

Education and P.H. (1946.) Department.

Ms. SERIES.

G.O. No. Ms. 2045 Education.

Dated 28th October, 1946.

[Despatch Abstract.]

School - Aided - Elementary - Employment of Music
teachers - Proposal - Deferred.

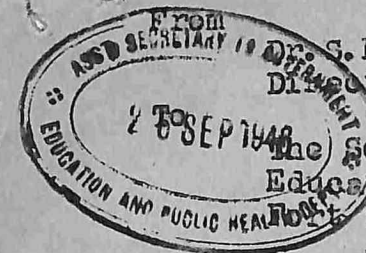
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Education Department.



Dr. S. R. U. Savor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.,
Director of Public Instruction, Madras

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department,
No. 1 St. George, M a d r a s.

R.C.No.4931-B6/46 dated 23rd September, 1946.

Sir,

Schools--Aided elementary--Employment of music teachers
and assessment of grant--Proposal submitted.

In inviting the attention of Government to their Order No.
Ms. 359-Education dated 20.2.1946, I have the honour to recommend
that Government may be pleased to consider the proposal submitted
in my letter R.C.No.2473-B/45 dated 15.11.1945 in connection with
Part II of the Budget Estimate for 1947-48.

The total number of aided elementary schools in the Province
as on 31.3.1946 is 17036. Assuming that 10% of the schools are
likely to appoint specialist music teachers, the approximate extra
cost to Government for a calendar year will be Rs. 3,27,000/-
(for 1704 teachers at Rs. 192/- per year).

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

For Director of Public Instruction.

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Schools - Aided - Elementary - Employ-
ment of Music Teachers - Proposal - Deferred.

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E.O. (Ms) 2045 Edn. dt. 28.10.46

The S.P.S. is informed
that the proposal for the employment
of Music Teachers in aided elementary
schools should be deferred.

To
The S.P.S.
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C.No. 566740.

From the D.P.I., No. 4931 B6/46, dd. 23.9.1946.

Aided elementary schools - Employment of Music teachers - Part II Scheme for 1947-1948.

Please see the orders in G.O.No. 359 Edn. d. 20.2.1946.

The D.P.I. has renewed the proposal for the employment of music teachers in aided elementary schools and for the assessment of teaching grant ^{for them} for consideration in connection with the budget for 1947-1948. The approximate cost to Govt. on account of the proposal is reported to be Rs. 3,27,000 per year.

Attention is invited to the Secretary's note on page 2nf. of G.O.No. 359 Edn, d. 20.2.1946. The Govt have since decided that the rate of teaching grant to aided elementary school teachers should be increased by Rs. 2 per mensem which will involve an additional expenditure of about Rs. 10 lakhs. The problem of satisfying the existing teachers is by itself a difficult one. It does not seem desirable to create a new class of teachers, ~~and add to the existing discontentment.~~

Further it does not seem that the proposal will satisfy the criteria laid down in the u.o. note of the Finance department at (X).

For orders whether the D.P.I. may be informed that the proposal should be deferred.

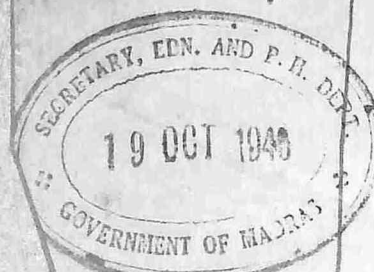
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The proposal to be negatived not only for reasons of cost as well as the difficulty in getting the personnel but also for another reason. One of the Radio Engineering Companies met me the other day and told me that they can supply radio sets for a price less than Rs. 100 which will make them pick up the broadcasts from Trichinopoly or Madras. If radio sets are supplied, the music supplied by them as well as the music taught by them through the radio will be better substitutes than ill-equipped masters and so, I think we should favourably consider that proposal rather than this and so the present proposal may be negatived.



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Date 4.9.47

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National Higher Elementary School

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V. KUPPAMMAL

Manager

Date

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Memo. No. 71884 C/47-5 Em. No. 12/1/48 24P.H. C.

Schools - Aided - Elementary - Assessment
of grant on behalf of Music teachers.

