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G.O. No. 500.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

School Secondary - Melvisharam -
Recognition - Muhammedan
School -

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Memo 3002 B-1
24. 10. 20

The L. P. D. is requested to state whether any proposals for the opening of a secondary school at Melvisharam ^{in the N. quarter} have been received by him, and if so, in what stage the matter is.

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The D. P. L. Adm 281x.

Reminder after 2 weeks.

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Sent 12-11-24

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Q. O. C. No. $\frac{120}{296}$ 9.23.



Union Board's Office,
Melvisharam, 5.12.24.

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Janab T. Abdur Rahman Sahib Bahadur,
President, Union Board,
Melvisharam.

To

The Director of Public Instruction,
Port Saint George,
Madras.

L. O. 3402-B

6/1/24

Through

The District Educational Officer,
North Arcot, Vellore.

Sir,

In reminding you of the repeated requests from the Muslim citizens of Melvisharam which is mostly populated by Mussalmans and my letter thereon dated 16th July 1924 requesting to open a Muhammadan Secondary School in this town, I have the honour to state that the public is welcoming a secondary school very anxiously every moment ever since the necessity arose. No doubt, it is a known fact that this community is backward in the matter of education of Secondary standard when compared with other communities and request that this drawback may kindly be got removed by opening a Secondary school as prayed for above.

In this connection I am to state that there is only one institution of Elementary Higher Grade under the control of the Ranipet Taluk Board, North Arcot District., in such a big town as Melvisharam which is inhabited by more than 8000 inhabitants of which 80 per cent constitute Muslim community. Considering the sheer necessity and the urgency of the same, a leader of this community and the most philanthropic citizen of this town Ali Janab C. Abdul Hakim Sahib Bahadur has given a gift of a building worth Rs. 5000 which will find place in the records of your office, communicated by the District

Received

District Educational Officer, North Arcot in his correspondence
R.O.C.No.108/24 about the month of February 1924.

Under these circumstances, I, on behalf of the citizens
of Melvisharam, request that the present Elementary school
under the control of the Ranipet Taluk Board may kindly be
raised to a secondary school upto Third form i.e. including
all the three classes of I, II and III forms as there are
boys available for admission for all these classes in the
beginning itself. I also request that the institution
when started may be converted into a Government School
being a Muhammadan School and thus advance the cause of
Muslim education which when done will place the community
under a deep debt of gratitude to Government as it relates
to their enlightenment and advancement in their material
and moral progress.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

T. Abdul Rahman
President.

Copy submitted to the Minister for Education, Fort St. George, Madras.
for favour of information.

Copy to the President, District Secondary Education Board.

T. Abdul Rahman
5-12-24 President
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D.P. I may submit a
report on the proposal to
raise the school into a
secondary school - as this is
also a demand of a long time
D.P. 24

Cur. No. 120 of 1923.

MELVISHARAM UNION BOARD'S OFFICE,

Dated 12/1/1925.



From.
To. **Abdur Rahaman Saheb, Bahadur.**
PRESIDENT.

Union Board.
Melvisharam.

The. Director of Public Instruction
Fort St. George
Madras.
Mrs. The District Educational Officer
North Arcot, Vellore.

Subject:-

Opening - Muhammadan Secondary
School - Melvisharam - North Arcot.

In inviting your kind attention to my latest
letter Q.O.C.No. 1209/24 of 5th Decr '24, bringing
to your kind notice the urgent necessity of a
Govt. Muhammadan Secondary School at
Melvisharam. I have the honor now to request
you will be kind enough to make such arrangements
for the early opening of the said institution,
in order that the boys fit for admission in the
said Secondary School enjoy the fruit of it by
being admitted in that institution early in April '25
& thereby relieved from their drawback of not
having possessed the Secondary education.

I request you will be kind enough to pay
your special attention towards the matter, being
a long felt need.

I leave the honor to be
Your most obedient servant

Due copy (sd) T. Abdul Rahman
President

Communicated to the Director of Public Instruction
direct to save delay.
Copy to the Minister for Education, in Contin-

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12/7/25

Memo. 3002 B. 2 ⁽⁵⁾ D. 5.3.25

Opening of a secondary
School at Melvisheram,
N. Arcot District - Memo.
No. 3002 B-1 D 24-10-24

The D. P. I. is requested
to submit ~~an~~^{any} early reply
to the menus quoted above

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The T. P. Jr. Blvd 9/6/3

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Law (Education)

DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Opening of a Secondary School at Melvisharam

Reminded on 27.4.25.

