R.RV., P.C.Muthu Chettiar Avl., M.L.C.,

(Designation) President, Taluk Board, Madura.

To The Secretary, to the Government of Madras,

Law Education Department.

~~Sir~~ Through Madras.

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, and

The President,
District Educational Council, Madura.

Sir,

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I have the honour to state that consequent on the abolition of capitation allowance from 1923-24 in G. O. No.1164 Law Edu dated 3-10-22 and G. O. No.14 dated 3-1-23, this Taluk Board sanctioned a revised scale of pay in its Taluk Board Resolution No.99 dated 28-7-23 (copy enclosed). While doing so the Board thought it necessary to sanction the "Duty allowance" - an allowance

allowance intended for some additional duty - also to the Teachers of single Teacher Schools as they have the equal amount of responsibility and scriptory work like the Head Masters of the other Schools who are given the same -- allowance; but a little more according to the number of assistants they have. Accordingly the Board has specifically sanctioned in the resolution quoted above. Hence it will be clear that the allowance is not intended for the Head Master's place, but for additional responsibility and scriptory work a teacher in charge of a School may have.

2. The revised scale of pay and duty allowance are being paid to the Teachers from 1-4-23. There was no audit objection to the payment of duty allowance to the single Teacher Schools for the past two and a half years. But in the objection statement for August 1925, I find that the same has been objected to (Please see extract enclosed) on the ground that the payment is inadmissible. I have now withheld the duty allowance pending final decision in the matter. I understand that the audit department will not remove the objection unless the special sanction of -- Government is accorded for the payment. I need not point out that it will be a great hardship to these poorly paid teachers, if the amounts objected to, are ordered to be recovered.

In these circumstances I request that suitable orders may kindly be issued so that the objection may be got removed at an early date and the poor teachers relieved of their pecuniary difficulties.

I have the honour to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

For President.

CVR./19-12.

Copy to the Inspector of Local Boards.

Proceedings of the Taluk Board, Madura.

No. 99 dated 28-7-23.

Present:--

M.R.Ry., P.C.Muthu Chettiar Avl., M.L.C., President.
" P.P.A.Palanikumar Nadar Avl., Member.
" V.Sundaram Iyer Avl., "
" N.Rm. Muthuswami Pillai Avl., "
" N.V.C.Thangaswami Chettiar Avl., "
" M.P.Arunachalam Chettiar Avl., "
" V.R.Sivaramasubbier Avl., "

R e a d:-- G.O.No.14 Law (Edu) dated 3rd January 1923 -- regarding the abolition of capitation allowance from 1st April 1923 and the revision of teachers' pay in lieu of as per G.O.No.1164 Law (Edu) dated 3rd Oct. 1922 with reference to the Government Scale and that the Local Board is at liberty to fix the salary of the Teachers in its employ under Section 67 of the Local Boards Act, provided no extra cost is thrown on -- Provincial Funds.

Also note of the President recommending the following scale of pay:--

	Rs.	Trained but failed. Rs.	Not undergone training. Rs.
Lower Ele. Grade Trained:			
Boys .. 16-1-21.		15.	14.
Girls .. 16/17-1-21.		16.	14.
(To begin from)			
Higher Ele. Grade Trained:			
Boys 16/18-1-21		17.	14.
Girls 16/19-1-21		18.	14.
(To begin from)			
Secondary Grade Trained:			
Boys 30-1-35		25.	23.
Girls 30-1-35		30.	27.

Duty allowance to be given to Head Masters or in Schools containing 2 teachers including the Head Master or Head Mistress:--
3 teachers Do. Do. .. Rs.2.
4 and above Do. Do. .. " 3.
" 4.

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Resolution:-- Approved. Duty allowance of Re.1/- is also sanctioned to the single Teacher in Schools where there is only one.

Sd/- P.C.Muthu Chetty,
President.

(True Extract)

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For President.

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Forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

2. The audit objection is evidently technical and is based on the fact that the Duty Allowance mentioned in G.O. No. 14 Law (Education) dated 3-1-23 is payable only to Headmasters and Headmistresses and that teachers employed in single teacher schools are not 'Headmasters'. I agree with the President, Taluk Board in his view that it would be a great hardship to recover from these poor-paid teachers the amount that has already been paid. Recommendation may therefore be made to Government to waive the recovery if the audit objection is considered to be in order.

3. In this connection it may be observed that the salary paid to the teachers under the Madura Taluk Board is unduly low and does not adequately compensate the loss of Capitation Allowance. The need for a revision of pay is imperative and the Taluk Board may be requested to give its consideration to the question.

