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Mr. Chatterton's Special Duty.

Communicating to the Director of Public Instruction endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State sanctioning the extension of the period of Mr. Chatterton's special duty by 18 months.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—again the following papers:—

G.O., Nos. 534, 535, Educational, dated 29th October 1903.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting the Government of India to obtain the sanction of the Secretary of State to the continuance of Mr. Chatterton on special duty for a further period of eighteen months from the 8th February 1904.

G.O., No. 61, Educational, dated 23rd January 1904.

Read—the following paper:—

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Educational Department, dated Calcutta, 22nd December 1903, No. 744, Education.

Your letter 535 of 29th October. Will extension [of] Chatterton's special duty necessitate continuance [of the] arrangements made in [the] School of Arts in 1901. [Vide] correspondence ending Home department [No.] 162, dated 30th April 1901.

Order—No. 61, Educational, dated 23rd January 1904.

The following telegram will be despatched to the Government of India, Home department:—

No. 12. Your telegram number 744, Education, 22nd ultimo. Chatterton takes ten months' leave in first week April next. Extension [of] his special duty recommended in my letter 535 of 29th October 1903 should therefore be for two months before his proceeding on leave and for sixteen months after return from leave. Continuance of arrangements made in 1901 is necessary for the first two months, but not for later period. Please obtain sanction for this also.

(True Extract.)

A. G. CARDEW,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

G.O., No. 176, Educational, dated 12th March 1904.

Read—the following paper:—

From W. S. MARRIS, Esq., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department (Education), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Educational Department, dated Calcutta, 1st March 1904, No. 160.

No. 12, dated the 23rd January 1904, regarding the proposed extension of Mr. A. Chatterton's deputation in connection with the development of technical and industrial education.

I am directed to inform you that, on the 18th February 1904, a reference was made to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India on the subject of your telegram cited on the margin.

Order—No. 176, Educational, dated 12th March 1904.

Recorded.

(True Extract.)

A. G. CARDEW,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

Read—also the following papers:—

Despatch from the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, Salaries, Establishments, etc. (Education), to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, dated Calcutta, 18th February 1904, No. 57.

In his despatch No. 17, Public (Educational), dated the 15th February 1900, Lord George Hamilton sanctioned the employment of Mr. A. Chatterton, Professor of Engineering at the College of Engineering, Madras, for a term of three years in furthering the progress of technical and industrial education in that Presidency. For the reasons explained in their letter, dated the 29th October 1903, the Government of Madras proposed that the period of Mr. Chatterton's deputation, which expires in February 1904, may be extended by eighteen months. They have subsequently suggested that as Mr. Chatterton intends to proceed on ten months' leave in April next the extended period of his deputation should be made up of two months before his departure on leave and of sixteen months from the date of his return to duty. Various important questions in relation to technical and industrial education are likely to engage the attention of Local Governments in the near future, and we think that the advantage of Mr. Chatterton's experience would be opportunely retained. Accordingly we beg to recommend the proposal for your sanction.

2. The proposal will involve the continuance of the temporary arrangements for the supervision of the Madras School of Arts, which your predecessor approved in his despatch No. 40, Public (Education), dated the 22nd March 1901, only until Mr. Chatterton proceeds on leave.

Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 8th April 1904, No. 64, Public.

I have considered in Council the letter of Your Excellency's Government No. 57, Finance and Commerce, dated the 18th February last, in which you recommend for my sanction a proposal to extend for eighteen months the period of the special duty on which Mr. A. Chatterton, Professor of Engineering at the College of Engineering, Madras, was placed in February 1901 with a view to furthering the progress of technical and industrial education in the Madras Presidency. Mr. Chatterton proposes to proceed on ten months' leave, in interruption of his special duty during the current month, and it is proposed to continue until the beginning of his leave the temporary arrangements for the supervision of the Madras School of Arts which were approved in Lord George Hamilton's despatch No. 40, Public, of the 22nd March 1901.

2. I sanction these proposals.

No. 392.

Copy, with copy of the despatch to which it is a reply, forwarded to the Government of Madras for information in continuation of the Home Department letter No. 160, dated the 1st March 1904.

(By Order.)

SIMLA,
16th May 1904.

R. NATHAN,
Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ORDER—No. 325, Educational, dated 31st May 1904.

Communicated to the Director of Public Instruction.

(True Extract.)

H. D. TAYLOR,
Ag. Secretary to Government.To the Director of Public Instruction.
„ Accountant-General.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 325, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
31st MAY 1904.[SUBJECT.—*Extension of Mr. Chatterton's Special Duty.*]Telegram from the Government of India, Home Department, No. 744, dated 23rd
December 1904.

In sanctioning the employment of Mr. Chatterton, for a term of three years, in furtherance of the progress of technical and industrial education in this Presidency and especially the development of the aluminium industry at the School of Arts, the Secretary of State asked for information as to the relation in which Mr. Chatterton would stand during his special employment to the Superintendent of the School of Arts—*vide* paragraph 3 of the Secretary of State's despatch in G.O., No. 174, Educational, dated 10th April 1900, page 3.

2. In reply the Government of India was informed that Mr. Porterfield, the then Superintendent of the School of Arts, would in pursuance of a notice given to him under his agreement vacate his office in February 1901; that the post of Superintendent would be left unfilled and that Mr. Chatterton would have charge of the school without prejudice to his special duties—*vide* letter No. 517, Educational, dated 23rd October 1900.