P 2 my From the S. P. S. U.O. Reply No. 3048 B/47 of
13.11.47.

24/11/47

The S. P. S. is informed
that the proposal for the assessment
of grant to music teachers in higher
ele. girls' schools should be brought
forward as a Part II scheme for 1949-50.

To
The S. P. S.
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Education and P.H.(C.1) Deptt.

Schools - Aided -Elementary - Employment of music teachers and assessment of grant.

From the Manager, National Higher Elementary School, Vellore, dated 4-9-1947



Extract of H.M.(Edn's) minute:

"May be examined"

T.S.A./7-8-47.

In her letter to H.M(Edn) in the c.f., the Manager of the National Higher Elementary School, Vellore, requests that grants may be assessed on behalf of music teachers employed in higher elementary schools. The proposal of the Director for employment of music teachers in aided elementary schools and for assessment of teaching grant for them was considered last year as a Part II Scheme for 1947-48, but it was deferred in view of the prohibitive cost ~~involved~~ and the difficulty experienced in getting the personnel; it was also then considered that the supply of radio sets to elementary schools would be a better substitute to employment of music teachers. Please see the notes and minutes on page 1 n.f. of G.O.No. 2045 Education, dated 28-10-46.

2. In the syllabus for elementary schools, Music has been prescribed as a compulsory subject in the lower elementary schools and as an optional subject in higher elementary schools. It will not, therefore, be reasonable to permit the employment of music teachers in the case of higher elementary schools alone, where the subject has been prescribed only as an optional subject.

3. The extra^{cost} to the Government on account of the employment of music teachers in ten percent of ^{the} aided elementary schools that existed on 31-3-46 (in 1704 schools) was estimated prior to the revision of pay of teachers at Rs. 3,27,000/- a year. There will be about thousand higher elementary schools and the ^{cost of} employment of music teachers in the scale of Rs. 25- $\frac{1}{2}$ -30 will be about Rs.3.6 lakhs per annum ultimately.

The D.P.I. may see the paper S.U.O. for remarks if any, before circulation.



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9/10/47

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Re-submitted.

I am in favour of recommending provision for grant for Music teachers in the Higher Elementary schools for girls, at any rate, to start with. I do not agree with the argument that to provide for Music teachers in Higher Elementary schools without at the same time providing for such teachers in Lower Elementary schools will not be correct. The instructions given in Music in the Lower Elementary schools must necessarily be of a very elementary character - merely communal singing - and such instruction may be given by the class teachers without the need for a specially trained Music teacher, but in the Higher Elementary classes where instruction is given at all, it will be of a fairly high standard and would require a specially trained teacher to give instruction. Though the teaching of Music is optional in the Higher Elementary schools, it should be considered a very important subject, at any rate in girls schools. The employment of Music teachers in Board and Municipal Elementary schools has been permitted and it is not fair to deny the aided schools this facility. It is found that there are only 400 Higher Elementary schools for girls according to the 1944-45 report in the Presidency, and it can be said that not even half of them have separate Music teachers.

I therefore recommend that provision may be made in the rules for the sanction of a grant to Music teachers in the Higher Elementary girls schools; and though it is not possible to correctly estimate the cost, it must be less than Rs. 50,000 a year. It is possible that in many schools the class teacher herself is qualified to give instruction in Music. In such cases, the question of paying a grant will not arise.

I therefore recommend that the principle of assessing grant to Music teachers may be accepted.

S. R. S. S. S.
Director of Public Instruction.



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Please see the Director's remarks at p. 2 ante. In the circumstances reported by him, it is for orders whether his recommendations at N and M on the previous page may be accepted. The case may be sent to him for remarks prior to circulation.

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Finance (Exp. A)

The notes on H 1-3 above may be perused. E.H.H. recommend the proposal of the D.P.I. that provision may be made in the rules for the payment of grant to Music teachers in H.E. schools and that the principle of assessing grant may be accepted by Govt in principle. It is estimated that the cost of the proposal will be less than Rs. 50,000 p.a.

The D.P.I. himself has expressed his opinion that the teaching of music in Higher Ele. schools is only optional.

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The draft memo below may now
issue.

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