Law (Ed.) Dept.

*The D.O. may again
be reminded on 1.4.25*

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ENCLOSURES.

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R. C. No. 2187 B/24

*may be sub to H. for
personal.*

Station Madras

Dated the 7-3-25

*Account aff. & raised
again after two
months - 17/3*

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

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

Madras

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law (Education)

Department.

Sir,

With reference to your Memorandum No. 3002 B

2/24 dated 5-3-25, I have the honour to state that no
proposal for the opening of a Secondary school at
Melvisharam has yet been received in this office and
that the District Educational Officer, North Arcot has
been asked to consult the President, District Board on
the subject and submit a report. The District
Educational Officer has already been reminded.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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for Director of Public Instruction



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Received 192 . Registered 27.4.1925

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Subject.

Re: the opening of a Board Muhammadan Middle School at
Melvisharam-

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R.O.C. No. 2187-B/24.

Station Madras, Dated the 22nd April, 1925.

From (Name) R.G. GRIEVE, Esq., M.A., F.R.G.S.,
(Designation) DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
LAW (EDUCATION) Department.

Sir.

With reference to Government Memo No. 3002-B/2/24,
dated 5-3-25, and in continuation of my letter R.O.C. No.
2187-B/24, dated 7-3-25, I have the honour to report that
the North Arcot District Board is willing to establish a
Muhammadan Middle School at Melvisharam, provided the entire
recurring and non-recurring cost of the school is met from
provincial funds - please vide copy of Resolution 37 dated
12-3-25 herewith enclosed.

(P.T.O)

2. The position taken up by the District Board in demanding full net cost from Government is not justifiable in view of the financial condition of the Board which appears to be sound, as evidenced by para 17 of the Administration report for 1923-24 reviewed in G.O.No.508 L.&M. dated 12-2-25. In this connection, I invite the attention of Government to G.O.No.888 Law (Education) dated 2-6-24.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for Director of Public Instruction.

Extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the District Board, North Arcot, passed at its meeting held on the 12th March 1925.

Resolution No.37

Read letter ROC No.108/24 dated 4-1-25 from the District Educational Officer, North Arcot, enquiring whether the District Board can establish a secondary school for Muhammadans at Melvisharam.

The Board will be glad to open a secondary school for Muhammadans at Melvisharam provided the Government bears the entire initial and recurring cost of the same.

DEPARTMENT.

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Subject

Praying for the early sanction of a Muhammadan Secondary School at Melvisharam in the District of North Arcot

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G.O. No. 120/23

Station Melvisharam, Dated the 30th April 1925.

From (Name) Jacob J. alias Rahamund Ali
(Designation) President, Union Board
To The ^{Minister} Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Local Self Government Department.

Sir,

Fort St. George, Madras.

I beg to invite your kind attention to my repeated request praying for the sanction of an early opening of a Muhammadan Secondary School at Melvisharam. I now beg to request that you will be gracious enough to accord early sanction for the same in order to enable the authorities concerned to have it opened here about July 1925 that is soon after the re-opening

of the school after the summer holidays.

Ever since your goodness visited this place, the anxiety of the citizens regarding the early opening of the said school is on its rapid increase & I could not reply them as they worry me to inform the time by which they may expect the secondary school here, myself being their representative for this town.

Under the circumstances, I have been obliged to remind your goodness of the same with the hopes that early sanction may kindly be accorded towards the opening of the school in time. I beg to remain
Sir

Your most obedient servant

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This was sent direct
being a request for
to remind of the original
correspondence.

6/30.11.25. T. Abdul Rahuman
One indent

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Law (Edn) Deptt

Memo. 3002 B/24-4 D. 24.6/25

Opening of a
Secondary school for
Muhammadans at Mel-
visharam - D.P.'s letter

R.O.C. No. 2187 B/24 D. 22.4.25

The Govt consider that, in view of the fact that there is a large Muhammadan population in and around Melvisharam ^{There is scope for} a middle school for Muhammadans ~~should be opened at that~~ place. There is already a higher elementary school at Melvisharam maintained by the D.K. Bd, Raripet and the D.K. Bd, North Arcot has to open only forms I to III in it. As regards accommodation for the additional classes it is understood that Janab C. Abdul Hakim ^{Bepadar} Sahib has made a gift of a building worth Rs. 5,000 for

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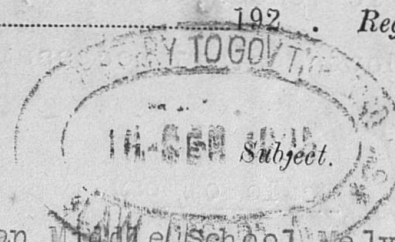
DEPARTMENT.

