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[Despatch Abstract.]

Establishment - Chingleput District Board -
Sandanaswami Pillai, Sri M.P., Headmaster, Board High
School, Peenamalle - waiver of recovery of excess pay -
Orders passed.

Back Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
(1)	526	Edn	6-4-45				

Further Papers.

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Roc.No.12776--45--A.2.

Chingleput District Board's Office,
Saidapet, dated 8--5--1945.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St.George; M A D R A S.

THROUGH

The Director of Public Instruction,
M A D R A S.

Sir,

Ref: Salary - Education - Secondary - Board High School,
Poonamallee - Headmaster - Sri.M.P.Sandanasamy -
Fixation of initial pay - G.O.Ms.No.526 Edn., dated
6--4--45.

I enclose herein a copy of the District Board
Resolution No.62 dated 30-4-45, recommending to waive the recovery
of excess salary of Rs.350-5-0 paid to Sri.M.P.Sandanasawmy, Headmaster,
Board High School, Poonamallee upto 31-3-45 for the reasons ststed
therein and request that the Government may be pleased to accord their
approval for the same.

In this connection I may state that in similar cases
the Government have waived the recovery of excess salary paid to
certain employees of this District Board, vide G.O.No.Ms.5014, L. & M.,
dated 20-11-34, G.O.Ms.No.2774 L.A., dated 23-7-37, G.O.No.4044 L.A.,
dated 11-10-38 and G.O.No.Ms.2908 L.A., dated 24-7-39.

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President, District Board.

No. 5 of 1945-46.

EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHINGLEPUT DISTRICT BOARD
PASSED AT A MEETING HELD ON 30-4-1945. ③

62. (i) G.O.No.Ms.526 Edn., dated 6-4-45 declining to approve of the proposal of the District Board contained in its Res.No.61 dated 29-11-44 fixing the initial pay of Sri.M.P.Sandanasamy, B.A., L.T., Headmaster, Board High School, Poonamallee at Rs.120/- in Rs.110-10/2-170 grade from 30-4-45 instead of at Rs.110 + 10 P.P. in the said grade.

(ii) Letter dated 19-4-45 from Sri.M.P.Sandanasamy, Headmaster, Board High School, Poonamallee representing that the recovery of the excess amount paid to him at Rs.10/- p.m. from 30-4-42 to 31-3-45 (viz.,) Rs.350-5-0 would cause him hardship in these hard days, when the cost of living is very high and requesting to waive the recovery.

(iii) President's note dated 22-4-45 soliciting sanction of the Board to waive the recovery of the excess salary paid to the individual subject to the approval of Government.

RESOLUTION.

As the pay of the Headmaster was fixed as Rs.120 in Rs.110-10/2-170 grade in good faith in view of the fact that he was drawing Rs.120 as L.T.Assistant and as it would cause him undue hardship if the excess salary paid to him is recovered from him, the Board resolves to waive P.T.O.

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the recovery of the amount with the approval of the Government.

Sd. T. Shunmugam,
PRESIDENT.

(True Extract)

President, District Board.

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Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
Dr. B.B. Dey, D.Sc. (Lond.), F.R.I.C.
Offg. Director of Public Instruction. (14)

R.C.No. 693-G/45.

Dated 26th May, 1945.

Subject.

Sri M.P. Sandanaswamy, Headmaster, Board High School,
Poonamallee--District Board, Chingleput--waiver of recovery
of excess salary paid to him.



No. 12776/45-A2 dated 8.5.1945 from the
President, District Board, Chingleput. P. Bante

Submitted.

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For Director of Public Instruction.

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

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L.F.No.1673 dated 14-12-1942.
 Section statement on the accounts of the Chingleput District Board for
 May 1942.

Item	No. & date of Vr. & amount.	Particulars of receipt or payment.	Nature of objec- tion.	Replies.
9	204	Paybill--High school, Poonamallee. Rs.1049-0-0.	The substantive post and pay of Sri M.P. Sandanaswami, (Probationer) Headmaster, in the vacant post of Headmaster was not noted. According to the service register, his pay is Rs.110+10 P.A. and not Rs.120/- as noted in the bill.	Reply dated 6-2-43. Sri M.P. San- danasami has not substan- tive post till he was confirmed retrospectiv- ly as Head- master. His pay is Rs.120/- as per entry made in the service register and not Rs.10+ P.A.