Office of the District
Educational Council, -
Madura, dated 9-1-26. S.S./12-1-26.

Chengal
for President.
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Copy to the President, Taluk Board, Madura

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Subject. Payment of duty allowance to teachers in
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In Ld No. 14 Ld 3.1.23 the Govt drew the
attention of local boards to Section 67 of the Local
Boards Act under which the boards are at liberty to fix
the salary of its teachers in its employ. At the same time
the boards were informed that the scaling pay sanctioned
for the several grades of teachers in Govt Elemr School
might be taken as the standard to be worked up to in the
schools under their control. Accordingly the taluk board,
Madure, revised the scales of pay of teachers in its
employ as shown in p. 5 of C.F. These scales are far below
those sanctioned for Govt Schools as shown below:-

Grade of teacher	Scales ^{of pay} sanctioned for Govt Schools and commended to local boards for adoption	Scales of pay sanctioned by the Madure T.B.
Lower Elemr grade		
Boys Schools	Trained - Rs 20-1-30 p.m. untrained Rs 15 p.m.	Trained - Rs 16-1-21 p.m. Trained but failed - Rs 15 p.m. untrained - Rs 14 p.m.
Girls Schools	Trained Rs 22½-1½-45 p.m. untrained Rs 20 p.m.	Trained 16/17-1-21 p.m. Trained but failed Rs 16 p.m. untrained Rs 14 p.m.
Higher Elemr Tary grade	Boys Schools { Trained Rs 25-1-50 p.m. untrained Rs 20 p.m. Girls Schools { Trained Rs 27½-1½-50 p.m. untrained Rs 25 p.m.	Boys Schools { Trained 16/18-1-21 p.m. Trained but failed Rs 17 p.m. untrained Rs 14 p.m. Girls Schools { Trained Rs 16/19-1-21 p.m. Trained but failed 18/- p.m. untrained Rs 14 p.m.
Secondary Grade.	Boys Schools { Trained Rs 35-35-1½-50-1-60 untrained Rs 25 p.m. Girls Schools { Trained Rs 45-3-90 p.m. untrained Rs 30 p.m.	Boys Schools { Trained Rs 30-1-35 p.m. Trained but failed Rs 25 p.m. untrained Rs 23 p.m. Girls Schools { Trained Rs 30-1-35 p.m. Trained but failed Rs 30 p.m. untrained Rs 27 p.m.

Scales sanctioned for Govt. Schools
and recommended to local boards for
adoption

Scales sanctioned
by the Madras T.R.B.

Duty allowance of Headmasters.	In Schools with one teacher - Rs nil	Rs 1 p.m
	do two teachers Rs 2 p.m	Rs 2 p.m
Duty allowance of Headmasters	do three do Rs 3 p.m	Rs 3 p.m
	do four do Rs 4 p.m	Rs 4 p.m
	do five do above Rs 5 p.m	Rs 4 p.m

The D.P.D. objects to the grant of the duty allowance of Re 1/- ^{above} sanctioned by the Madras taluk board for teachers employed by in single teacher schools on the ground that such teachers do not get any allowance if employed in Govt. Schools. In the circumstances explained by the P.T.B. at 'M' on 14.4.26 it seems reasonable that the teachers in question should be allowed the duty allowance of Re 1/- especially since the pay proper sanctioned by the board is very inadequate compared with the scales of pay ~~sanctioned~~ recommended by Govt. Even if it is otherwise, it is not advisable to interfere with the discretion of a taluk board in such petty matters such as the grant of an allowance of Re 1/- especially since under ~~Section 67~~ ^{the board} Section 67 of the Local Boards Act it is at perfect liberty to fix its own scale of pay for its employees. Subd that the Examiners of L.T.A. & the D.P.D. may be informed that the Govt. Secy has no objection to the Madras taluk board ^{the} paying a duty allowance in question. Draft subd is being sent to Ld. for acceptance.

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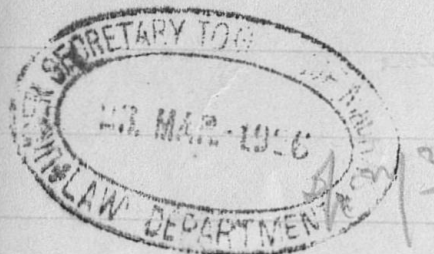
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The Government consider that, in view of the provisions of Section 67 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1920, no objection need be taken to the duty allowance sanctioned by the Taluk Board, Madura, to teachers in single teacher schools.

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To the D.P.I. (with refce to his
letter No. 107 B/26, dated 25-2-26)

To the P.T.O. Madura (with refce. to his letter 1769/25, dated 17-12-25.)

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