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Board Muhammadan Middle School, Melvisharam - District Board's
decision and the estimated recurring and non-recurring cost -
submitted.

ENCLOSURES.

No.

R.O.C. No. 2187-B/24.

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Station Madras

Dated the 11th September, 1925.

From (Name) R.G. GRIEVE, Esq., M.A., F.R.G.S.,

(Designation) A.S. DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

LAW (EDUCATION)

Department.

Sir,

with reference to Government Memorandum No. 3002-B/24-4
dated 24-6-25, I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of
a letter D. Dis. No. 865 D.B. of 1925 dated 14-8-25 from the
President, District Board, North Arcot, together with a copy
of the resolution of the District Board regarding the proposed
Middle School for Muhammadans at Melvisharam. This resolution
has already been submitted to Government in my letter, R.C.
No. 2187-V/24 dated 22-4-25. They still adhere to their former
decision. The Board has not reconsidered the question in
the light of the Government Memo.

2. As regards the cost, the staff proposed by the
President is inadequate; and the scale of pay proposed by

(p.T.O) him

for the use of the proposed
school or has tendered an
equal amount for the
erection of a building for
the purpose. The Director
is, therefore, requested to
suggest to the Dist. Board,
North Arcot the desirability
of opening forms I to III
in the school and to submit
a detailed estimate of
the recurring and non-
recurring expenditure required
for the ~~purpose~~ of the classes.
He should report to Govt
the decision of the Board
in the matter.

To

The D.P.I.

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24 JUN 1925

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Reminded 20/8

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vide H.M. Minister's note at

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him is a little extravagant. On the analogy of the staff of the Municipal Muhammadan Middle School, Cuddapah, which was opened last year, I consider the following staff necessary and scale of pay suitable:-

Staff.	Scale of pay.	Average cost.
Headmaster (B.A., L.T.)...	Rs. 75-5-100	Rs. 91 7/18
2 Assistants (Secy. trd.)	35-35-1-50 each.	86
Urdu Munshi ..	25/-	25
Combined Drawing teacher and Physical Training Instructor.	25/-	25
Peon ..	12/-	12
Total average cost...		239 7/18 per mensem or 2,872 2/3 per annum
Provident Fund ...		170
Contingencies (usual) ..		390
Total recurring charges..		3,432 2/3 or Rs. 3,433 in round figures.

Receipts:-

Fees for 60 pupils at Standard rates) = 260 x 22 = 5,720
less 10% for backward classes..) = Rs. 1,188/-

The average net expenditure.. = Rs. 3,433 - 1,188
Rs. 2,245

The average recurring net expenditure of the school is Rs. 2,245/-.

As regards the non-recurring cost, the President requests a subsidy of Rs. 1,200/- for initial equipment. On the analogy of the new Middle Schools opened in 1920, I suggest that the subsidy for initial equipment may be restricted to Rs. 1,000/-.

3. As regards Government bearing the full cost, I believe there are local Muhammadans who could pay, if they would, and I do not see why either the Board or Government should pay the full cost, ~~and~~ the local Muhammadans paying nothing at all.

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

for Director of Public Instruction.

M.R.P. 12/9.

Copy of letter D.Dis.No.865 D.B.of 1925 dated 14th August 1925 from the President, District Board, North Arcot, to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, through the District Educational Officer, North Arcot, Vellore.

With reference to your letter ROC.No.2187-B/24 dated 3-7-25, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the District Board's resolution obtained in March last agreeing to the opening of a Middle school at Melvisharam provided the Government bears the entire initial and recurring cost of the institution.

2. The probable class-war strength of the proposed school is reported to be

I Form ..	25
II " ..	20
III " ..	15

There is, I think a good strength for a new school to start with.

3. One L.T. and two secondary grade trained teachers and a peon will be required. Barring the L.T. the other teachers must know Urdu. In this case it would be difficult to procure the services of trained muhammadan teachers on a salary less than Rs. 50 per mensem. The pay of the L.T. may be fixed at Rs. 100 per mensem and of the peon at Rs. 12 per mensem.

