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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH **(194 7) Department.**

MS. **SERIES.**

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Letter ~~G.O.~~ **NO.** Ms. 2503 Edn. → p12 ef

Dated 21st November 1947.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Advanced Studies overseas - period of waiting for scholars on return from abroad.

Back Papers.

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NO.F.3-29/45-ODIV.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Department of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 2nd April, 1947.
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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
11 APR 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

MEMORANDUM.

SUBJECT: Advanced Studies Overseas; period of waiting for scholars on return from abroad.

The undersigned is directed to state that the Government of India have carefully considered the question of the period within which their scholars should be offered suitable employment on their return from abroad after completion of their studies. The bonds executed by the scholars bind them to serve Government on their return for a period of at least five years. A The Government of India do not, however, think that Government has the right to call upon a scholar at any time during the stipulated period of five years or that it can keep a scholar waiting indefinitely while it makes up its mind whether it wants to employ him or not.

2 B The Government of India have now decided in respect of their own scholars, that, if, for one reason or the other, they are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three calendar months after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for the same.

3 The Provincial Government may kindly consider and communicate to the Government of India, their

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decision regarding the sponsored scholars whose cost of studies is shared by the Central Government, at an early date.

for Secretary.

To

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

'THAKAR'
50/ 31.3.47. -D.

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No.F.3-29/45-OD.IV
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

NEW DELHI 3, the 25th JUNE'47.

(MEMORANDUM)

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
30 JUN 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS
PERIOD OF WAITING FOR SCHOLARS
ON RETURN FROM ABROAD.

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The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department Memorandum of even number dated the 2nd/7th April 1947 on the above subject (copy enclosed) and to request the favour of a reply at a very early date.

M. H. Rahman
for Secretary.

To

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

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for Secretary.

To

The Secretary to the Government of

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No. F.3-29/45.O.D.IV.
Government of India.
Department of Education.(INDIA)
New Delhi 3, Dated the 23rd July, 1947.

MEMORANDUM.

Subject:- ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS. PERIOD OF WAITING FOR SCHOLARS ON RETURN FROM ABROAD.

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The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department memorandum of even number dated ~~7th~~ 2nd April, 1947 on the above subject (copy enclosed), and subsequent reminder dated 25th June, 1947, and to request the favour of a reply at a very early date.

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for Secretary.

To

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

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E.P.H. Dept

Letter no. 60885 C2/47-1 Edn dt 7/8/47

To
The Secy. to the Govt of India,
Edn. Dept., New Delhi 3

Despd
9/8/47

Sir,

Advanced studies overseas - Period of waiting for scholars on return from abroad.

Ref:- Govt. of India, Edn. Dept. memo. no. F-3-29/49-OD.IV dt 2/7-4-47 and Subsequent reminders dt 25.6.47 and 23.7.47. — p 4 ante

p 1 ante

I am directed to state that that the matter is under the Consideration of this Govt. and that as soon as a decision is arrived at it will be communicated to the G. of India.

Y.O.S.

6/8/47

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Same as pp 2-3 ante

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NO.F.3-29/45-ODIV.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Department of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 2nd April, 1947.

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decision regarding the sponsored scholars whose cost of studies is shared by the Central Government, at an early date.

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for Secretary.

To

The Secretary to the Government of

'THAKAR'
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AIR MAIL.

NO.F.3-29/47-ODIV.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Ministry of Education,

25 OCT 1947

New Delhi 3, the 22nd OCT., 1947.

From

Sir John Sargent, C.I.E., M.A., D.Litt.,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Education and Public Health Deptt.,
MADRAS.

SUBJECT: Advanced studies overseas; period of waiting in respect of sponsored scholars, on return from abroad.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the correspondence on the above subject, resting with the Provincial Govt. letter No.60885-C2/47-1, Edn, dated 7th Aug.47, and to request the Provincial Government to communicate their decision in the matter, to this Ministry, at a very early date.

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

D K Hingorani
for Secretary.

'THAKAR'

EdPH(C2)

Letter No. 28175 C2/47-4 Edn d/ 11 12-11-47

To

The Secy to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Edn,
New Delhi, 3

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Sir,

Sub Overseas Scholarships - Sponsored Scholars - Period of waiting on return from abroad

CF

Ref ~~From~~ your letter No F.3-29/47-ODIV d/ 22-10-47

I am directed to state that the matter is still under the consideration of this Govt. and that a reply will be sent as soon as a decision has been reached.

