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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

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From the Hon'ble Mr. G. H. STUART, M.A., Barrister-at-law, Commissioner for Government Examinations, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Educational Department, No. 25/1-D., dated 27th February 1902.

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Higher Grade.

Subjects.	Time allowed.	Maximum marks.
(1) Revenue Regulations and Acts	Three hours.	120
(2) Standing orders of the Board of Revenue	Do.	120
(3) The Stamp, Income-tax, Customs and Excise Manuals	Do.	120
(4) Manuals of Village and Taluq Accounts and the Special Funds Code	Do.	120
Total	..	480

Lower Grade.

Subjects.	Time allowed.	Maximum marks.
(1) Revenue Regulations and Acts	Three hours.	120
(2) Standing orders of the Board of Revenue	Do.	120
(3) The Stamp, Income-tax and Excise Manuals	Do.	100
(4) Manuals of Village and Taluq Accounts and the Special Funds Code	Do.	120
Total	..	460

SALT TEST G.

Subjects.

Time allowed.

Maximum marks.

(1) Customs Law—

1. The Sea Customs Act, 1878		Two hours.	100
2. The Madras Inland Customs Act, 1844			
3. The Indian Tariff Act, 1894			
4. The Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1883			
5. The Indian Ports Act, 1889			
6. The Indian Merchandise Marks Act, 1889			
7. The Indian Arms Act, 1878			
8. The Indian Explosives Act, 1884			
9. The Indian Petroleum Act, 1899			

(2) Rules under the Customs Acts—

1. The Sea Customs Manual with appendices and the Land Customs Manual.	Two hours.	100
2. Direction for the use of tables for ascertaining the strength of spirits by L. Casella.		

2. The minima for passing in these tests, shall, as at present, be one-third of the maximum marks in each subject, and two-fifths of the aggregate marks for all the subjects.

(True Extract.)

M. HAMMICK,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner for Government Examinations.
,, Revenue Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 218, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
18TH APRIL 1902.

[SUBJECT.—*Changes in Revenue Tests and Salt Test G.*]

*From the Commissioner for Government Examinations, No. 25/1-D., dated 27th
February 1902.*

For the Assistant Secretary—

The current may be referred u.o. to the Revenue department for remarks.

P. T. THARYAN.
28-2-02.

A. T. PRINGLE.
1-3-02.

To Revenue u.o.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

To Under Secretary—

As suggested by the Director of Public Instruction, the Board of Revenue may, it is submitted, be asked (u.o.) to report how it would fix the number of papers for the revenue and sea customs tests.

S. N. SALDANHA.
3-3-02.

K. RAMANUJACHARI.
3-3-02.

N. E. MARJORIBANKS.
4-3-02.
G. S. FORBES.
5-3-02.

Board of Revenue u.o.

BOARD OF REVENUE.

The annexed tabular statements show the distribution of subjects, time, marks and minima which the Board would propose.

L. DAVIDSON.
18-3-02.

Revenue Secretary to Government, with two tabular statements.

SEA CUSTOMS TEST.

Present table.			Proposed table.		
Subjects.	Time allowed.	Maximum marks.	Subjects.	Time allowed.	Maximum marks.
1. <i>Sea Customs Law.</i>			SALT TEST G.		
(1) Act VIII of 1878 (Sea Customs Act).	2	100	1. <i>Customs Law.</i>		
(2) Act VIII of 1894 (Indian Tariff Act).			(1) Act VIII of 1878 (Sea Customs Act).	2	100
(3) Act V of 1883 (Merchant Shipping Act).			(2) Act VI of 1844 (Land Customs Act).		
(4) Act X of 1889 (Indian Ports Act).			(3) Act VIII of 1894 (Indian Tariff Act).		
(5) Act IV of 1889 (Merchandise Marks Act).			(4) Act V of 1883 (Merchant Shipping Act).		
(6) Act XI of 1878 (Indian Arms Act).			(5) Act X of 1889 (Indian Ports Act).		
(7) Act IV of 1884 (Indian Explosives Act).			(6) Act IV of 1889 (Merchandise Marks Act).		
(8) Act XII of 1886 (Indian Petroleum Act).			(7) Act XI of 1878 (Indian Arms Act).		
2. <i>Rules under the Sea Customs Act.</i>			2. <i>Rules under the Customs Act.</i>		
(1) Rules and notifications issued under the Sea Customs Act as collected and published by the Board of Revenue.	2	100	(1) The Sea Customs Manual with appendices and the Land Customs Manual.	2	100
(2) Standing Orders of the Board of Revenue (Chapter III on Customs) including the rules under the Explosives, Arms and other Acts.			(2) Direction for the use of tables for ascertaining the strength of spirits by L. Casella.		
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REVENUE TEST.

Present table.			Proposed table.		
Subjects.	Time allowed.	Maximum marks.	Subjects.	Time allowed.	Maximum marks.
Higher Grade.					
(1) Revenue Regulations and Acts ..	3	120	(1) Same as at present ..	3	120
(2) Standing Orders of the Board of Revenue ..	3	120	(2) Same as at present ..	3	120
(3) Stamp, Law and Rules ..	2	90	(3) The Stamp, Income-tax, Customs and Excise Manuals ..	3	120
(4) Manuals of Village and Taluk Accounts ..	3	100	(4) Manuals of Village and Taluk Accounts and the Special Funds Code ..	3	120
Total ..	11	430	Total ..	12	480
Lower Grade.					
(1) Revenue Regulations and Acts ..	3	120	(1) Same as at present ..	3	120
(2) Standing Orders of the Board of Revenue ..	3	120	(2) Same as at present ..	3	120
(3) Manuals of Village and Taluk Accounts ..	3	100	(3) The Stamp, Income-tax and Excise Manuals ..	3	100
			(4) Manuals of Village and Taluk Accounts and the Special Funds Code ..	3	120
Total ..	9	340	Total ..	12	460

Note.—The minima for passing in the above tests shall, as at present, be one-third of the maximum marks in each subject and two-fifths of the aggregate marks for all the subjects.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

To Secretary—

The statements forwarded by Mr. Davidson may be sent to the Educational department and the file returned.

K. RAMANUJACHARI.
22-3-02.

G. S. FORBES.
24-3-02.

To Educational u.o.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

The Board's proposals may be approved and the draft placed below may issue.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI.
25-3-02.

A. T. PRINGLE.
10-4-02.

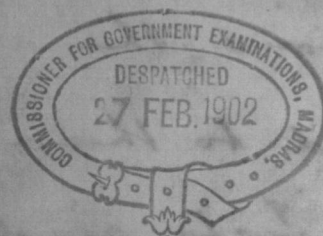
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M. HAMMICK.
18-4-02.

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From

[Name] The Hon'ble Mr. G. H. Stuart M. A.
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Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner for Government Examinations.
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