I Further Remarks issued in L.F.2236 dated 17-3-43.

9	204	The service register of Sri M.P. Sandanasami H.M. Poonamallee may be produced for scrutiny regarding fixation of his pay.	returned with Reply on 19-8-44. Will be reproduced during local audit. (Seen F.R.)
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II Further remarks issued in L.F.751 dated 28-9-44.

9	204	Mr. M.P. Sandanaswami was drawing a pay of Rs.100/- +20/- on 1-3-37 i.e. with reference to the pre-revision scale of pay, he was getting a pay of Rs.100/- and a personal pay of Rs.20/- to save him from loss of emoluments on 30-4-40 when he was promoted as H.M. he was entitled to a minimum pay of Rs.110/- in the grade 110-10/2-170 plus a personal pay of Rs.10/- and on 30-4-42 a pay of Rs.120/- and on 30-4-44 a pay of Rs.130/-.	Returned with replies on 12/17-10-44.
		The increment to Rs.130/- granted from 30-4-42 is inadmissible and the excess payment made at Rs.10/- p.m. from 30-4-42 needs recovery.	Action will be taken. F.R. Govt. addressed

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 given where the working by which the answer has been arrived at is not shown.
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 be detached from the answer-books.
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 Answers of candidates must be legibly written.

School of which candidate is a pupil Sivakasi
 Sivakasi Hindu Madras Victoria High School.

III Further Remarks issued in L.F.1198 dated 31-1-45.

Item No.	No. & date of Voucher receipt or payment.	Particulars of Nature of objection	Replies.
9	204	The result of correspondence with the Govt. is awaited.	Returned with reply on 4/9-2-45. Orders of the Govt. have not yet been received.

IV Further remarks issued in L.F.1350 dated 18-3-45.

204	Please state whether the orders of the Govt. have since been obtained.	Returned on 6-4-45. The orders of Govt. have not yet been received.
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Orders of the Govt. since seen and action is watched separately.
sd. D.I.
16-5-45.

(True copy)

Establishment - Chingleput St Bd - Sandanaswami
Sri M. P. Headmaster Board High School,
Poonamalle - Waiver of recovery of salary overpaid

Read Go. no 526 Edu dated 6.4.45

From the P.D.B. Chingleput Rec. no 12976/45-A2
Memo No 24031-2.B., dated, 18-7-'45.

The Govt have no objection to the waiver of the recovery of the amount of Rs 70 overpaid to Sri P. Sandanaswami, Headmaster Board High School, Poonamalle for the period from 30.4.42 to 31.11.42. They do not see ^{an} ~~sufficient~~ justification for waiving the recovery of the overpayment made

8/2/45
after objection ^{had been} raised in Audit in Dec 1942
to the fixation of the initial pay of the headmaster
at Rs 120 p.m.

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To

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✓ The D.D.B. Chingleput
✓ Ex of L. A. Beets
✓ D. P. I.

Roc.12776--44-A.2.

Chingleput District Board's Office,
Saidapet, dated 5--8--1945.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St.George, M A D R A S.

35733

Sir,

Ref: Establishment - Education Secondary - Board High School,
Poonamallee - Waiver of recovery of salary over-paid
to Mr.Sandanaswami - Government Memorandum No.24031-2B
dated 18-7-1945.

Objection regarding the fixation of pay of Mr.M.P.San-
danaswamy, Headmaster was pointed out in audit only on the further
remarks to the objection statement for May 1942 received in this Office
on 3rd October 1944 and not in December 1942 as stated in the above
Memorandum. On receipt of the further remarks, immediate action was
taken and sanction of the Board obtained to fix the pay of the individual
at Rs.120/- from 30-4-42 with the approval of Government.

Soon after the receipt of orders of Government refusing
the proposal of the District Board, the payment of increased salary
to the individual was stopped. As it would cause undue hardship to the
individual if the excess salary paid to him from December 1942 to March
1945 is recovered and as recovery of similar excess salary paid to other
individuals referred to in my Letter Roc.12776-45-A.2 dated 8-5-45 has
been waived, I request that the Government may be pleased to reconsider
their orders and approve the resolution of the District Board to waive
the recovery of over-payments made to the individual up to 31-3-1945.