Y.o.S.

EJ 28/10/47

Cwa 7.11.47

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Letter/MS No. 2503 Edn d 21.11.47

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To
The Secy to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Edn,
New Delhi, 3

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25/11 Sir,

Sub- Advanced Studies overseas - period of waiting for Scholars on return from abroad - ~~Reply Sent to the Govt of India.~~

pp1-2 cf

From the Govt. of India, Dept. of Edn No. F. 3-29/45-ODIV d 2/7-4.47

I am directed to state that this Govt. agree generally to adopt, in respect of provincial scholars whose cost is shared by the Provincial and the Central Govts, the procedure that has been decided upon by the Govt. of India in respect of central scholars, viz. if for one reason or the other, the Govt. are unable to offer employment to a Scholar within a reasonable period after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for it, ~~subject~~ but they would, however, ~~to the conditions that~~ have the period of ~~waiting for the Scholar should be~~ as six months (instead of three months as decided upon by the Govt. of India) and ⓧ that the Scholar should not be allowed to take up appointment outside the Dominion of India during the stipulated period of five years, ~~e.g. Ceylon, Burma or~~

ⓧ also make it a condition of the release

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Malaya. ~~The latter condition necessitates~~ the Govt. either to enter into a fresh bond with the Scholar embodying the new condition or before actually releasing the candidate from his present obligation and cancelling his bond he may be required to execute ~~a fresh bond for the purpose.~~

ES 14.11.47

CWA 18.11.47

JSM 20/11/47

Y.O.S.

20/11/47

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✓ PWD
Spare copy for Stock File

Despd 25/11

No. F.2-37/48-O.D.IV
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

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NEW DELHI 3, THE 16th JANUARY 1948.

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From

Sir S.S. Bhatnagar, O.B.E., D.Sc., F.R.S.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department,
MADRAS.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY'S SECTION
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20 JAN 48
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Sub:- Overseas Scholarships Maintenance allowance for period of waiting on return not admissible.

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for the information and guidance of the Provincial Government a copy of this Ministry Memorandum No. Dy.4792/47-O.D.II dated the 11th December 1947 to our educational authorities abroad.

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

DK Hingorani
for SECRETARY.

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Copy of Memorandum No. Dy. 4793/47-O.D.II dated 11th December 1947 to the High Commissioners for India in London and Australia and Indian Embassy, Washington.

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SUB:- Overseas Scholarships (Central) - Return - Maintenance allowance for the period of waiting not allowed. admissible.

Some of the scholars sent under the Overseas scholarships scheme seem to have gained the impression that they on return to India after completion of studies will be entitled to a maintenance allowance until such time as a job is offered to them.

I am directed to say that it should be made xkxxx clear to all Government Scholars (Overseas Scheme) that no such allowance is admissible.

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E.J.O.S.H.(Cr)

(N) May be filed with Lr No. 2503 Edn of 21-11-47 after perusal (Attention is also invited to the minutes of H.M (Edn) and H.M(Fin.) on p15 NF of (N))

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Edn. & P.H. Dept
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Letter no. ⑪

To

The Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Dept of Education, New Delhi. 3.

Sir,

Advanced studies overseas. Period of waiting for scholars on return from abroad.

Ref.- From the Govt. of India Dept of Edn., No. F. 3-29/45-OD IV, dated 2nd/7th April 1947.

pp1-2 CF

I am directed to state that this Govt. agree to adopt, in respect of provincial scholars whose cost is shared by the Provl. and Central Govts, the same procedure that has been decided upon by the Govt. of India in respect of Central Scholars, viz, if for one reason or the other, the Govt. are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three Calendar months after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for it, subject to the condition that the Scholar should not be allowed to take up appointment outside the Dominion of India Y. O. S. within the period of five years.

para 2 on p 1 cf

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26/4/47

Vn
28-4-47

26/4/47

Note:- The form of the bond prescribed by the Govt. of India for Central Scholars is at p. 20 of the brochure (R). The

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form prescribed for Provincial Scholars is based on that of the Central Govt at page 2 of (a) and (b). This Govt may agree with the G. of India's view "A" on page 1 C.F. and adopt for the Provl Scholars the same procedure decided upon by them for ~~Central~~ their Scholars. Subject to orders the draft overleaf is put up. Devt. ~~and~~ P.W.D. and Finance may also see.

