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347-Edn.

Dated

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Scholarships - Technical
Govt. of India Scheme -
Committee appointed to
select candidates.

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No. F.85-14/44-E.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
Department of Education, Health and Lands.
New Delhi, the 11th January, 1945.

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From

Dr. John Sargent, CIE., MA., D.Litt.
Joint Secretary to the Government of India,

To

All Provincial Governments.

02131

Sir,

Please refer to the Government of India, Education, Health and Lands Department letter No. F.85-14/44-E, dated the 4th December 1944. The Government of India have been giving further thought to the question of the best method to adopt in selecting students for courses of study abroad.

There is reason to anticipate that a large number of applications will be received from students desirous of taking advantage of the facilities now available for those who desire to undertake courses of study directly related to requirements of Government connected with Post-War Development needs and that over and above these, a still greater number will desire to proceed abroad for courses of study at their own expense as was the case before the War. It is still more probable that the number of applications received will largely exceed the number of places likely to be available in foreign institutions, at any rate in the near future. Some form of selection will therefore be necessary and it appears to be desirable from many points of view that the method adopted both by the Central and Provincial Governments should be as uniform as local circumstances will allow.

The students in question will fall into three main categories:-

- Sponsored students who are already in Government employment. These will presumably be selected directly by the Departments of Government concerned and no special machinery will be required.
- Sponsored students who are not in Government employment.

Here it is suggested that applications should be invited by public advertisements and that applicants should be required to send in their applications through the Vice-Chancellor in the case of University students and through the Director of Public Instruction in the case of others. The applications should then be scrutinised and reduced to reasonable numbers by a Selection Committee which might consist of an impartial Chairman nominated by Government, a member of the Public Service Commission and such departmental representatives and experts as may be required to deal with special categories of applicants. Information as to the candidates so selected should then be sent to the Secretary, Education, Health and Lands Department of the Government of India in accordance with the form attached to the Government of India letter No. F.85-14/44-E, dated the 4th December 1944 together with such additional information as may be considered desirable.

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The Government of India themselves propose to set up an ad hoc Standing Selection Committee on similar lines to those suggested above. This Committee will consider applications forwarded by Provincial Governments together with those received direct through their own Departments or as a result of their own advertisements and will reduce the number approximately to the number of places which are likely to be available in institutions overseas. This Standing Committee will inform Provincial Governments where it is necessary to make reductions in the recommendations forwarded by them or where the educational qualifications of any candidates recommended are such as to make it unlikely that they would secure admission to a foreign institution.

(c) Non-sponsored students, who will proceed abroad in most cases at their own expense. Here it is felt to be most desirable, in the light of previous experience, to establish as quickly as possible the machinery recommended by the Central Advisory Board of Education (cf. Appx. U to the Proceedings of the Ninth and Tenth Meetings held in October 1943 and January 1944 respectively) for advising such students before they leave India in regard to such matters as the educational qualifications needed for admission to foreign institutions, the cost of course proposed, health questions, etc. for placing them in suitable institutions abroad and for supervising their welfare while in the foreign country. It is, therefore, suggested that Provincial Governments, in consultation with local universities, should take immediate steps for constituting Students Advisory Committees or Bureaux on the lines advocated by the Central Advisory Board of Education. If it were thought desirable that such Advisory Committees should also deal with sponsored students, there would be no objection provided that it would not delay the selection of students sponsored by Governments to go abroad from 1945-46 onwards and that the Advisory Committees in question would have at their command sufficient expert advice to enable them to deal with applications from students desiring courses in various branches of technology.

The Government of India would welcome any suggestions for improving the machinery of selection set out in this letter. They feel sure that Provincial Governments will agree that both public opinion and the applicants themselves should be satisfied that selection of those students who will receive grants from public funds i.e. the sponsored students has been determined purely in the public interest and solely with regard to the suitability of individual candidates.

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

JOINT SECRETARY.

SPT/-
23-10-1-45.



No. F.85-14/44-E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

Department of Education, Health and Lands.
New Delhi, the 29th January, 1945.

Dr. John Sarant, C.I.E., M.A., D.Litt.,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

To
All Provincial Governments.

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Sub:- Technical Education - Students to
be sent for training abroad.

Sir,

Please refer to my previous letters No. F.85-14/44-E, dated the 4th December, 1944 and 11th January 1945. The Government of India feel that it may be well at this stage to call the attention of Provincial Governments to one aspect of the question of selection of students for courses of training overseas, and more particularly of sponsored students, which has not been referred to specifically in previous communications. This relates to the desirability of ensuring that the facilities now being offered are made available to members of the Scheduled Castes and other backward communities.

2. While it is recognised that in the selection of technical personnel, it may not be practicable to adhere to communal proportions, it is hoped that Provincial Governments will take steps to see that all classes are adequately represented. Provincial Governments will, no doubt, be in agreement as to the desirability of....

Deals with in another file no. 1644-10-1-45

Letter/Ref.No. 213/C-3 21.2.45

To

The Secretary,
Madras Public Services Commission, (with encl.)

Sir,

Deputation of students for technical training
abroad.

The Govt. will shortly be deciding the number of candidates whom they should sponsor from outside Govt. service for the grant of scholarships for technical studies in other countries under the Govt. of India's scheme explained in their letter No.F.85-14/44-E, dated 4-12-1944 (copy enclosed).