Thus including contingencies the recurring annual expenditure of the institution will be Rs. 3,100 as detailed in the margin. A

Salaries of teachers ...	Rs. 2400	) Lump allotment of Rs. 1200/- will be required for the
Bonus to Provident Fund to teachers. ...	150	
Peon ..	150	) supply of furniture, library books and science apparatus
Contingencies such as postage stationery, forms registers and class books.	300	
Repairs to buildings and unforeseen. ...	100	) which constitute the non-recurring items.
Total...	Rs. 3100	

Extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the District Board, North Arcot, passed at its meeting held on the 12th March 1925.

Read resolution No. 37

Read letter ROC.No.108/24 dated 4-1-25 from the District Educational Officer, North Arcot, enquiring whether the District Board can establish a secondary school for Muhammadans at Melvisharam.

The Board will be glad to open a secondary school for muhammadans at Melvisharam provided the Government bears the entire ~~xxx~~ initial and recurring cost of the same.

(True Copies)

for Director of Public Instruction

Received 192 . Registered 192 (12)

Subject.

Establishment of a Middle School, Melvisharam.



ENCLOSURES.

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R.O.C. No. 2307 D/25

Station Madras Dated the 18th March 1926 192

From (Name) R. LITTLEHAILES ESQUIRE, M.A.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras

Law (Education) Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that a deputation of the leading Muhammadan gentlemen of Melvisharam, North Arcot District has requested me to recognise as a Middle school the Madrasa Islamiah at Melvisharam, which is at present an unrecognised school with standards 1 to 8.

There are at present two schools at Melvisharam. One is an Higher Elementary School maintained by the Ranipet Taluk Board and it is housed in a building owned by Mr. C. Abdul Hakim Sahib and rented by him to the Taluk Board. The other is the Islamiah school at present held in a small building near the main road. Another plot of land containing a small building has been given to the Islamiah by one of its supporters Mr. P. Hajee Badha Sahib and Mr. C Abdul Hakim Sahib the President of the Madrasa Islamiah Committee has

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promised to construct a suitable building thereon for the Islamiah school. The site that is now occupied by the Islamiah school is already in possession of the Committee of management of the Islamiah and is to be used as a play ground.

The deputation promised to have the staff trained two or three every year and that as soon as recognition is granted they will take steps to improve the accommodation without seeking Government grant. The Committee are not prepared to hand over their school to the management of the District Board. Further more the promise given by Mr. C. Abdul Hakim Sahib viz that he would hand over his building now used by the Higher Elementary School under the control of the Taluk Board, to the District Board for use as a middle school no longer holds good. He has withdrawn from this position.

In this connection I may invite the attention of the Government to the correspondence ending with my letter R.O.C. 2187 B/24 dated 11-9-25 and state that I am convinced of the necessity for one but for only one middle school at Melvisharam and that unless Government propose to pay the full net cost of a middle school at Melvisharam under the District Board management, a proposal which I do not support I propose to grant temporary recognition as a middle school to the Madrasa Islamiah Committee school subject to such conditions as will ensure the school fulfilling within a reasonably short time the conditions laid down in the Madras Educational Rules for recognition.

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

R. K. S. S. S.
for Director of Public Instruction.

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C No 3002 B.
23-10-24

Law (rang)
"Please enquire from the D.P.I. about this school at Melvisharam - Muhammadan School - whether any proposal has been received by him to raise it to a higher grade."

A.P.P.

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A draft memo. to the D.P.I. is submitted.

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22.10.24

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23.10.24

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25.10.24

p 10. f [Memo to the D.P.I. No. 3002 B-1
8.24.10.24]

H 2-3 of C. No. 3402 B. From the President, Union Board, Melvisharam No. 120/23
8.5.12.24.

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"D.P.I. may submit a report on the proposal to raise the school into a secondary school - as there is also a donation of a large sum"

(h) A.P.P.

The D.P.I. has already been asked in memo. No. 3002 B-1 & 24.10.24 to report if there is any proposal

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proposal for the opening of a secondary school at Melvisharam. The petition in the c.f. is only a copy of a letter addressed to the D.P.I. Therefore, a further reference to the D.P.I. seems unnecessary. The D.P.I.'s report may be awaited.

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Mr 4-5 c.f.

[C.No. 548B From the President, Union Board, Melvisharam. No. 120/23 D 12.2.25]

p 4 c.f.