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para 2, P1 CF

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30.4.47

Dev. Deptt.

UNDER SECRETARY
1 - MAY 1947
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

To - U.S

The letter from the Govt India at p. 1C.F ~~and~~ the notes of the E & PH above and the draft ~~order~~ letter overleaf may be perused. ~~and the file~~ may be ~~passed on to PWD~~. The suggestion at 'B' on p 1 cf. renders the execution of a bond by the Scholar ineffective even at the start, as the Scholars are not being selected & sent for training against any specific existing vacancy or any prospective vacancy. In almost all cases, the Scholars would find themselves free to act on their own soon after return from training. Perhaps the period of 3 months may be extended to one year. For orders whether the view of E & PH at 'R' on p 2 above will be agreed to.

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The case may be passed on to PWD & the Depts: HM(9) may also see the case before the reply to India issues.

5.5.47

As the date of completion of the Training of a candidate & the approximate date of his arrival in India would be known to the Govt. long before

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Before he actually lands in India, it should not be difficult for the Government to make up their mind within three months of ~~their~~ his arrival in this country whether to employ him or not. Even if no suitable vacancies ~~are~~ available within the period of three months, it should be possible for the Government to specifically say whether they would be requiring his services at any future date within the period of 5 years for which ~~be~~ he executed the bond. It would be so hard on a candidate if he is kept waiting indefinitely. It may not only spoil his chances of getting employment somewhere else but is likely to keep him idle for considerable length of time, which seems to be such a waste, when ~~a~~ the number of trained men in this country is so small.

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'B' on p 1 cf

I would, therefore, agree with the Government of India that if no offer of employment (either immediately or at any time within the period of 5 years after completing his training) is made within three months of a candidate's return from abroad he should be released from the bond executed by him on his applying for the same.

ibid A

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P.W.D.

To A.S.

The Government of India letter at pp. 1-2 c.f., the E & P.H. Deptt. note from bottom of p. 1 ante and the draft letter to the Government of India at p. 1 ante may be perused.

X on p 1 cf

It is reported that the Government of India, after considering the question of the period within which their scholars should be offered suitable employment on their return from abroad, after completion of their studies, have decided ~~in respect of their own scholars~~ that if for one reason or other they are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three calendar months after his return ~~he~~ × should be released from the bond on his applying for the same. E & P.H. propose to adopt~~ed~~ a similar procedure in respect

'B' on p 1 cf

+ p 20 of the brochure at (R)

R on p 20 ante

of the Provincial scholars also. Disagree with E & H This Deptt. may agree with E & P.H. & PW ~~and~~ The file maybe passed on to Finance.

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7.5.47

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Fin.

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PWD No 1953-17/47-I
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Finance Department

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Please see the Memo from the G. of I on pp 1-2 CF and the notes of E & P.H. Dept and P.W.D on pp 1-4 above. The note of P.W.D on pp 3-4 above summarises the case. In the circumstances explained by the Govt of India on p1 CF, this deptt may agree to the Course adopted by the Govt of India at 'B' on p1 CF, in respect of scholars ~~whose~~ ~~Cost is shared~~ sponsored by this Govt ~~and~~ the cost on whom is shared by this & the Central Govts.

~~2. The draft letter on p1 above may be perused and the case returned to E & P.H~~

Ds.
12.5.47

B on p1 CF

The release proposed will no doubt ~~result in the~~ mean that the services of the candidates trained at Govt's cost will not be available & so such expenditure will become a waste; but the fact stated by Govt of India ~~is~~ is true that the Govt ~~cannot~~ cannot keep a scholar indefinitely while it makes up its mind whether it wants to employ him or not.

A on p1 CF

The suggestion of Govt of India referred to at 'B' on p1 CF has also to be ~~necessar~~ followed by this Govt ~~in far~~ as the scheme is one in which this Govt follow the central Govt. The suggestion will however ~~it is hoped~~ be resorted to only if the Govt are definitely unable to provide jobs for the scholars on their return from training. The services of these scholars will no doubt be available to the Country. ~~and so this~~

This dept may ∴ agree to the course decided on by Govt of India at 'B' on p1 CF and the draft letter on p1 above may be accepted. The case may be circulated to the Finance before a reply is sent to the Govt of India.