2. As suggested by the Govt. of India separately, it is proposed to constitute a Selection Committee consisting of -

- (1) the member of the Board of Rev. in charge of Post-War Reconstruction;
- (2) a member of the Madras Pub. Service Commission;
- (3) the Director of Public Instruction.

The member of the Bd. of Rev. will be the Chairman, and the Secy. to Govt., Edn., & P.H. Department, will function as Secretary.

After the estimate referred to above is ready, the Secy. will announce the number of candidates which it is proposed to select for the various courses of studies the initial qualifications required of them and the terms on which the scholarships will be granted, and invite applications by public advertisement. The Committee will interview candidates and make recommendations: such as

of doing this and will advise accordingly any Committee or Committees set up by them for the preliminary selection of students.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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JOINT SECRETARY.

No.F.85-14/44-E.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi/Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara/Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General, Chief Commission and Resident in Baluchistan/War Department/Defence Department/Political Department/Planning and Development Department/Finance Department/ V.N.rahari Rao, Esquire, for information in continuation of this Department endorsement No.F.85-14/44-E, dated the 11th January, 1945.

By order,

for Joint Secretary.

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will be open to the committee to obtain/
such technical advice as ^{to not require} necessary may be obtained by
Co-opting ^{the} Heads of Dep'ts. concerned, as members.

3. Besides the 'sponsored' candidates referred to
above, the Govt. of India scheme ^{also} contemplates the provi-
sion of facilities for those who offer to undertake studies
abroad at their own cost. These, briefly called 'non-spon-
sored' candidates, will require advice and guidance and an
element of selection is involved in their case also. Al-
though the Govt. of India have advocated the setting up
of a Students' Advisory Committee ^{or} Bureau to be of as-
sistance to such candidates, it will be convenient for the
present for the Committee proposed above to handle appli-
cations and enquiries from this class of candidates also.

The idea is that besides the advertisement referred
to in para 2 above, there should be another advertisement
of a general nature inviting applications from students
who desire to undertake studies at their own expense and
saying that Govt. will be prepared to help in providing
them with the necessary facilities for obtaining admission
to the University or College selected and for their re-

sidence and supervision.

4. I am directed to request you to ascertain whether
member of the Commn. will find it convenient ^{to accept}
membership on the proposed Committee and give it the be-
nefit of his knowledge and experience.

request you to ^{advise} ~~name of the~~
~~members who~~
~~the committee~~
~~members can~~
~~be asked~~

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If I am also to request that a reply may be
sent as early as possible

to spare the members
of any of its members
to ^{be} ~~will~~ ~~be~~

No.F.85-11/44-E.
Government of India.
Department of Education, Health & Lands,
New Delhi, the 19th February 1945.



From
To
Dr. John Sargent, CIE., M.A., D.Litt.,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India,
All Provincial Governments.

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Sir,
I am to refer to this Department letter No.F.85-14/44-E, dated
the 4th December 1944 and subsequent letter No.F.85-14/44-E, dated the
11th January 1945, in which it was suggested that Provincial
Governments, in consultation with the local Universities, should take
immediate steps for constituting students' Advisory Bureaux on the
lines advocated by the Central Advisory Board of Education.

2. The Government of India will be glad to know as soon as possible
what steps the Provincial Government has taken in regard to the setting
up of a Students' Advisory Committee or Bureau on the lines suggested
by the Central Advisory Board of Education in India. In view of the
number of enquiries which are already being received from students
and their parents or guardians and the still larger number of such
enquiries for advice and assistance which may be expected in the near
future, the Government of India is anxious that the Committees or
Bureaux should be established as quickly as possible.

P.T.O.

3. The question whether these Bureaux should be used for the selection of sponsored students for technical courses abroad or whether some special machinery should be set up for this purpose was raised in para.3(c) of this Department's letter of the 11th January 1945. Even if the Provincial Government favours special arrangements for selecting sponsored students the need for the early establishment of Advisory Bureaux remains.

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

JOINT SECRETARY.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Commissioner, Delhi/Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara/Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General, Chief Commissioner and Resident in Baluchistan, War Department/Defence Department/Political Department/Planning and Development Department/Finance Department for information in continuation of this Department endorsement No.F.85-14/44-E, dated the 11th January 1945.

By order,

for JOINT SECRETARY.

OPP. 92/16/2/45.

Tel: "PUBSERCOM"

From
Sri Rao Bahadur P.K. Gnanasundara
Mudaliyar,
Secretary, Public Service Comm.,
MADRAS.

To
The Secretary to the Government
of Madras,
Education and Public Health
Department.

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No.856-B.1/45-1, dated 27-2-1945.



Selection Committee - Technical Education - Selection of students to be sent for training abroad - Your letter No.2131-C.3, dated 21-2-1945.

I am to say that subject to His Excellency the Governor's approval, the Commission can spare the services of Khan Bahadur J. Hussain for the purpose indicated in your letter cited, if, as is presumed, his service on the proposed Committee will not interfere with the proper discharge of the Commission's statutory duties and the work involved can be fitted into the ordinary work of the Commission.

Your obedient servant,

SECRETARY.

c.kn.27;2-1945.

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Education and P.H. Department.

SCHOLARSHIPS - Technical - Govt. of India
scheme - Committee appointed to select
candidates.