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President, District Board.

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ETPH (B)

Establishment - Board High School Poonamalle - Sri M.P. Sandanaswami
Headmaster - waiver of recovery of salary over paid -

Read

Memo no 24031-23 dated 18.7.45

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ETPH (B)

Establishment - Board High School, Poonamalle. Sri
M.P. Sandanaswami - Headmaster - waiver of
recovery of salary over paid

Read

Memo no 24031-2 B2du dated 18.7.45
From the P. DB. Chingleput RO. 12776-44A.28
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An extract of the

audit report of 14.12.42
with the P.D.B. reply of

6.2.43 is forwarded
to the P.D.B. for
information

To

The P.D.B. Chingleput
with enclosure

Memo. No. 35739-1.B., dated, 27-8-45.

The Govt decline to reconsider the
orders passed in Memo no 24031-2 B2du 18.7.45

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with encl
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Please see the objection statement on p.5 of and

the remarks of the Examiner of L.F. Accts on 5th of
 of Memo no 24031-25 on 28-7-45. It will be seen that objection was first raised by the Examiner
 to the fixation of the headmaster's pay at Rs.120 on 14-12-42.
 but the PDS replied that the pay had been correctly fixed.
 He did not take steps to settle the question immediately. Even
 when audit wanted to see the Service register, the PDS did not send
 the register immediately but replied after 5 months that it would
 be produced during local audit. Thus as pointed out by the
 Exr in his note on 3rd of ~~11~~, the PDS Chingleput was
 not in a mood to ^{settle} the audit objection immediately.
 If he had done so, the over payment would have been avoided.
 The orders need not therefore be reconsidered.

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Roc.No.12776-44.A.11.

Chingleput Dt.Board's Office,
 Saidapet dated 3-10-45.

To

The Secretary to Government,
 Education and Public Health Department,
 Fort.St.George,
 M A D R A S

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THROUGH

The Examiner of L.F.Accounts,
 M A D R A S



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Sir,

Ref:-Establishment -Board High School Poonamallee -Sri.
 M.P.Sandanaswami .Headmaster-Waiver of recovery of salary
 overpaid.
 Government memorandum No.35739 -I.B-Education and Public
 Health dated 27-8-1945.

The extract of the audit objection dated 14-12-42 quoted
 in the above Government Memorandum is only about the non-mention
 of the substantive post of Sri.M.P.Sandanaswami in the voucher
 and the discrepancy between the pay noted in the bill and that
 in the Service register of the individual.This objection was
 replied to on 6-2-43 informing them that there was no such
 discrepancy, as the pay of Rs.120 mentioned in the bill was only
 in accordance with the entries made in the Service Register
 and that the individual did not hold a substantive post, till
 he was confirmed on 22-5-42 with retrospective effect from 30-4-40.
 It was only in the F.R. on the objection statement for May 1942
 received on 3-10-44 that it was pointed out that the individual's
 pay ought to have been fixed at Rs.110 + 10.P.P. and not at Rs.120.

The facts of this case were represented to the Examiner
 of L.F.Accounts, Madras during his inspection of this office on
 28-9-45 and he was convinced that the objection referred to in
 the above Government Memorandum was not based on the real facts of
 the entries made in the Service Register and that there was
 no discrepancy between the pay noted in the pay bill and the
 Service Register as stated therein.On receipt of the F.R. on
 the objection statement on 3-10-44 objecting to the fixation
 of the pay of the individual at Rs.120/- immediate action was
 taken to regularise the fixation of his pay at Rs.120/- with the
 sanction of Government.Since the Government declined to accept
 the proposals of the Board, the payment of increased pay to the
 individual was stopped from 1-4-45.

