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G.O. NO. MS.1669 Education.

Dated 25th July 1947

[Despatch Abstract.]

Certificate - S.S.L.C. - Alteration of date of birth of K. Vaidyanathan
- Request negatived.

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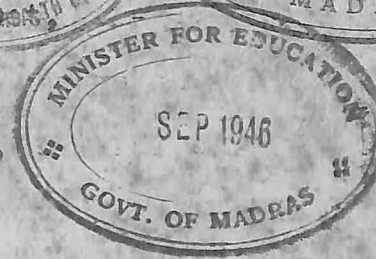
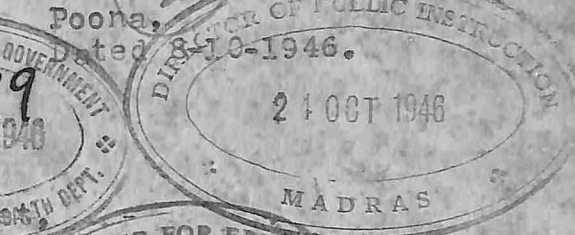
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From:-

K. Vaidyanathan,
191, Nalini Nivas,
Poona.



The Minister for Education,
Madras.



I beg to bring the following few lines for your kind consideration.

I have passed the S.S.L.C. Examination held in March 1937 by the Government of Madras. My Date of birth as entered in my S.S.L.C. Book is 23-11-1917 (Nineteen hundred and seventeen). But my correct Date of Birth according to the Birth Register is 22-6-1921 (Nineteen hundred and twenty one) for which a true extract has been taken by me from the Office of the Sub-Registrar of Lalgudy, where I was born, which is also a government certificate. Explaining the circumstances in which my date of birth was not corrected in my S.S.L.C. Book as well as the school admission Register I wrote to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras for which he has replied that my request is inadmissible under the rules. I wrote to him several times before, for which the same reply has been received by me.

I was studying in the B.R. High School, Trichinopoly, from 1930-1937 (from my fifth standard up to S.S.L.C.). At the time of my admission I was not aware of my date of birth. When I was studying in the IV Form Class the school authorities enquired the pupils whether any correction in the date of birth entered in the admission register was necessary. They gave a declaration card also to each individual to give his correct date of birth. Accordingly I returned the card to the School authorities with the correct age entered therein. I came to know only after leaving the school that my date of birth was not corrected in my S.S.L.C. Book. When I enquired about this matter some time back my school authorities I was given to understand that the declaration card was lost by them and they say that the same is not traceable. Because of the fault of the school authorities I am put to hardship all along these years.

Owing to the outbreak of Jap. War in 1942 the unemployment problem of India was solved to a great extent. Educated youths were needed every where. Even at that time my S.S.L.C. Book stood as a bar for me to get any employment. Naturally, to enter into any service the appointing authorities require candidates below 25 years and for the verification of age they look to the S.S.L.C. Book. The difference between my correct date of birth and the date of birth in the S.S.L.C. BOOK is nearly three and a half years.

In 1945 before the end of the War the Madras Public Service Commission and the Federal Public Service Commission conducted competitive examinations for recruitment of temporary clerks and they waived the age limits also. I had the opportunity of appearing for both the examinations and I was declared successful in both the examinations. I am now appointed as a Temporary clerk under the Govt. of India and I am not sure as to how long I may be retained here. Any how

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it is a purely a temporary vacancy. If I were thrown out of employment at this juncture I am sure I will be in the dark.

I had the courage of addressing the Minister himself direct since it appears to my mind that no useful purpose can be served by applying to the authorities concerned.

Now the popular Government has come to power and I believe that they will give their judgement in each case by taking a sympathetic view of things having due regard to facts, and not going by the mere letter of the law.

If any evidence to my correct date of birth is required I am prepared to submit any document from responsible officers to the satisfaction of the authorities.

I am sure that I will kindly be excused for the troubles I am going through in this matter and believe that you will sympathetically consider my case and my case will have your most sympathetic consideration.

With respectful regards,

Yours Obediently,

K. Vaidyanathan.

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Endt.No. 60679-B1/46-1 Edn., dated 21-10-1946.

Referred to the ~~Commissioner~~ Director of
Public Instruction, Madras, for remarks.

(By order)

Assistant Secretary to Govt.

To
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, M A D R A S.
R.C.N . 235-E/47, dated 28th May, 1947.

SUBJECT: S.S.L.C. Alteration of date of birth - K.Vaidyanathan.

REFERENCE: ENDT. No. 60679-B1/46-1 Education dated 21-10-1946. P.3 on te

RESUBMITTED with the S.S.L.C. and the birth extract PP. 5-6 in te

produced by the applicant. The Director's remarks offered in Endt.

R.C.No.11385-E/46 dated 27-2-47 (vide G.O.Ms.No.527 Education, dated

16-3-47) hold good in the present case also. The Headmaster, E.R.

High School, Trichinopoly, states that the application for admission

and declaration given by the parent at the time of opening the S.S.L.C.

being more than ten years old were destroyed during the summer vacation

of 1944 and that there is no difference in the entries in the admission

register and the S.S.L.C.

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Education and Public Health Department.

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Please see the letter from the D. P. I. on page 4 ante. The current file of

(u) G.O. No. 527. Edn., dated, 16-3-47,

containing the D. P. I.'s endt. referred to at J. A. P. G. anti has been sent to the

Govt. Solicitor, Madras, in another connection. The linked case below.