G. O. (MS.) No. 347 Edn., dated 9.3.1945.

The Government of India have announced a scheme for the grant of scholarships to qualified candidates for technical studies in other countries and have invited Provincial Governments to make recommendations. His Excellency the Governor appoints a Committee consisting of -

- (1) Mr. ~~C.H. Masterman~~ ^{A.F.W. Dixon}, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Member, Board of Revenue (Chairman).
- (2) Khan Bahadur Javad Hussain Khan Sahib, ^{(Bahadur} Member, Public Service Commission, Madras, and
- (3) Dr. B. B. Dey, Director of Public Instruction, Madras,

to assist Government in the selection of suitable candidates. The Secretary to Government in the Education and Public Health Department will function as Secretary to the Committee.

2. The Secretary will announce the number of candidates which it is proposed to select for the various courses of studies, the initial qualifications required of them, and the terms of the award of the scholarships, and invite applications by public advertisement. The Committee will interview candidates and make recommendations; it will be open to the Committee to obtain such technical advice as it may require by co-opting Heads of Departments or other persons.

3. Besides the advertisement referred to above, the Secretary to the Committee will issue another advertisement of a general nature inviting applications from students who desire to undertake studies at their

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briefly called "non-sponsored" students
own expense, as the Government of India scheme contemplates
that facilities should be secured for this class of students
also and suitable arrangements made for their residence
and supervision. An element of selection is involved in
their case as well. For the present, the Committee con-
stituted herein will consider applications and enquiries
which may be received from this type of students too.
at on behalf of
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To the Members of the
Committee.
" Secy. to the
Committee.
" m. p. s. c.
Depts. of the Sectt.
(except Home, Legal
and E.&P.H.).
" Information Officer S.O.A.
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Edn. and P.H. Department.

LETTER/Ref. No. 2131C/45-587 dated 9.3.45

To Joint
The/Secy. to the G. of I.,
Dept. of Edn., Health and Lands,
NEW DELHI. (with send)

Sir,
Technical Education - Students to be sent
for training abroad.

Ref:- Your letter No. F.85-11/44-E, dated
29-1-1945. 19.2.45

I am directed to invite attention to my
letter No. 49447-A-3, dated the 15th January 1945,
which furnished a reply to para 27 of the Proceedings
of the Tenth Meeting of the Central Advisory Board
of Education, on the question of the welfare of Indian
students who proceed abroad for studies. Under pre-
sent conditions, it is not practicable to bring into
being the Students' Advisory Committee or Bureau

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consisting mainly of young men or women with ^{reunb} experience of University life in the U.K. The suggestion will be taken up when circumstances prove more favourable. In the meantime, the selection of candidates for the technical scholarships under the Government of India scheme is becoming a matter of ^{great} urgency. This Government have, therefore, decided that ~~the~~ Committee which they are setting up to select 'sponsored' candidates should handle enquiries and applications from students of the 'non-sponsored' category also. I am to forward for information a copy of the proceedings of this Government, No. 200. 347-ED., dated 9-3-45, constituting the Committee in question.

Y.O.S.,

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Edn. and P.H. Department.

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The Govt. of India have announced a scheme for the grant of scholarships to qualified candidates for technical studies in other countries and have invited Provl. Govts. to make recommendations. H.E. the Governor has appointed a Committee consisting of -

- (1) Mr. A.F.W. Dixon, C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Member, Board of Revenue (Chairman),
- (2) Khan Bahadur Javad Hussain Khan Sahib
Bahadur, Member, Public Service
Commission, and
- (3) Dr. B.B. Dey, Director of Public
Instruction,

to assist Government in the selection of suitable candidates. The Secy. to Govt. in the E.&P.H. Department will function as Secretary to the Committee.

2. Details regarding the number of candidates which it is proposed to select for the various courses of studies, the initial qualifications required of them, and the terms of the award of the scholarships will be announced ^{shortly} in due course and applications invited by public advertisement. The Committee will interview

C.No.2131. From the G. of I., Dept. of Edn., Health and Lands,
No.F.85-14/44-E, dated 11-1-1945.

Technical Education - Students to be sent abroad
for training - Machinery for selection.

The L.F. discusses the question of framing an

estimate of the number of students on whose behalf "sponsoring"
of the kind suggested there may be provided in connection with
the scheme of the G. of I. scholarships for studies abroad.

So far as candidates outside Government service are concerned,
the "sponsoring" suggested there is that selected students
should bind themselves to accept, on their return after the
completion of their studies, employment under Government or
such other institutions as may be specified by Government if
such is offered on a pay of not less than, say, Rs. 300.

After the number of students and the courses which they are to
undergo have been fixed, it will be necessary to issue an
advertisement inviting applications; the advertisement should
specify the initial qualifications required for the various
courses of studies and the terms on which the scholarships
will be granted.

2. In the current letter, the G. of I. have sug-
gested the setting up of a Committee for selecting "sponsored"
students. That Committee, for the present, may consist of the
D.P.I. (Member and President), and a Member of the Public
Service Commission and the Director of Industries ^{+ Commerce} as two other
members. The Joint Director of Industries and Commerce may
function as the Secretary to the Committee. It may be neces-
sary for the Committee to obtain expert advice for allocating
students for the particular courses for which they are suitable.
The Committee may be empowered to obtain such expert advice
by calling in Heads of Depts. or such others ^{of interest, Chief of Industries, family} who are qualified
to advise on the subject. The Committee may also undertake
the task of issuing the advertisement referred to above. The
G. of I. have further suggested the constitution of Students'
Advisory Committees or Bureaus on the lines advocated by the

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candidates and make recommendations; it will be open to
the Committee to obtain such technical advice as it may
require by co-opting Heads of Departments or other persons.