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14.5.47

DS

Dy. Secy
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I think a period of six months would have been preferable, but for the sake of uniformity the draft may be accepted.

14/5/47

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The draft does not cover the point marked A in Dew note viz that the candidate shd not be released if within 3 months the Govt are in a position to say that the candidates' services will be required at some future date within the period of 5 years for which the bond was executed. The G. of I's decision seems to require actual employment within 3 months of return. I would agree with Dew that even the prospect of employment within a reasonable time shd be sufficient — but perhaps ~~[illegible]~~ it is not reasonable to ask the candidate to wait if the Govt can offer him employment say only in the 3rd or 4th year of his return. I would suggest that as regards Provincial scholars ~~the candidate~~ ~~[illegible]~~ a scholar shd be released if within three months of his return the Govt are

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not in a position to offer him employment either immediately or commencing on a date within one year of the date of his return.

14-5-47. E&P.H.

Fin. U.O. 28067 Estt. 14-5-47.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
4 MAY 1947
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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p 1 cf

This case relates to the question of the period within which scholars sent abroad for studies should be offered suitable employment on their return. The scholars prior to their departure have executed bonds to serve Govt. on their return for a period of at least five years. ~~The Govt.~~ of India have considered the question and have decided that in respect of their own scholars, if for one reason or the other, they are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three calendar months after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for the same. The Govt. of India require the decision of this Govt. regarding their own scholars whose cost of studies is shared by the Central Government.

p 20 (R) p 12 (W)

'B' - p 1 cf

para 3 - pp 1-2 cf.

pp 1-2 ante

2. This Department proposed that the decision of the Govt. of India in respect of their own scholars may be adopted in respect of the scholars of this Government. Dev. Department agree with the Govt. of India that if no offer of employment (either immediately or at any time within the period of 5 years after completing his training) is made within three months of a candidate's return from abroad he should be released from the bond executed by him on his applying for the same. P.W.D. agree with this Department. (They have also agreed with Dev. as according to them Dev. have agreed with E & P.H.). Fin. state that the G. of I's decision seems to require actual employment within three months of return. They agree with Dev. that even the prospect of employment within a reasonable time should be sufficient, but suggest that a Provincial scholar should be released if within three months of his return, the Govt. are not in a position to offer him employment either immediately or commencing on a date within one year of the date of his return. It may ~~be mentioned in this connection that Fin. have correctly understood the decision of the G of I.~~ They ~~however~~ too agree with Dev. ~~and~~ in desire to go beyond the decision of the Govt. of India ~~through~~ but not to the same extent as Dev. ~~Since P.W.D.~~ agree with this Dept. (vide their note on p 3 ante) ~~they cannot agree with Dev. also, as that Dept. agree, [illegible] the decision of the Govt. of India [illegible].~~

'A' - p 3 ante

The latter portion is not covered specifically by the Govt's p [illegible]

p 4 ante

Pages 9 [illegible] the correct position.

pp 5-6 ante

3. In matters relating to the scholars whose cost is

shared between the Central and the Provincial Governments, this government have invariably followed the lead of the Government of India for the sake of uniformity. For example, this Govt., have adopted the rates fixed by the Central Government for their own scholars in respect of stipends/ tuition fees, etc. This decision of Govt. applies ~~as well as~~ also to changes that may be made from time to time in the rates applicable to central scholars. The 5 year period mentioned in the bond executed by the scholars is itself a copy of what the Government of India have laid down in respect of their own scholars.

This does not mean [illegible] the Govt [illegible] precisely in all respects.

'X'-p3 (m)

Compare p20 (R) & p2 (W)

The Government of India ~~are incurring the same amount of expenditure, if not more, on their own scholars that this Govt. incurs on its~~ their ~~scholars. They~~ have presumably examined the question thoroughly and come to the conclusion that government has no right to call upon a scholar at any time during the stipulated period of five years or that it can keep a scholar waiting indefinitely while it makes up its mind whether it wants to employ him or not. Hence they have decided to fix the period of waiting as three calendar months. They must have very good reasons to arrive at this decision. When such is the decision of the Government of India in respect of scholars whose entire expenditure is borne by them, this Govt. need not demur to adopt that decision in respect of Provincial scholars half of whose expenditure only is borne by them. This is also advisable on the score of uniformity.