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The President, Union Board, Melvisharam, requests that early arrangements may be made for opening a secondary school at the place. The D.P.I.'s reply to Memo. No. 3002 B-1 D 24.10.24 has not yet been received. It is submitted that the D.P.I. may be reminded. A draft memo is submitted.

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[Memo to the D.P.I. No. 3002 B-2
D 5.3.25] p 6 c.f.

C. No. 1082 B from Do - No. R.O.C. 2187 - R/M
D 22.4.25. p 8-9 c.f.

A.S. The D.P.I. reports that the
~~North~~ Arcot St. Board is willing
to open a Middle school for
Muhammadians at Melvisharam
provided ~~that~~ the entire non-
recurring and recurring cost of
the school is met from Provincial
funds. He also states that the
position taken up by the Bd.
is not justifiable in view of
its sound financial position.
The finances of the Bd. are quite
satisfactory - vide paragraph
17 of G.O. No. 508 L & M D 12.2.25. @

The file may be circulated
to the M₂ for orders. Attention
is also invited to D.P.I.'s remarks on the same
question at 4.5.9 on 7.7.25 - 1 of 21.2.24.

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m 2/ In L the D.P.I. reported that
aid was given to any agency
if a high school is opened.
There is an higher Elementary School

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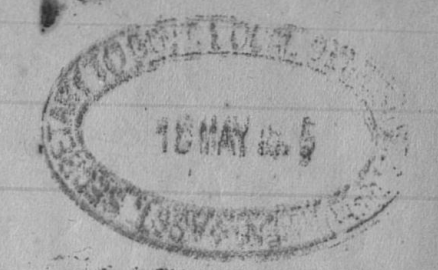
not at Melvisharam;
maintained by the D.P.I.
The D.P.I. has to open
new forms in it -
The cost of the building is
undertaken & paid by
Jamal Hakim Saluk. I
believe he tendered Rs 5000
for the purpose. If the
funds of the D.P.I. are not
able to pay for the higher
forms, we may place it
under the cost school & there
is a large Muhammadan
population residing in the
neighbourhood - we may therefore
subsidize it as proposed before.
D.P.I. may therefore advise the
D.P.B. to have higher forms
immediately, that Govt will
subsidize a proportion of the
cost if the funds of D.P.B. are
available, & act as a net
cost school. Mr C. Hakim
may be asked to pay his
contribution to the building.

D.P.I.



A draft memo. to the D.O.I. is submitted. It may be sent to L.S.G. & Enquire for acceptance.

C.P.A.
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L.S.G. u.o
Fin



14060
Law (Edu) no 30028/24-3



2.8.25

The draft memo. may be accepted in this Dept & the file passed on to Fin. no. L.S.G. 14060-1 Ltm 28/5/25

C.P.A.
26.5.25
Fin

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Finance (Exp)

The proposal is to convert the higher elementary school, Melvisharam into a middle school and to promise a half grant to the St. Board North Arcot towards the cost of opening forms I to III. There is no information in the file as regards the cost of the scheme. Law (Edu) may first be requested to obtain a detailed estimate of cost.

2. This is an item of new expenditure

may be brought forward as Part II scheme for 1926-27.
15.8.25

Para 17 of go. 502 Ltm 12.2.25

(In connection with the question of giving building grants to the Coimbatore & Dargah St. Board)

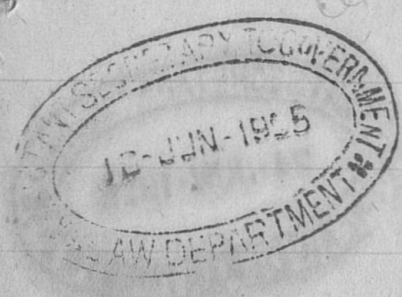
not provided for in the budget. It is therefore for consideration whether this scheme should not be treated as a Part II scheme for 1926-27. - For precedent please see Note for the Finance Committee at flag A.

3. The financial position of the St. Board N. Arcot is very satisfactory. It has to be considered whether any subsidy should be given at all in this case.

Recently Law (Edu) stated that the general question whether half grants should be given in all cases irrespective of the financial position of the local bodies concerned, would be taken up for consideration separately. The decision on the above question may be awaited.

L. du 1537B 16/6/25

Fin upo 20434 Exp-1 16.6.25



12.6.25

Law (Edu)

Law (Edu) Deptt.

A.S.