3. The Govt. of India scheme contemplates ^{too also} that
facilities should be secured for students who desire to
undertake ^{technical} studies abroad at their own expense, briefly
called 'non-sponsored' students and suitable arrangements
made for their residence and supervision. Applications
from this class of students will ^{also} be invited by the Secretary
to the Committee by ~~separate~~ advertisement. ~~The~~ Appli-
cations and enquiries from or on behalf of this type of
students will ^{also} be considered by the Committee.

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Central Advisory Board of Education, for giving advice to "non-sponsored" students, i.e., students who propose to undertake studies abroad at their own expense. The replies elicited from the Universities, in a separate file, in connection with the Central Advisory Board's suggestion, are not very helpful in the matter of Committees of the kind being brought into existence at present. For the time being, the Selection Committee suggested above may also undertake the work in relation to "non-sponsored" students. In fact, that appears to be the more appropriate course to adopt. The advertisement suggested above may be a general one inviting applications from all qualified students for the courses which may be specified therein and saying that Government would "sponsor" only a limited number and that if the remaining ones go at their own expense, the Govt. will be prepared to provide them with all facilities for undertaking the courses and for their stay in the university or college selected. So, Even in the case of "non-sponsored" students the element of selection is the more important process; and even on the remaining matters such as the expenses involved in the courses, the facilities available for stay & recreation, etc., the Selection Committee may be in a position to give advice as they have to offer such advice to "non-sponsored" students also.

3. The file may be sent to the departments to which the L.F. is marked and in addition to Public (Services) in regard to the suggestion to appoint a Member of the Public Service Commission as a member of the Selection Committee.

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27.1.45- Attention is invited to the selection
para 4 on p 10 of in L.F. II below. For orders
where the E.F.P. 4 is ~~forward~~ proposal to constitute a
committee as at A on p 1 above
~~selection~~ to select candidates and to attend to other

items of work enumerated in para 2 on pp 1-2 above will be accepted in this dept. The case maybe passed on to P.W. D.

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The constitution of the committee as proposed by E & P.H. would seem preferable to that suggested by the D.I.C. As pointed out by E & P.H., hands

of ^{depts.} institutions, colleges etc can always be consulted. So far as the Dept- is concerned it would seem to be quite sufficient to have the D.I.C. Bureau, and the Jt-D.I.C. as Secretary. The ² personnel suggested by F & PH may therefore be agreed to - ¹ it can always be enlarged in number later if or when considered necessary.

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I wish suggest that ~~the~~ a member ^{of the} will be had be the
President of the committee. D.P.I, D.D.C, Chief Ex & Sec & D.A.
And be the members. 14

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There are 4 Chief Engineers to Government and including the D.P.I, D.I. & C. and D.A. there will be 7 members on the Committee exclusive of the Chairman. A committee composed entirely of departmental heads is not likely to inspire confidence but at the same time there is the danger of "lobbying" if there are a large number of non-officials on the committee.

The Committee may be constituted as follows:-

Member of the Board of Revenue in charge of Post-war Reconstruction. — Chairman

A member of the Madras Public Service Commission

The Director of Public Instruction.

Dr. Manji, Principal, Alagappa College of Technology, Madras.

Heads of Departments might be coopted as members when dealing

with special categories of applicants. It is not necessary for example for the D.A. to sit as a member of the Committee while assessing the merits of a candidate proposed to be trained in some branch of Industry.

If Govt. desire that non-officials should be associated with the Committee provision may be made for one non-official.

May be pursued and passed on to L.A.

The file relates to the setting up

of a Committee for selecting "Sponsored" students. The suggestion of the Edn. & P.H. Deptt. in regard to the composition of the Committee will be found at 'A' on p.1 ante and that of the Dev. Deptt. at 'B' above. The constitution of the Committee on the lines suggested by the Dev. Deptt. would seem preferable.

After orders are passed, the file may be passed

on to the L.A. Deptt.

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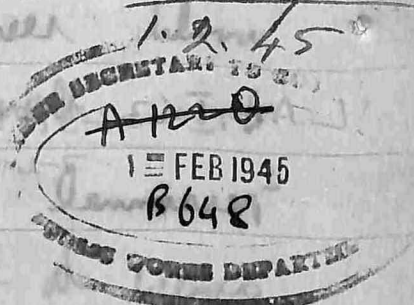
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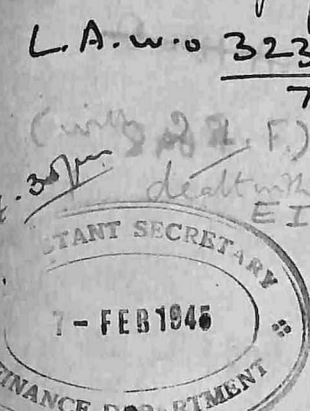


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Students for training abroad. The constitution of a committee on the lines suggested by Development at 'B' on page 4 supra will be useful. After orders are passed on this file and in L.A. I. files may be passed on to Dev. The Constitution of the Committee may be on the lines suggested by Secy. Dev. for L.A. 7.2.45 (Fin. Secy.)