As the pay of the individual was fixed at Rs.120/- in
 Rs.110-10/2-170 grade in good faith in view of the fact that he
 had drawn Rs.120 as L.T.Assistant as the Government in similar
 cases have waived the recovery of the excess salary paid to
 certain other employees of the Board vide G.O.No.5014 L.A.M
 dated 20-11-34, G.O.No.2774 L.A dated 25-7-37, G.O.No.4044 L.A.
 dated 11-10-38 and G.O.No.2908 L.A dated 24-7-39 and as it
 would cause a great hardship to this individual if such a large
 amount is recovered from him at this stage, for no fault of his,
 I request that the Government may be pleased to reconsider
 their orders and accord their approval to the Board's Res.No.62
 dated 30-4-45 to waive the excess amount paid to the Headmaster
 upto 31-3-45.

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President District Board.

Education & Public Health Deptt.

Memorandum No. 45021-1B Edn., S., 19-10-45.

Forwarded to the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts through whom the communication is intended to reach Govt.

J. B. Mhes
Asst. Secretary to Govt.
14/10/45.

The Examiner of Local Fund Accounts, Madras.

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20 OCT 1945

To H.D. Sridharan.

L.F. 7827
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Forwarded.

Examiner's Office.

2. In the further remarks issued on the objection statement on the accounts of the Chingleput District Board for May 1942 issued in L.F.No.1673 dated the 14th December 1942, information regarding substantive pay and post held by the individual was called for, as without this information it could not be decided whether any excess payment was made or not. With reference to the reply furnished to this objection, further remarks were issued in L.F.No.2236 dated the 17th March 1943 calling for the service book of the teacher but reply was received from the President, District Board only on the 21st August 1944, i.e., after nearly 1 1/2 years and on verification, the excess payment was pointed out for recovery in the further remarks issued on the 28th September 1944, stated to have been received by the President on the 2nd October 1944. Even then the President went on paying at the excess rate till the receipt of the G.O.No.526 Education dated the 6th April '45. Had the District Board Office disposed of the call for the service book with celerity, the objection would have been raised either in June or July 1943, and it should have been possible to stop the irregular payment immediately thereafter. The Examiner will have no objection if the Government, as a special case, consider that some concession should be shown to the Headmaster and decide to waive the recovery of the overpayment upto the end of July 1943. No further concession need, perhaps, be shown.

Examiner of Local Fund Accounts.

To The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort Saint George, MADRAS.

Edn., & P.H.(B) Deptt.

Estt - Chingleput District Board -
Sandanaswami Pillai - Sri M.P. Headmaster,
Board High School, Poonamallai - Waiver of
recovery of excess pay - Orders passed.

Read: Memo.No.24031-2.B. Edn. d/ 18-7-45.
From the P.D.B. Chingleput R.Oc.No.12776-44.
A.11, dated 3-10-45.
From the Exr. of L.F. A/cs. No.7827, dated
8-1-46.

ORDER/Ms.No.192 Edn. dated 28.1.46

With reference to the reply given to the audit objection on the pay bill of Sri M.P. Sandanaswami Pillai, Headmaster, Board High School, Poonamalle, for May 1942, his service register was requisitioned for scrutinising the fixation of pay. If the register had been furnished immediately, objection would have been raised to the fixation of his initial pay at Rs.120/-

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before July 1943 and the irregular payment could have been avoided thereafter. In the circumstances the Govt. sanction the waiver of the recovery of the amount overpaid for the period from 30-4-42 to 31-7-43. They see no justification for waiving the recovery of the overpayment made thereafter.

29-1-46
To the P.D.B. Chingleput.

" Exr. of L.F. A/cs.

" D.P.I

Roc.12776--44--A.11.

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Chingleput District Board's Office,
Saidapet, dated 21--2--1946.

To

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The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St.George, M A D R A S.

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Sir,

Ref: Establishment - Sandanasawmi - Sri.M.D. - Headmaster,
Board High School, Poonamallee -Waiver of recovery of
excess pay - Orders passed - G.O.No.Ms.192 Education
and Public Health Department dated 28-1-1946.

The Government in the above said Order have observed that they see no justification for waiving the recovery of the overpayment made after 31-7-43 on the ground that objection would have been raised to the fixation of the initial pay of the individual had his service register been furnished immediately. In this connection the following facts are brought to the notice of Government.