'A'-p1 cf

'B'-p1 cf

I [illegible] in this particular case [illegible] to [illegible] for [illegible] a different line

p2 (W)

4. The bond executed by the Provincial scholar says that after completion of studies, he has to refund all the monies spent upon him with interest in one of the following circumstances:-

(1) refusing to serve H.E. the Governor of Madras, if required to do so, as a Gazetted officer of the Madras Govt;

(2) refusing to take up other employment indicated by H.E. the Governor of Madras for a minimum period of five years;

(3) refusing to serve ~~his~~ H.E. the Governor-General in Council, if required to do so, as a Gazetted officer of the Central Government;

(4) refusing to take up other employment, indicated by H.E. the Governor-General in council for a minimum period of five years.

There is no indication in the bond that the scholar should necessarily wait for the entire period of 5 years or for any

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any period within that period of 5 years fixed by the Government. Rather, the intention appears to be to offer him employment on his return after the completion of his studies in one of the directions indicated ~~therein~~ in the bond

[illegible]

Dev. have stated that as the date of completion of the training of a candidate and the approximate date of his arrival in India would be known to the Government long before the actually lands in India, it should not be difficult for the Govt. to make up their mind within three months of his arrival in this country whether to employ him or not.

5 Portion of p2 & p3 [illegible]

5. The Government of India have separately proposed to this government a reciprocal arrangement for the exchange of scholars who are returning from completion of their studies abroad i.e. Central Govt.'s scholars who are not required for immediate employment by the sponsoring Depts. of the Government of India will be offered to the Provl. Govt. for employment ~~by~~ and Provl. Govt. scholars who are not required for immediate employment by the sponsoring depts. of the Provl. Govt. are to be offered to the Central Govt. for employment. This proposal of theGovt. of India is under consideration of this Govt. This proposal and the present proposal of the Govt. of India to release scholars from the bond after a period of three months are interconnected and the acceptance of the former involves the acceptance of the latter.

G of I's letter on pp2-3 (V)

Memo 28161 C2/47 -2 Edn 28-6-47

p1 (V)

'D'-p2 (V)

Not necessarily - but it would be convenient if the two [illegible]

'M'-p1 (V)

6. Though the scholars are bound to serve the Govt. for a period of 5 years, the Govt. have not guaranteed any appointment for them on their return from abroad. Their selection for appointment in Madras Govt. service depends upon the rules and regulations in force at that time. They have therefore to take the chance along with other direct recruits in the matter of appointment to government service, the only factor in their favour being their foreign education. When the Government have not assured them any appointment on their return to justify the amount spent on their studies abroad, it stands to reason that they should not be bound over or kept waiting indefinitely On this score also, the proposal of the Government of India seems to be reasonable.

* [illegible] Madras

7. * In the case of certain scholars of the 1945-6 batch

batch who still remain in India for want of admission abroad, Govt. have sanctioned a monthly allowance for the duration of the period of their waiting. The Govt have given them recently Gazetted appointments on a temporary basis. This was in recognition of the hardships which they are put to unnecessarily and for being made to wait indefinitely for going abroad to commence their studies. As opined by Dev. if a scholar on return after completion of studies is kept waiting indefinitely it may not only spoil his chances of getting employment ~~somewhere~~ somewhere ~~also that~~ else but is likely to keep him idle for considerable length of time, which seems to be such a waste, when the number of trained men in this country is so small. If as proposed by Fin. they are made to wait for one year before accepting private employment, they may not get good employment from private employers because they are liable to leave them at the expiry of the one year period or even earlier. There is also the question of how they are to maintain themselves for the period of the forced waiting. Presumably, it is not the intention of Government to pay them any allowance for the period of waiting as they ~~do now~~ did for the scholars of 1945-6 batch who have not been sent abroad so far. Hence it is not advisable to keep the scholars waiting beyond the three months period suggested by the Government of India. // The scheme of overseas training has been footed by the Government of India in the interests of the post-war schemes in general and is ~~xxxx~~ of an All India character. Whether in Govt. service or outside, these trained scholars will be useful to the country at large. Since they have not been recruited against any existing ~~or anticipated~~ vacancies of the sponsoring Dept but only against possible requirements it does not appear to be reasonable to bind them over for any longer period than three months suggested by the Govt. of India. In view of what has been stated above, it ~~appears that this~~ is for orders whether the Govt. may agree to adopt the decision of the Govt. of India ~~in this matter. THEREXIS~~ or whether the suggestion of Finance may be put to that Govt.