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Recd. in Sum.
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Please see the notes of E.P.H. on pp. 1-2 above. In pursuance of the suggestion in para. 3 of the Govt. of India's letter in c.f., I propose to set up a Committee consisting of the officials mentioned at 'A' on p.1 above. This Committee is to undertake the work of selection of students to be sent for technical education overseas who will be given scholarships by Govt. The lines of work to be entrusted to the Committee are mentioned in para. 2 on pp. 1-2 above.

2. The Dev. Secy. has suggested that the personnel of the Committee may be as at 'B' on p.4 above, the Committee being left to coopt any experts as members to deal with special categories of applicants. The constitution of a Committee on the lines suggested by Dev. Secy. and agreed to in P.W. and L.A. depts. may be accepted in Finance also. (The point whether a non-official should also be appointed as a member has also been raised by Dev.)

3. The expenditure involved in the establishment of the proposed Committee is not known. There may not be any expenditure on travelling allowance, as all the members proposed are at Madras. The point whether the Committee will require any staff will also have to be considered. The Committee will incur expenditure on printing of application forms for the use of students and also advertising charges. Primarily, the expenditure on this account can be debited to the major head "37. Education" and a new sub-head which may be opened for the purpose under the minor head "General Miscellaneous". The expenditure need not be treated as a new service as in the case of Provincial Medical Reestablishment.

will be incurred by the Education Dept. and it will be through B.G. 8.2.45

A on p. 5 also: The ^{head of} ~~deliberate~~ ^{may} be determined with reference to the department which will incur the expenditure. It is suggested by the Secy. the Member ^{& the B. of Ray} in charge of Post-war Reconstruction is to be the Chairman of the proposed Committee, the cost of the staff and contingencies may be debited to the same ^{sub} head to which the ^{pay of the} Chairman is debited.

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ETM).

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The proposal to form a Committee for the selection of "Sponsored Students" for being trained abroad may be accepted in case passed on to Public (Ser).

This Dept. also and the case passed on to Public (Ser).

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F.W. R(C)
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12. 2:45

The letter from the Dept. in the C.F. & para 3 of the E.O. 11615 note at p 2 ^{note} maybe passed. Before including a member of the M.P.S.C. in the proposed committee for the selection of "sponsored students", E.O.H. maybe requested to consult the M.P.S.C. If the Commission is willing to spare the services of its member, this dept ^{need} will have no objection.

The file maybe returned to E-104.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT.
12 FEB 1945
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CHIEF SECRETARIAT

Further letter
from Ps. 06.9
added - c. 7.3-4

It is not quite clear whether the constitutional position requires that the Commission as collective body should permit one of its members to accept membership, or whether it is left to an individual member to accept or not to accept, or whether it is a combination of both the elements. Public may see the draft with particular refer. to para 4

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Public (Services) Department

Previous note of this department on p. 6 ante.

The orders in circulation above and the draft below may be perused. The functions of the Madras Public Service Commission are stated in section 266 of the Government of India Act, 1935. Statutorily the Commission is not bound to undertake ~~any duty other than that specified therein,~~ *it from* ~~any other duty~~ but there is nothing preventing ~~the Commission~~ *understanding* ~~to undertake~~ any extra duty if it is willing. In other words

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106. The health officer may inspect any dairy referred to in section [21] 105 and the milch-cattle and the employees therein, and if, on such inspection, the health officer is of opinion that any infectious disease is caused or is likely to be caused from consumption of the milk or dairy produce supplied from such dairy, he may make an order prohibiting the supply of any milk or dairy produce for human consumption from such dairy.

(2) An order made by the health officer under sub-section (1) shall be forthwith withdrawn on his being satisfied that the milk supply has been changed or that the cause of infection has been removed.

(3) When an order is made under sub-section (1) or is withdrawn under sub-section (2) in respect of a dairy situated outside the limits of the local area, the health officer shall also inform the local authority within whose jurisdiction the dairy is situated.

(4) When an order is made under sub-section (1) the health officer may direct such milk to be boiled and permit it to be sold or used under such reasonable restrictions as he may prescribe in this behalf for food of animals, or he may cause the milk or dairy produce to be destroyed.

(5) No person shall sell or supply any milk or dairy produce in contravention of the provisions of this section.

(6) No dairymen shall be liable to an action for breach of contract if the breach is due to an order passed under this section.

Section 106 empowers the health officer to prohibit the supply of milk or dairy produce for human consumption if in his opinion any infectious disease is caused or is likely to be caused from their consumption.

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Clause 106 of the Bill is based on section 431 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1923, and it may be accepted subject to the correction made in italics.

S.S.—17-12-37.

M. T. DURAISWAMI AYYANGAR—23-12-37.

C. H. MASTERMAN—6-1-38.

the choice of allowing one of its members to serve on the proposed Board entirely rests with the Commission. Para. 4 of the draft may be revised as follows:--

"I am directed to request you to ascertain whether the Commission will find it convenient to spare the services of one of its members to serve on the proposed Committee and to give it the benefit of his advice. If so, I am to request you to intimate to the Government the name of the member whose services can be spared."

The file may be returned to the E & P.H. Department.

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Pub (Sec) no. m. 8364/45-1
20.2.45

E.P.H.

E & P.H.

Para 4 of the draft has been amended.

A sentence has also been added at the end asking for a reply as early as possible.

20.2.45

27/4/45

(Issued as Letter No. 2131-C-3, dated 21-2-1945.