2- The original objections pointing out discrepancy between the pay noted in the service register and that in the pay bill was raised only after auditing the entries made in the service register. The individual was drawing Rs.100 + 20 personal allowance as L.T. and his pay was fixed at Rs.120 when promoted as Headmaster on 30-4-40. If the fixation of pay was irregular, objection in respect of this could have been raised in the original objection statement itself when the service register was audited and this was not done. This fact was also brought to notice of the Examiner when he had been to this Office in connection with the Inspection of accounts. The records, service registers etc., used to be seen by the audit only during local audit.

3- As several objections including the one under reference were pending settlement on account of the non-perusal of records the District Inspector was specially requested to arrange to look into the records and admit the objections - Vide letters 2420 of 45 dated 20-2-45, 27-2-45 and 9-3-45 (copies enclosed).

4- Thus it can be seen that every opportunity was afforded to the audit to look into the service register for settlement of the objection in question and that there was no delay on the part of this Office in producing the service register.

5- Hence I request that the Government may be pleased to reconsider the order and waive the recovery of the overpayment made upto 31-3-45.

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President, District Board.

Copy of the letter No.2420--45 dated 20-2-1945 from the President,
Chingleput Dt.Board,Saidapet to the District Inspector of L.F.Accounts,
Saidapet.

Sub: Audit pending objections - Verification of replies -
Your letter L.F.No.1015 dated 27--12--1944.

In respect of several items of pending objections, the
records of the Office which were kept ready were not ~~will~~ verified
in Local audit, though they were kept ready for production. I therefore
request you to depute the audit clerk to verify and settle the pending
objections.

(True copy)

Copy of the letter Roc.No.2420 of 45-B7 dated 27-2-1945 from the
President,Chingleput Dt.Bd.,Saidapet to the Dt.Inspector of L.F.Accounts,
Saidapet.

Sub: Audit - Pending objection - Verification of replies -
Your letter L.F.No.1263 dated 21-2-1945.

With reference to para 2 of your above letter, I wish to
state that from a perusal of the Further Remarks issued for the months
noted in the margin, it can be seen that the further remarks were issued
from your Office, without looking into the records of this Office which
were available then. So I once again request you to depute the audit
clerk to settle the pending objections.

1. May '43
2. June '43
3. July "
4. August
5. October '43.
6. January '44
7. and February '44.
8. March 1944

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(True copy)

President,Dt.Bd., Saidapet.

Copy of the letter Roc.No.2420--45-B.7 dated 9-3-1945 from the
President,Dt.Board,Saidapet to the Dt.Inspector of L.F.Accounts,
Saidapet.

Sub: Audit - Pending objection - Verification of replies.

In continuation of my letter No.2420 of 45-B.7 dated
27-2-45, I request you to kindly depute the audit clerk at an early
date for looking into the records in respect of pending objections.

(True copy)

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For President, Dt.Bd., Saidapet.

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(14) Ed.P.H. Dept (B1) 19

Memo. No. 11098 B.1/46-1 Edu. d. 28-2-46

Subj: Estt. - Chingleput Dt. Bd. - Sandanaswami Pillai - Sri M. P. Headmaster, Board High School, Poonamallee - Waiver of recovery of excess pay

From the P.D.B., Chingleput, Rec. 12776-44-A.11. d. 21/2/46

The Govt. do not see any justification for reconsidering the orders passed in G.O. No. 192 Edu. d. 28-1-46.

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To the P.D.B., Chingleput.
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Vide Govt's remarks on p.13 cf. and para 4 on p.7 of in C

Note:- The note on pages 6-7 of G.O. No. 192 Edu. d. 28-1-46 may be perused. The P.D.B. has not given any satisfactory reason for not producing the service register of the Headmaster ^{for nearly 1 1/2 years} when it was called for in March 1943 and for not stopping the excess payment even when the

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further remarks on the audit objection was received in the Dt. Bd. office in October 1944. There seems to be no case for reconsideration of the orders in G.O. No. 192 Edu. d. 28-1-46. Draft Memo. overleaf is subd. for approval.