In paragraphs 1 and 2 of their note above Finance object to the proposal of this Deptt that the St. Board, North Arcot, may be advised to open forms I to III in the higher elementary school

School at Melvisharam on promise
of Govt meeting half the net
cost of the forms. That depts
say that a detailed estimate
of cost involved on account of
the opening of the classes
should be called for and that
the Scheme should go before
the Finance Committee as a
part II Scheme. It is submitted
that the necessary information
may be called for from the D.P.I.
A revised draft memo is
submitted for approval.

p 5 ante

V.T.K.
22.6

2. With reference to paragraph
3 of the Finance deptt note
on p. 6 ante it is submitted
that the general question of
proposed to be ^{taken up for} consideration separately
is one regarding subsidies to
local bodies for the construction
of buildings for secondary schools
and does not relate to the
subsidies for the running of
secondary schools. A decision
in this regard has already
been arrived at in G.O.

No. 1813 Law (Edn) D 22.11.24.

C.P.A.
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C.P.A.
22.6.25

V.T.K.
22.6

put up in another
file which is in Finance



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[Memo No. 3002 B/24-4 D 24.5.25]
C. No. 2477 B From the D.P.I.
R.O.C. No. 2187 B/24 D 11.9.25

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The D.P.I. reports that the
Dt. Board, North Arcot still
adhere to their former decision
that Govt should meet the
entire ~~non~~ initial and recurring
expenditure involved in the
opening of forms I to III in
the higher elementary school
at Melvisharam. He has
furnished a detailed estimate
of the cost involved in opening
the classes. The average
recurring net expenditure
of the three forms amounts to
Rs. 2,245 and ~~beside~~ a sum
of Rs. 1,000 will be required
in addition for equipment.

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No provision has been ^{made} ~~made~~
in the estimate of cost for building
or for rent apparently because
accommodation required for the
classes is available.

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2. The Director is not inclined
to recommend that Govt should
meet the entire net cost of the
school

school as he believes there are local Muhammadans who could, if they were willing, contribute something towards the proposed middle school. In the circumstances it is for orders whether Govt will consider the Board's request for that the whole cost involved in opening forms I to III should be borne by Govt. Perhaps L.S.G. may be requested to note on the financial condition of the Board to see if there is justification for a subsidy of more than one half of the cost.

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The ordinary surplus of the D.S.D. during the last four years is shown below:—

1922-23	+ 72203
1923-24	+ 88376
1924-25	+ 70040
1925-26	+ 44980

Normal budget (after providing for recurring contribs of Rs 7741 to Melvisharam) + 33109



CF

There seems no justification for a subsidy of more than half the net cost of the school.

As regards the initial equipment, the para 2 mp 15 of D.P.I. seems to recommend a subsidy of Rs 1000. The excess of Rs 200 can be met by the D.S.D. from its closing balance (Rs 28369) in the current year.

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Law (Education) Department.

The L.S.G. Department considers that the District Board, North Arcot, can meet one-half of the cost of the proposed middle school for Muhammadans at Melvisharam. The Dt. Board, however, is not prepared to meet one-half of the cost. The necessity for a secondary school for Muhammadans at Melvisharam is admitted. Though the policy of Government in respect of the expansion of secondary education is to rely on aided agency, an exception is made in the case of schools for Muhammadans. The Government maintain eight secondary schools for Muhammadans under departmental management and they also meet the full net cost in the case of several schools main-

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6.8.25

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by local bodies. It is therefore for orders whether the full net cost of the proposed school at Melvisharam may be met by Government. If so, the file may be sent to Finance for acceptance of the proposal.

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14.10.25

Ca
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I think the Govt may establish a secondary school at this place. The estem sanction the proposal.

V.T.
17.10

Fin U.O

Finance (Exp)

(Previous Finance notes on p.p. 5 & 6 ante)

The present proposal is to open a secondary school for Muhammedans at Melvisharam. The net cost of the proposal is estimated as:-

Recurring	2,245 p.a.
non-recurring	1,200

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2. Pending a decision on the general question regarding the grant of subsidies for Secondary Education it has been agreed that the existing practice of deciding each case on its merits may be continued. From the d. S. G. Deptt note on p.p. 9-10 ante, it will be seen that the Dt Board is rich enough to meet the entire cost of the proposed school. But it is not prepared to do so and wants that the full

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17.10.25



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cost should be met by the Govt. There is no justification for this. The D.A.I. does not support the request of the Dt. Board. As the school is intended for Muhammedans Finance may perhaps agree to a half grant, both recurring and non-recurring. If Law (Edn) also agree they may be requested to bring this forward as a Part II Scheme for 1926-27. Vide para 2 of Finance note on p.p. 5-6 ante.