C.No. 7748. From the G. of I., Dept. of Edn., Health and Lands, No. F. 85-11/44-E, dated 19-2-1945 29.1.45 & 19.2.45

Please see the G. of I.'s letter at C.F. 7-8. The question of setting up a Students' Advisory Committee or Bureau was discussed at p.2 ante and it was decided that the proposed Committee might deal with 'non-sponsored' as well as 'sponsored' students. A reply may be sent to the G. of I. when the Committee comes to be finally constituted.

25.2.45

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C.No. 3264. From the Secy., M.P.S.C., No. 856-B1/45-1, dated 27-2-45.

Please see p.9 C.F. Members of the M.P.S.C.

sometimes undertake tours to interview candidates at mufassal stations. It is just possible that the proposed Committee may have to ~~be~~ meet while the Commission Member is on tour. As far as possible, the sittings of the Committee may be arranged in consultation with Khan Bahadur Javad Hussain. In that view, he may perhaps be appointed. A draft order and a draft letter to the G. of I. are submitted. The decision is that Heads of Depts. may be co-opted as members when necessary. Perhaps the field for co-option may be broadened so as to include others also - e.g., the assistance of a University or college Professor may at times be useful.

The case may be sent to the Public Department before circulation. Revenue also may see with refce. to the appointment of the Member of the Board of Revenue.

[As the public and various Heads of Depts. may be interested in this Committee, the G.O. may perhaps be published through the Special Press Adviser.]

The drafts below maybe perused & the file passed on to Rev.

It may perhaps be suggested to the G.O. to issue a press communication on this subject.



The file may have been sent to Rev. W. H. A. above may be perused and returned to E.P.H. NO 10678/45-1

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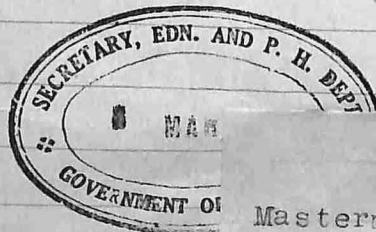
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I suggest Mr. Dixon should be Chairman instead of Mr. Masterman. Mr. M. is very busy with other work. I am sure Mr. Dixon will be present.

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6.3.45

AH. 8/3/45



Mr. Dixon's name has been substituted for Mr. Masterman's in the draft G.O.

2. A.3's orders are that the Committee may be used to select candidates needed by each Department of the Secretariat. It has been decided that 100 private candidates should be selected: the connected file has been circulated to A.2 (Delhi). The concerned Secretariat departments are Development, E.&P.H. and P.W.

3. Para 2 of the draft requires that the Secretary to the Committee should publish an advertisement announcing

the number of candidates, the initial qualifications for selection and the terms of the award of the scholarships. It is not clear what the precise arrangement will be for putting this advertisement through, under A.3's orders. One method would be for E.&P.H., as soon as the file referred to in para 2 above returns from A.2, to advise Development and P.W. of the exact number of students relating to each. Those depts. may draft the portions of the advertisement relating to them, taking A.3's orders where necessary, and send them to Secy., E.P.H., who may, as Secy. to the Committee, consolidate the advertisement and arrange to publish it. Secy., E.P.H., will presumably sit with the Committee at all interviews of candidates to whatever dept. they may stand related. This procedure would not require any change in the draft as framed. The case may now be circulated to A.3 for orders as to whether the draft may be issued and further action taken as indicated above.

4. With refce. to Public (Press)'s note on p.9 ante, it may be noted that the draft G.O. is sufficiently brief and is also self-contained. A Press Communique does not appear to be necessary. A copy of the G.O. will be sent to the Information Officer who may be requested to give the matter to the newspapers.



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[Letter No. 2131 C/45-5 E.D. 3 9.3.45] pp 13-14

A copy of the G.O. with relevant extracts of notes has been sent to the Information Officer.

2/ The file may now be sent to
L.A.
for perusal.

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* The case may be perused and passed on to P.W.D.

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The file may be perused and passed on to the L.A. Dept.

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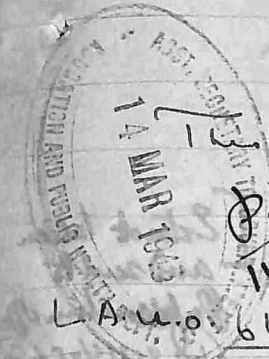
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Seen. Thanks

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14/3/45 E & P.H.

PL: add to this note & then

press communique & close file.

14.3.45

Extract of notes

Setting up of a Committee.

As the public and various Heads of Departments are interested in this Committee, the G.O. may perhaps be published through the Special Press Adviser.

Pub. (Press) Dept.

It may perhaps be suggested to the E.&F.H. Dept. to issue a Press Communique on the subject.

T.A.V.N., 3-3-1945. **

E. & P.H. Deptt.

With refce. to Public (Press)'s note above, it may be noted that the draft G.O. is sufficiently brief and is also self-contained. A Press Communique does not appear to be necessary. A copy of the G.O. will be sent to the Press.

M.V.S. (A copy of the G.O. will be sent to the Information Officer who may be requested to give the matter to the newspapers.

E.A.V., 8-3-1945.
M.V.S., 9-3-1945.

E.&.P.H.
U.O.No. 2131-C-6.
9-3-1945.

/Forwarded/
(By Order)

Norman
Superintendent.