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Establishment - Chingleput Dt Board - Sandanasamy Pillai Sri M. P. Headmaster Board High School Poonamalle - waiver of recovery of excess salary

From the PDB, Chingleput Rec no 12776-45-A2
28.5.45

End of the DP, Rec no 693-G/45 26.5.45

4/12/45

In G.O. no ⁵²⁶ Edu 36.4.45, the Govt directed that the excess salary at the rate of Rs 10 per month paid to Sri M. P. Sandanaswamy, Headmaster Board High School, Poonamalle ^(from 30-4-42) should be recovered in instalments. The amount to be recovered is Rs 350. On the representation of the headmaster that the recovery would cause him hardship, as the cost of living is very high, the Dt Board has resolved

21-12-45

to waive the recovery of the excess salary paid.

For order whether the Board's proposal will be accepted
the Board claims that initial pay was fixed by the D.O. Bd. in good faith.

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request of excess payment was that PL: put up
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audit appeared to have objected to deduction

of pay even in May 1942 - 1/3

the Secy of L. J. A. may kindly see

and say whether definite obj's had been

taken and if at all to have put up

copies of the earliest audit obj's in the

matter & further correspondence, if any, about

paid by the audit Dept. to the D.O. Bd., as vs

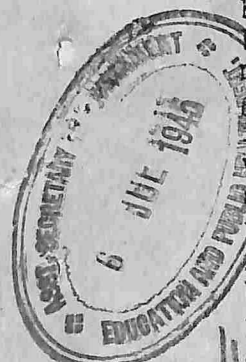
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Secy of L. J. A.

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E. & P. H. No. 24031-1-B
13-6-45



EXAMINER'S OFFICE:
Copies of the original objection and Further Remarks thereon are enclosed. From these it would appear that the correct pay of the teacher as Rs.110+10 P.A. was indicated in the objection statement issued on 14-12-1942. If the District board had taken note of this hint and got the point clarified, it would have seen the inadmissibility of the ~~pay~~ first increment paid from 30-4-42. Even when the matter was pursued in audit, and the incorrectness of the increment granted from 30-4-42 was definitely pointed out in the further remarks issued on 28-9-44, the District Board Office was in no mood to comply with the objection and referred the matter to Government without even suspending, in the meanwhile, payment of the increment objected to until the question was finally settled. It seems desirable that such indifference to audit objections which results in overpayments should be deprecated. The overpayment amounting to Rs.70/- made for the period from 30-4-42 to November 1942 before the receipt of the first objection by the District Board may, perhaps, be waived in deference to the resolution of the District Board, if deemed fit.

E and P.H. Deptt. U.O.

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Exn W.O. No. 197-1

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representative as the case may be who will address the Secretary of State with a view to the necessary declaration of eligibility being issued under sub-section (3) of Section 262 of the Government of India Act, 1935, and

(2) issue to the candidate a certificate in the following form setting out the nature of the evidence produced by the candidate:—

"I hereby certify that who is a candidate for the Indian Civil Service examination in London, has submitted the proofs of his birth detailed below and has satisfactorily shown that he was actually born on or about the date stated, viz., the 19th day of and further I hereby certify that he is the Ruler* of the a subject* of the State in India."

(Here enter details)."

II. For the Note annexed to the said Notification, the following Note shall be substituted, namely:—

"NOTE.—The relevant clauses of the Regulations mentioned in this Notification are:—

"2. A candidate must be a male and either—

(a) a British subject of European descent, or of Indian domicile or descent, whose father (if alive) is a British subject or

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 35/9/38-Ests.

A copy is forwarded to all Provincial Governments and Administrations, Government of Burma, the Federal Public Service Commission, and Registrar, Calcutta University, for information, in continuation of the Home Department endorsement No. F. 266/30-Ests., dated the 3rd March 1931.

By order,

H. S. STEPHENSON,

Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 35/9/38-Ests.

A copy, with a copy of the papers noted below, is forwarded to the Political Department, for information:—

1. Home Department Notification No. 266/30-Ests., dated the 21st February 1931.
2. Letter from the India Office, No. S. & G. 226/38, dated the 19th January 1938.
3. Letter to the India Office, No. 35/9/38-Ests., dated the 10th March 1938.

By order,

H. S. STEPHENSON,

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S&PM(B)

Please see the remarks of the Examiner of L.F.