24.10.25

Law

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Law (Edn) Department

The Finance Department agrees to the payment of a half grant in this case. The Dt Board however is not prepared to meet the other half. If the school should be opened, the entire cost should therefore be met by Govt. As the school is for Muhammedans there is justification for according special treatment. It is therefore for orders whether a subsidy equal to the full cost may be given. If so, this may be included in the list of Part II schemes for the next year.

* A consolidated note on all such schemes relating to schools under local bodies will be sub? separately.
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27.10.25.

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C4

This is a school for Mussalmans,
 Matf Lakhai. I visited the
 locality and was satisfied there is
 need for the school. Mr Abdul Hakim
 promised to find building for the school
 and said he was going to build it.

There is an higher day school. The boys
 find it very difficult in regard to study
 etc. - we may as a special case
 in this backward area for the special
 circumstances of Mussalmans allow
 the full grant for a period of four
 years only.

30/10/25

If the Bd is not going to
 contribute anything why should
 it have control & patronage.
 Why should it be a G.P.
 school like others? etc

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Law (Education) Depatt.

The scales of pay proposed for the school are
 those obtaining in other board schools in the district.
 If the school should be a Government school, the scales
 of pay will have to be raised in order that they may be
 included in the cadres of school assistants. Further,

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* Pay Rs 7525-100 for 400
 100-10-150 for 400
 + 150-10-250 for 400
 Total Rs 25-250

Further the staff in a board school is not eligible
 for pension. By establishing the school under the manage-
 ment of the Board, the pensionary charges of staff are
 saved. Thus though the net cost of the school is met
 from provincial funds, it is on the whole more economi-
 cal to have it as a Board School than as a Government
 school.

SLR
 3.11.25

SLR
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 V.T.K.
 4.11

M₂
 C₄

As Govt do not wish to
 maintain the school
 & leave it to local
 board, the expenditure
 incurred is less - The
 D.P.O has however
 full control under
 the rules - no addition
 a alterations will be
 made without his specific
 approval.

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* Sent to Finance
 separately.

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The amount required for the payment of
 the full cost in this case has been
 included in the Consolidated note relating
 to additional provision for subsidies for
 secondary schools for under local
 bodies. The file may be sent to Finance
 for perusal.

SLR
 6.11.25

Finance

Finance (B.E.I.)

Please see notes from page 11 ante.

C₄ has since agreed to the proposal of the Law (Govt) Dept. The case may be perused and returned to Law (Govt).

CM
9.11.25

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Law

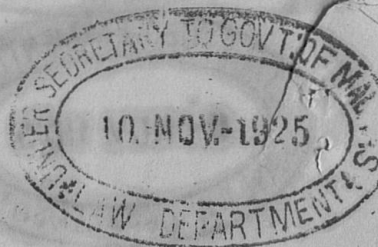
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9-11-25

CM 799 B. From the D.P.I., Rec N° 2307 & 318.3.26.

The file relates to the establishment of a Board Middle School for muhammadans at Melvisharam, North Arcot Dt. In the notes on pages 13-14 ante it was proposed to pay a subsidy to the Dt Board to cover the entire cost of the school, recurring and non-recurring. The necessary provision for this purpose has been made in the next year's budget. The D.P.I., however, now reports that a middle school under private management has ^{been} opened at Melvisharam and that he proposes to accord recognition to the school. As the policy of the govt is to establish a govt or Board school only in places where there is no suitable private agency for opening the school, the proposal for the establishment of a Board middle school at Melvisharam need not be proceeded with. The school under private management is more economical than the Board school of which the entire net cost is to be met by govt. Further, the donation promised by C. Abdul Hakim Sahib

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which is referred to by the Honble the Minister on page 4 ante is reported to be not available now. In these circumstances the D.P.I. may be informed that the govt have no objection to the grant of recognition to the school under private management as proposed by him. A draft order is submitted.

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C. No. 2477A From the D.P. I Rec. No. 2187A dated 11. 9. 1925

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No. 500, dated 31. 3, 1926.

The Govt have no objection to the grant of recognition as a middle school to the Madrasa Islamiyah Committee School at Melvisharam as proposed by the D.P.S.

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~~V.TK~~
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