To Information Offices



Public (Press) Dept.

Please see the extract of the notes of this Dept. at 'M' on page 1 ante. It is recollected that the original file was submitted to C.S. through Public (Services) Dept. and therefore C.S. had approved of the suggestion contained in the note, - extracted at 'M' on page 1 ante. E. & P.H. seems to have omitted to extract C.S.'s initials.

E. & P.H. Dept. state that as the public and various Heads of departments are interested in the Committee to be constituted, the G.O. in the C.F. should be published. This dept. is in charge of publicity. Consistent with the instructions contained in G.O. No.1091, Public (Press) Dept. dated 2nd April 1942 (the G.O. discusses the various methods of giving publicity), this dept. suggested that the subject matter of the E. & P.H. Dept. G.O. being important, the matter might be issued in the form of a Press Communique. The suggestion was approved by the Information Officer & Special Press Adviser and C.S. E. & P.H. dept. state that their G.O. is brief and self-contained and that it may be given publicity. They do not consider that a Press Communique is necessary.

It is submitted that copies of G.O. are not handed over to the Press except when they are to be published in the Gazette. According to G.O.No.1091, Public (Press) dated 2-4-42 there are three methods of giving publicity: Issue of (i) Press Communique,

(2) Press Note and (3) unofficial press notes i.e. press releases. Matters of importance and interest to the public are invariably published in the form of press communique or press note. The distinction between the two forms is explained in para 1 of G.O.No. 1091, Public (Press) dated 2-4-42. Less important matters but which are still of interest to the public are given out as unofficial press notes or press releases. According to the statement of E. & P.H. Dept., the public and the various Heads of Depts. are interested in the proposed committee and it was therefore this Dept. advised that the matter might be issued in the form of a press communique. The E. & P.H. Dept. do not appear to have appreciated the different methods of publicity laid down in G.O.No.1091, Public (Press) dated 2-4-42. For orders whether that Dept. may be advised to issue a press communique on the subject.

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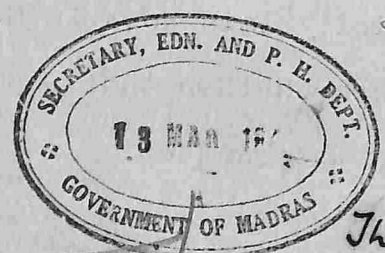
A draft Press communique is submitted for approval. ~~The draft was submitted to H.E. for approval.~~

~~The main file was circulated to H.E. for approval.~~
Whether the draft Press Communique should be circulated to H.E. before issue with ref to Public (Press) no. 4032/45-1

3 6.12.44. (A. is not present at office): The wording of the communique pointing out follows that the ~~draft~~ ^{draft} ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~submitted~~ ^{submitted} ~~to H.E. for approval.~~ ^{to H.E. for approval.} The order was issued on the 9th.

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A₂ is on tour; cite. to H.E. here. A₂ will postpone the issue of the communique. Perhaps this may be circulated to H.E. direct and action issue. Subd. to A₂.



The Special Press Adviser and the Provincial Press Adviser may see before issue.

2. The P.P.A. may be requested to have the Press Communique issued today.

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The S.P.A and the P.P.A. have agreed to the issue of the Press Communique. today. A stencil of the Communique is kept below. The file may be sent to Public (Press) for issue of the Communique and return.

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Publ: (Press)

Public (Press) Dept

The Press communique has been issued on 13/3/45. The file may be returned to E & P.H. dept.

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E & P. H.



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For personal

14.3.45

Selection of students for undergoing higher technical studies in other countries with Govt. stipends.

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Mr. MacEwen, Chairman of the Selection Committee, had provisionally agreed to the first meeting of the Committee being called for the 16th instant. It was hoped that the preliminary sorting out of the applications received, with a view to weeding out the obviously ineligible candidates, and the listing out of those prima facie eligible for the various subjects and the tabulation of their applications could be finished in time. The work has, however, proved more laborious than was anticipated and the intervention of the holidays has also hampered progress. Every attempt ~~has~~ been made to complete the work as quickly as possible. Even so, it seems that it will not be practicable to convene the meeting on the 16th inst.

One of the Members of the Selection Committee, Khan Bahadur Javad Hussain Khan, has also extended his leave and the question of appointing a substitute is under consideration.

In these circumstances, this ~~note~~ ^{note} may be circulated to the Chairman of the Committee for orders as to fixing another date for the meeting.

Mr. A.R. MacEwen, C.I.E.,
M.C., I.C.S.,

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12.5.45

Many thanks; I sent a T.M. this morning, before this reached me. This seems to depend on when orders come out, over Mr. Javad Hussain; can Secy. give me even a rough idea, on that?—when are orders likely to be out? I am only down in Madras for this purpose, having cut short my stay in the hills, and I do not want to hang on in the hope, ~~perhaps~~ perhaps vain, of holding the meetings in the immediate future. Also, surely Dr. B.B. Dey will have to be given reasonable notice, when we do reach a position of being able to fix the date? I was originally told the thing is urgent—hence my coming down to Madras for it.

Secy., E. and PH.



Sent to Mrs.

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L. A. Sept.

Meeting of the Selection Committee for the selection of candidates for undergoing Technical & Science Courses in foreign Countries will be held on the 28th May for the selection of candidates for interview. The interview will take place on the 8th 9th 11th + 12th June. The note for the members to be placed in the file may be perused and the file passed on to E & P. H. Sept.