Accounts on p 3 ante. In the circumstances stated therein, the Govt need not object to the recovery of the sum of Rs 70 being waived by the Dr Bd. The proposal to waive the balance also, may be negatived as the overpayment could have been avoided had steps been taken to rectify the pay of the headmaster as soon as objection was raised in Audit to the fixation of the initial pay at Rs 120 p.m. A draft memo is submitted below for

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Memo. No 24031-2 B. 2, 18.7.45

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From the P.D.B., Chingleput, Roc.1276-44.A.2. d/ 5-8-45. —

Please see the objection statement on p. 5 c.f. and the remarks of the Exr. of L.F. A/cs. on p. 3 n.f. ^{anti} It will be seen that objection was first raised by the Exr. to the fixation of the headmaster's pay at Rs.120/- on 14-12-1942, but the P.D.B. replied that the pay had been correctly fixed. He did not take steps to settle the question immediately. Even when audit wanted to see the service register, the P.D.B. did not send the register immediately but replied after 5 months that it would be produced during local audit. Thus as pointed out by the Exr., the P.D. B. Chingleput was not in a mood to settle the audit objection immediately. If he had done so, the over payment could have been avoided. The orders need not, therefore, be reconsidered.

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M.V.S./27-8-45.

[Memo no 35739-1 B. dated 27-8-45] p10cf

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From the P.D.B. Chingleput Roc.No.12776-44.A.11. d/3-10-1945.
From the Exr. of L.F. A/cs. L.F.7827, d/ 8--1--1946.

Please see the letter from the P.D.B., Chingleput and the remarks of the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts thereon on pp.12-13 c.f.

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2. As L.T. Asst., Sri M.P.Sandanaswami Pillai was drawing a pay of Rs.100 plus personal pay of Rs.20/- p.m. On promotion as Headmaster on 30-4-1940, his pay should have been fixed at the minimum of Rs. 110/- in the scale of Rs.110-10/2-170 plus a personal pay of Rs.10/- p.m. and he should have been allowed to draw Rs.120/- from 30-4-1942 and Rs.130/- from 30-4-1944. Instead of doing so, his initial pay was fixed at Rs.120/- and he was granted an increment ^{and} allowed to draw Rs.130/- on 30-4-1942. The irregularity in the drawal of the pay was first noticed by Audit in Decr., 1942 and in reply to the audit objection, it was pointed out that the pay of the headmaster was Rs.120/- as entered in the Service register and not Rs.110/- plus 10 personal pay. In March 1943 when audit wanted the service register to be produced for scrutiny the P.D.B. replied that it would ^{be} produced during local audit and it was made available for verification only after 1½ years when it was pointed out that the excess payment should be recovered.

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3. On the resolution of the District Board to waive the recovery of the excess payment of Rs.350-5-0, the Govt., stated in Memo.No.24031-2.B., dated 18-7-1945, that they had no objection to the waiver of the recovery of Rs.70/- overpaid upto 30-11-1942 but they saw no justification for waiving the recovery of the overpayment made thereafter as objection ^{was} ~~has been~~ raised in audit in Decr., 1942 to the fixation of the initial pay of the headmaster at Rs.120/-. With reference to this Memo., the P.D.B. Chingleput,

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~~stated~~ that objection to the fixation of pay was pointed out only in the further remarks to the objection statement for May 1942 received in the District Board office on 3-10-1944 and action was thereupon taken to obtain the sanction of the Dt. Board to the fixation of the pay of the headmaster at Rs.120/- with the approval of Govt. and the overpayment was stopped from 1-4-45 as soon as orders of Govt. were received. The Govt. declined to reconsider the orders already passed.

4. The P.D.B., has again requested the Govt. to reconsider the matter and waive the excess amount paid to the headmaster upto 31-3-45. As pointed out by the Exr., at 'A' on p. 13 c.f., had the Dt. Bd., office furnished the service book of the headmaster as soon as it was called for, objection would have been raised in June or July 1943 and the irregular payment could have been stopped immediately thereafter. The P.D.B., Chingleput, could at least have stopped the overpayment from Oct., 1944 when further remarks on the audit objection was recd., in the Dt. Board office. There was no justification at all for continuing the overpayment on the plea of regularising the fixation of pay. In view of the Examiner's remarks, it is for consideration whether the recovery of the amount overpaid upto the end of July 1943 may be waived.

'A' above may be done.

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A draft order is submitted below for approval

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