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[Despatch Abstract.]

Typewriter—Supply to the Department of Telecommunication,
Engineering College of Engineering, Guindy—Sanctd.

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ENCLOSURES.

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Roc. No. 2257 H4/46

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From (Name) Dr. S.R.U. Savor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.
 (Designation) Director of Public Instruction, Madras

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Education & Public Health Department.

Sir,

In G.O.No.141, Education, dated 21-1-46, Government have sanctioned the employment of a steno-typist in the Electrical Engineering Department of the College of Engineering, Guindy. The supply of a Typewriter was also sanctioned to this Department in the G.O. referred to above.

2. The Principal, College of Engineering subsequently reported to me that the Department of Electrical Engineering has been bifurcated into two separate departments viz. the Department of Electrical Engineering and the Department of Electrical Communication Engineering and requested that the post of Steno-Typist sanctioned to the former Department may be transferred to the latter. His proposal was not approved but he was informed that the Steno-Typist sanctioned to the Electrical Engineering Department should be attached to both the Departments (i.e.) the Electrical Engineering Department and the Electrical Communication Department. This proposal was intimated to Government and the same was approved by Government in their Memo.16715 A/46-1, Education, P.T.O.

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dated 1-5-46. The Principal also requested me to supply another new Typewriter in replacement of the old Typewriter, which was required to be returned to the Superintendent of Stationery in G.O.No.141, Education, dated 21-1-46 referred to above. With regard to this request he was to renew his proposal some time later.

3. The Principal has renewed the question re: the supply of a new Typewriter for the Department of Telecommunication Engineering and has explained the need for it in his communications R.O.No.387 A/44, dated 13-2-46 and 3-8-46 (copies enclosed). He requests the sanction of a Typewriter (Model 17, Brief size 1400 Remington Standard Typewriter) to the Department of Telecommunication. In the circumstances stated by the Principal, I recommend that Government may be pleased to sanction the supply of the type of typewriter referred to above. The Typewriter asked for is in addition to the one sanctioned in G.O. No.141, dated 21-1-46.

R. Narasimha

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for Director of Public Instruction.

Copy of R.C.No.387 D/44, dated 13-2-46 from the Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy, to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

"Sub: Steno-typist and Typewriter.

Ref: Your Pros.Dis.No.369/46 of 5th Feb.46 and G.O.No.Ms.141, Edn., dated 21-1-46.

I am very grateful to the Government and to you for kindly sanctioning my request for a steno-typist and a typewriter. This will be a valuable help.

2. Since I wrote my letter Re.No.387-D/44, of 10th December 1945, the G.O.No.2065, Education dated 6th December has come in. Accordingly, the former Department of Electrical Engineering has now been bifurcated into two separate departments, namely the Department of Electrical Engineering under Prof. K. Sukumaran and the Department of Electrical Communication Engineering under Prof. K. Sreenivasan. This bifurcation came into effect on 17th December 1945 and the two departments are now distinct and separate in all matters of staff, equipment, work and administration.

3. In view of this, and of the fact that all my representations in this matter have been on behalf of Mr. Sreenivasan in his work of developing the newly instituted course in Electrical Communication Engineering, I request that the sanction of the steno-typist and the typewriter may please be transferred from the Department of Electrical Engineering to the Department of Electrical Communication Engineering.

4. I shall be glad to return to the Superintendent of Stationery the second hand typewriter that the Department of Electrical Engineering has had for over 14 years. But before it is returned, I request that this Department may please be supplied with a new machine in replacement of the existing one. Otherwise, both the technical work and the office work of Prof. Sukumaran, the head of this Department, will inevitably suffer for lack of a typewriter. This is particularly true now as due to the cessation of hostilities, he is trying to reorganise his department so that its facilities and activities particularly for research, may be improved. Considering that this Department has had a typewriter for over 14 years, it is, I respectfully submit, essential that this facility for the Department and its head should not be withdrawn. On the contrary, the Department needs strengthening in this direction by being provided with a new typewriter suitable for both technical and office work. Every member of the staff has been and continues to be engaged in research work; three have already obtained their M.Sc. degrees by research. One more has sent in his thesis. And Prof. Sukumaran himself has, within the last fortnight, submitted his research thesis for the Ph.D. degree. I therefore submit that there is a particularly strong case for providing a good and modern typewriter for this Department to help forward its daily work and activities.

5. I respectfully request that my two requests may please be sanctioned at an early date, so that both the Departments can get on efficiently with their work."