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R.V. 23.5.45

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E & P. H.

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E & P. H. (C)

E & P. H.

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P. W. Secy. wish suggests that C. E. (J.) and C. E. (E.) may be co-opted as members of the Selection Committee so as to enable them to be present at the Committee meetings when the relevant subjects in App. III are considered. It is true that in the order constituting the Committee, there is a passage giving the Committee the option to obtain such technical advice as it might require by co-opting Hds. of Dep'ts. or other persons. Para 2, Cr. 11 g (R).

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Does Co-opting
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only reference at
the meeting to
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to its subjects and following that arrangement, qualifications have been prescribed and expressed announced in the advert. itself, so far as subjects in Appendices I, II, and III go: as regards App. II Secy. has decided about the qualifications and a copy of its statement on the subject has been sent to each of the Committee members. The qn. of qualifications having thus been decided and there being no other purpose for which the device of Co-opting had been contemplated in the first instance, there appears to be no particular reason why the two Hds. of Dep'ts. suggested by P. W. D. shd. alone be summoned. If it is a question of getting all the connected Hds. of Dep'ts. it will probably be necessary to supply them with copies of the names and other particulars of prima facie qualified candidates. Statements relating to these have been got ready. They are very voluminous and it was not practicable to take more than five typewritten copies of which three will have to go to Committee members and one taken for Secy's use. There will then remain only one spare copy. There is hardly time to take further copies, not to speak of the very considerable time and expen. of stationery which that course might entail.

24.5.45 S/A, A
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Use in any case was to leave it to the discretion of the Committee to co-opt - as per the purpose, which

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as indicated above, no further exists. There is no
 further action now, I suppose, for is sitting on
 the Committee Co. Office these particular aspects.
 Now that the basic qualifications have been
 settled it would be for the Committee to
 go by general officials for the selection, or if
 it thinks it would prefer advice as to specific
 officials also, to ~~consult~~ Co. Office and experts on
 these subjects as it thinks necessary. The Committee
 may be left to decide this at its first meeting
 & to make such Co. Office & it thinks necessary
 for the ^{helped} meetings at which it will interview candidates.

Specid.
 Meeting on 28th
 1.25.45 P.M.

A.I. 12.
 This is entirely for the
 Committee to decide.
 Let Mr. Macdonald see also.

The Copton of ^{Mr. Macdonald} ^(Chairman of the Chief Engineer) ~~Mr. Macdonald~~
 is helpful to the Committee in assessing
 the technical qualifications of candidates
 who appear before the Committee. Their
 advice may be taken may be left
 to the Committee. Mr. Macdonald may see



Mr. Macdonald appears to suggest getting the heads of Dep'ts. into
 at the meetings at which candidates are to be
 interviewed and also at the meetings fixed for

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the 28th May. The meetings for interviews are
 posted for the 8th, 9th, 11th & 12th June.

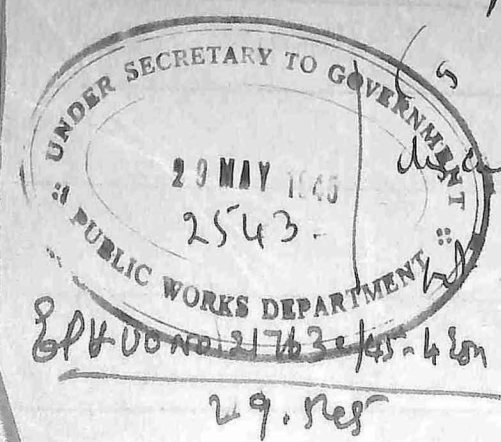
- the Hqs. of Dep'ts. concerned, besides
 the D. P. F. who is on the Committee, are
- (1) the Dir. of Industries & Commerce
 - (2), (3) & (4) Chief Engineers (Navigation, Electricity & communications).

Should this be sent now w/o to
 Mr. Macdonald at Co. Office? or may wait till
 Monday? As there is a likelihood of his leaving
 Co. Office for Madras tomorrow, there is no
 purpose in this going to Co. Office now.
 26.5.45 S ^{by} 26/5/45

Mr. Macdonald was unable to attend
 the meeting today. He has to go to only
 Madras a few days ago & he has the idea we
 that if he was not able to be back in time of
 we to ask the other two members to carry on
 with the work. I informed him accordingly &
 they proceeded with the work, with D. P. F. as
 Chairman for the day.

On the question of
 Co. Office, the file was placed before the Chairman
 for view at 1.6.45. Note a note
 from the Committee decides that it was
 necessary to go by experts.
 E. P. G.

P. W. & Dep't. may see before 29/5/45.



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P.W

May be perused & passed on to Sai

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27.5.45

Previous notes on p 3 above.

May be perused and returned to E and PH.

Dev (It is presumed that this will be dated again to A2)

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The file may now be circulated.

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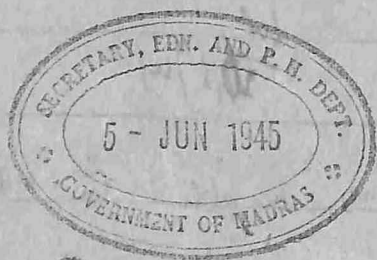
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See EPH.

These papers may now be lodged.

Not lodged: but recorded with relevant pp porters arranged.

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