Its return may be awaited till 1-7-47.

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No. Call for a copy of the D. P. I. file for the

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A draft memo. to the D. P. I. is subd.

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Memo. No. 45793-1-g3. Edn., 3, 20/6/47.

S. S. L. C. — Alteration of date of birth — K. Vaidyanathan.

P. H. C. 7. ante Ref: From the D. P. I., R. C. No. 235-E/47, dated, 28-5-47.

The D. P. I. is requested to ~~submit~~ a copy of his ~~memo~~ endt. R. C. No. 11385-E/46, dated, 27-2-47, ~~referred~~ ^{referred} in his reference cited above.

To

The D. P. I. ✓

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Education	Department	Received	Registered
From (Name) Sri D. S. Reddi, M.A. (Oxon.) M.B.E.,			
Designation Director of Public Instruction,		To	The Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department, Fort St. George, M a d r a s.
Station M a d r a s.			

Enclosures: R. C. No. 235-E/47. dated 7th July 1947.

Sir,

S.S.I.C.--Alteration of date of birth--K. Vaidyanathan.
Reference:--Education and Public Health Department Memo.
No. 45793-1-G3-Edn., dated 20.6.1947.

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I submit herewith a copy of my Endorsement R.C.No.

11385-E/46 dated 27.2.1947.

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For Director of Public Instruction.

Endorsement R.C.No.11385-E/46 dated 27th Feb. 1947.

Alteration of date of birth--N. S. Ramamurthi, No. 79537.
Endorsement No.67226-B1/46-1 Edn., dated 20.11.1946 from the
Assistant Secretary to Government, Education and Public
Health Department.

Resubmitted

2. Government have in their Order No.Ms.39 Edn., dated 12.1.1944
passed orders authorising the Director to order corrections at any
time in the date of birth in the S.S.I.C. only in the following
cases:-

- (1) When an obviously absurd entry has to be set right and
- (ii) When a Civil court directs correction in any individual case.

3. In the present case, it is a case of want of conclusive
evidence which would identify the nameless child referred to in the
birth certificate and the young man referred to in the petition and
therefore it is not felt justifiable to recommend to Government the
grant of the request. This is eminently a case for court investiga-
tion on the basis of sworn evidence and decision.

/True copy/.

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For Director of Public Instruction.

53/25/77
d. No. 45793/47

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Certificate — S.S.D.C. —

Alteration of date of birth of
K. Vaidyanathan — Request negatived.

PP. 1-2 d. 7.

Ref: From Sri K. Vaidyanathan,
dated 8-10-'46.

P. 4 d. 7.

From the D.P.I., R.C. No.
235-E/47, dated 28-5-'47.

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The petitioner is informed
that his request for altering
his date of birth entered in the
S.S.D.C. cannot be complied with.
^{He is also informed,}
and that the matter has to be
placed before the Civil Court
and a decree obtained for
rectification

Rectification of the entry in
the S.S.L.C.

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To
Sri K. Vaidyanathan,
✓ 191, Malini Nivas,
Rastha Street,
Poona (with enclosure)
The D.P.I.
(with pages 5-6 c.7. in
reg. and the S.S.L.C.
Book - to be sent by
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acknowledgment doc)
The D.P.I.
✓ (with S.S.L.C. Book ret'd.
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S.S.L.C. — Alteration of date
of birth — Sri K. Vaidyanathan.

PP. 1-2 d.7.
d. No. 60679/46. From Sri K. Vaidyanathan, 8-10-46.
d. No. 45793/47. From the D. P. I., R. d. No. 235-E/47,
28-5-47.
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PP. 1-2 d.7.

PP. 5-6 d.7.

PP. 14-15 d.7.
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Please see the petition from
Sri K. Vaidyanathan on pages 1-2 d.7.,
requesting the alteration of date of
birth in his S.S.L.C. Book and the
D. P. I.'s remarks thereon on page 4 d.7.,
~~devising to recommend the request~~
The petitioner states that his date
of birth was wrongly entered as
23-11-1917 in his S.S.L.C. Book due to
some mistake and that it may be
altered now as 22-6-1921 which is
his correct date of birth, as
evidenced from the extract of his
Birth Register produced by him. The
D. P. I. does not recommend the
alteration of the date of birth in
the S.S.L.C. Book as the name
of the child is not mentioned in
the extract of the Birth Register. The
case ~~is~~ is similar to the one
disposed of, in G.O. M.S. No. 527. Edu.,
dated, 16-3-47. The note on pages
1-2 d.7. of the G.O. at (iv), explaining
why the request should be negatived,
applies, ^{equally well} to this case also. & the
circumstances, it is for orders whether
the request of the petitioner may
be negatived and the petitioner be
informed.

informed as was done in the case

at (u) or that the request for attachment

of the date of birth as entered in the S.S.R.C. can not be complied with

as that the matter has to be placed before the civil court and a decree obtained for rectification of entry in the S.S.R.C.

PP. 14-15 C. 7.

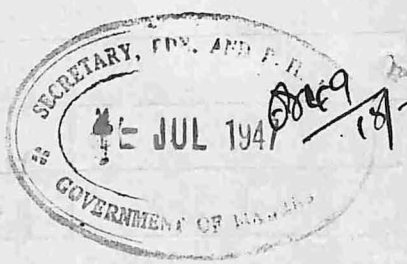
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A draft order is submitted for

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