3. In letter No. 546, Educational, dated 31st October 1900, it was further stated that the abovesaid arrangement would continue for a period of three years (during which Mr. Chatterton would be on special duty), and during that period the school would have two distinct departments—the Fine Arts and the Industrial—each being in immediate charge of a responsible assistant under the orders of Mr. Chatterton; that the then Assistant Superintendent would be in charge of the Fine Arts department and that the Industrial department would be in charge of a competent subordinate seconded from the Public Works Department on a salary of Rs. 400 *per mensem*. The Government of India was further requested to obtain the sanction of the Secretary of State to the creation of the appointment of Industrial Assistant. This sanction was accorded in the Secretary of State's despatch No. 40, Public (Educational), dated 22nd March 1901, printed in G.O., No. 269, Educational, dated 15th May 1901.

4. This Industrial Assistant was chiefly required to supervise the business in aluminium—*vide* paragraph 8 of Mr. Stuart's letter in G.O., No. 511, Educational, dated 18th October 1900. The business in aluminium was recently transferred to the Indian Aluminium Company and the Government directed in G.O., No. 542, Educational, dated 5th November 1903, that the services of Mr. Brand, the Industrial Assistant at the School of Arts, should be replaced at the disposal of the Public Works Department. Mr. Chatterton has asked for a reconsideration of this order and the question is still under consideration.

5. In letter No. 535, Educational, dated 29th October 1903, the Government of India was asked to obtain the sanction of the Secretary of State to the continuance of Mr. Chatterton on special duty for a further period of eighteen months from the 8th February next when the period of three years sanctioned in 1900 would expire. The Government of India now wants to know whether the proposed extension of

Mr. Chatterton's special duty would necessitate the continuance of the arrangements made for the working of the School of Arts in 1901—that is, the substitution of an Industrial Assistant on Rs. 400 a month in place of the Superintendent. Or in other words the continuance of Mr. Brand as Industrial Assistant in the School of Arts.

6. Now that the aluminium business has been transferred to the Indian Aluminium Company, it seems clear that the services of the Industrial Assistant at the School of Arts will not be required. But the matter has been rendered difficult by Mr. Chatterton's going on leave from April next and by the proposal to appoint Mr. Brand to act for him. It has not been settled whether Mr. Brand will continue as Industrial Assistant and will have charge of the school or will be appointed to act as Superintendent of the school, an appointment which is vacant. In the latter case the sanction of the Government of India will be necessary under paragraph 16 of the resolution of the Government of India, dated 23rd July 1896, in G.O., No. 479, Educational, dated 10th August 1896, and in the former case the sanction of the Secretary of State will be necessary—*vide* article 80 of the Civil Service Regulations.

7. If Mr. Brand is to be appointed to act as Superintendent of the School of Arts during Mr. Chatterton's absence, the Government of India may be informed, in reply to their telegram under reference, that the continuance of the arrangements made for the working of the School of Arts in 1901 will not be necessary. But in that case

This is a minor matter. Perhaps Mr. Brand would take leave, or he might be kept on at the School of Arts, the sanction of the Secretary of State being applied for with retrospective effect.

A. G. CARDEW—26-12-03.

also a difficulty exists. Mr. Brand's deputation as Industrial Assistant will terminate on the 7th February next; he will then have to revert to the Public Works Department for a short time till he is again appointed to act as Superintendent of the School of Arts in April. This will cause some dislocation of arrangements in the Public Works Department and if it is to be avoided, Mr. Brand's deputation as Industrial Assistant at the School of Arts will have to be extended by two or three months, for which the sanction of the Secretary of State will be necessary—article 80 of the Civil Service Regulations.

8. In view of these difficulties, it would perhaps be better to postpone giving a

* Regarding Mr. Brand's retention in the School of Arts. G.O., No. 60, Educational, dated 23rd January 1904.

definite reply to the Government of India till orders are passed on the linked file *. Meanwhile the Government of India may be informed that a reply to their enquiry

will be sent in the first or second week of January next.

A draft telegram to the Government of India is placed below for approval.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI—24-12-03.

A. GALLETTI—24-12-03.

I see no use in an intermediate disposal. The question of the future management of the School of Arts is somewhat urgent, and must be settled definitely before a reply can go to India. Resubmit the two files to Honourable Member and mark very urgent directly after holidays.

A. G. CARDEW—26-12-03.

Please see linked file. We must first see whether Mr. Brand is suitable for the Arts school as such, if purely industrial training is to be given up.

G. S. F[ORBES]—3-1-04.

Final orders having been passed on the linked file a draft telegram to the Government of India in reply to their telegram in this file is placed below for approval.

T.K.—23-1-04.

P. T. THARYAN—23-1-04.

A.G.C.—23-1-04.

[G.O., No. 61, Educational, dated 23rd January 1904.]

From the Government of India, No. 392, dated 16th May 1904.

It is submitted that before formal orders are passed the communication from the Government of India on the subject of the extension of the period of Mr. Chatterton's special duty may be circulated to His Excellency the Governor and the Honourable Members for perusal only with reference to memorandum No. 671, Public, dated 29th April 1901.

N.L.R.—24-5-04.

P.T.T.—24-5-04.

H. D. TAYLOR—24-5-04.

Seen.

J. T[HOMSON]—25-5-04.

G. S[TOKES]—30-5-04.

G. S. F[ORBES]—30-5-04.

Formal orders may now issue.

H.D.T.—30-5-04.

The draft placed below may now issue.

N.L.R.—30-5-04.

P.T.T.—30-5-04.

Issue.

A.G.—31-5-04.

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[Name] R. Nathan Esq., C. I. E.,

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C. No. 922, From the Govt. of India, Home Deptt., No. 392, dated 16-5-1904.

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