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Subject

Dept of

Typewriters - Supply to the Telecommunication

Engineering Dept College of Engineering, Guindy - Sanctioned.

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Sanction is accorded to the supply of a brief size typewriter to the Dept of Telecommunication Engineering, College of Engineering, Guindy, as soon as a machine is available. This will be in replacement of the old machine ordered to be returned to the S.O.S in G.O. No. 141 Edn. d. 21-1-46

2. The typewriter should be placed in charge of a qualified person and should be returned to the S.O.S if at any time such a person ceases to be available or if for any other reason the machine is not required.

Copy of letter R.O.No.387 D/44, dated 3-8-46 from the Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

"Ref: Your Pros.Re.No.75 K/46, dated 21-3-46.

"In accordance with the second paragraph of your letter referred to above, I am writing this to request that you may be pleased to sanction the supply of another new typewriter in addition to the one sanctioned in G.O.No.141, Man., of 21st January 1946 (Your Pros. No.369/46, of 2-2-46)

2. The typewriter that has been sanctioned in the G.O.mentioned above has not yet been supplied. In his letter No.B1-244-46 of 25th January, 1946, the Superintendent of Stationery wrote to say that he has not got any in his stock.

3. Of the two machines I am asking for, one is for the Department of Telecommunication Engineering which has no typewriter at all; the second is for the Department of Electrical Engineering in replacement of the very old typewriter it has had for the last 14 years and which has to be returned in accordance with the G.O.mentioned above.

4. In Mr.K. Sreenivasan's letter of 24th Sept.1945 and in my letters R.O.387-D/44 of 22nd October 1945, and of 13th February 1946, full details have been given of the office work that Mr.Sreenivasan has to handle. Being a newly started department, it has little equipment and its laboratory and other facilities for the training of students for research have therefore to be built up from virtually nothing. It has to acquire a great variety of apparatus, instruments and materials, and this has to be done with the utmost despatch as there are already two batches of students under training-one batch in the 3rd year and the other in the final year. This means correspondence, regarding specifications, quotations, delivery dates etc., with dozens of firms in each of the three countries, India, Great Britain and the U.S.A.

5. There are also the research and development activities of the Department and these involve correspondence with telecommunication engineers and scientists in Great Britain and America. Such contacts are of first importance as Telecommunication Engineering continues to develop at a great pace in these two countries, particularly as a result of the impetus given to it by the demands of war.

6. I have explained in detail all these circumstances in my previous letters. From every point of view, an up-to-date typewriter suited for both office correspondence and technical work is an urgent need of the Department of Telecommunication Engineering and I request that arrangements may please be made to supply at an early date the machine that has been sanctioned in the G.O. referred to above and that this may be allotted to the Telecommunication Department for its exclusive use.

7. The G.O. requires that the 30 year old machine which has been with the Department of Electrical Engineering for the last 14 years should be returned to the Superintendent of Stationery. In para.4 of my letter R.O.387 D/44, of 13th February, I have expressed my readiness to do so and have requested that a new and up-to-date machine may please be supplied to this Department in replacement of the old typewriter. Otherwise, the office work and the scientific activities of Pros.Sukumaran the Head of the Department will suffer. This is particularly true at the present stage when due to the termination of the War, Prof. Sukumaran has started to reorganise and develop its facilities for the training of students and for research. In this connection, I would invite your attention to the award by the University of Madras of the degree of Ph.D. to Prof. Sukumaran a few weeks back for the research work done by him. He and his colleagues have several problems of research on hand and it will be a valued help to Pros.Sukumaran if in place of the present old machine, he is provided with a new machine exclusively for his department.

8. I shall be grateful if this matter could be treated as urgent."

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R. Narasimhan

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Typewriter - Supply to the Dept of Telecommunication Engineering, College of Engineering, Guindy - Sanctioned
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Sanction is accorded to the supply of a brief type typewriter to the Dept of Telecommunication Engineering, College of Engineering, Guindy, as soon as a machine is available. This will be in replacement of the old machine ordered to be returned to the Sgs in G.O. 141 Edn d. 24.1.46.
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Note:- According to Rule 72 of the Stationery, the decision

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as to the pattern of typewriter to be supplied to any office shall rest with the Sog S. Moreover, the Sog S can only supply the pattern of typewriter that he gets from the C.P.S. India. Hence the pattern of typewriter required by the D.O. need not be specified in the order.

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