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9. Dev., P.W.D. and Fin. may see again before circulation.

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Some of them have been recruited against [illegible] but quite a number have been recruited only against general or additional requirements. by

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UNDER SECRETARY
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DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Within three months we should certainly be in a position to offer them specific employment under [illegible] or the G.o.I., or other [illegible] employment in industries under any [illegible] of the G.o.I.; if we are not, it is fair that the candidates should be released from the bond. I would, therefore, think we may agree to the proposal of the G.o.I.

Dev. P.W.D.

E.P.H. No. 28175 C2/47-2
6.8.47.

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8.7.47

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To U.S.,

Please see the previous notes (of this deptt) on pp 2-3 above, and the further notes on pp 3-10 above.

It is brought out in the notes of this deptt that the suggestion of this deptt at 'A' on p 3 above is not identical with the proposal of the Govt of India as set out at 'B' on p 1 c.f. E & P.H. Secy would seem to suggest that it would be enough if the proposal of the Govt of India at 'B' on p 1 c.f. is agreed to by this Govt. For orders whether this deptt will now agree with the views of ~~Secy~~ Secy, E & P.H. Deptt at 'R' on p 10 above.

~~The~~ Case may be passed on to P.W.D.

'R' on p 10 above

We may agree
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PWD

Dev. U.O. No. 75244-DII/47-1
13.8.47.

P.W.D(M)

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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14 AUG 1947
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

To A.D.S. (Previous notes of this deptt on pp. 3-4 ante)

~~Please see the E & P.H Deptt. note from p. 7 ante. This Deptt. may agree with the views of Secy. E & P.H. at 'R' on p. 10 ante. The file may be passed on to Finance.~~

19.8.47.

This file relates to the question whether in regard to scholars sent for advanced studies overseas and whose cost of studies is shared by the Central Govt and the Provincial Govt the decision of the G. of I ~~xxx~~ at B on p. 1 c.f. will be accepted. The G. of I's decision is that in respect of their own scholars, if, for one reason or the other, they are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three calendar months after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for it. E & P.H, Devt and this deptt accepted the decision of the G. of I. But Finance suggested that a scholar should be released if within three months of his return the Govt are not in a position to

para 3 on pp. 1-2 c.f.

B on p. 1 c.f.

pp. 8-11 ante

A

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to offer him employment either immediately or commencing on a date within one year of the date of his return. E.&P.H. stick to their original decision — please see R on p. 10 ante. Devt. again agree with E.&P.H. As this deptt. has already agreed with E.&P.H., the decision of E.&P.H. as at R on p. 10 ante may be accepted. ~~provided the views of Finance at A above are do not make us revise our original decision.~~ The file may be passed on to Finance.

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S. For a Govt. with its Secretariat & ~~unavoidable~~ its inimitable Red Tape the period of 3 months is too ~~brief~~ short. However since the Govt of India have decided on 3 months, we may agree with them. After all the main purpose of sending these men overseas is to have technically trained men in this country & not necessarily in Govt service. ~~I presume that is a clause in their agreement~~ I would however suggest that for the period of five years these men should not be allowed to seek employment in a foreign country e.g. Ceylon Burma, Malaya or even Pakistan or Independent Hyderabad. This country should not lose their talents.

20.8.47

Fin

PWD No 3554-17/47-1
26.8.47

Finance (E.III)

(Previous note of Finance on pp.4-6 above).

Please see the further notes of E.& P.H., Devt., and P.W.D. on pp.7-12 above. As against the suggestion of this department that a Provincial Scholar sponsored for overseas studies should be released if within three months of his return the Govt. are not in a position to offer him employment either immediately or commencing on a date within one year of the date of his return, E.& P.H. propose to stick to their original view viz., to agree with the proposal of Govt. of India that if within three months after the return of the scholar the Govt. are not in a position to offer specific employment

'Non pp 5 above

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the scholar should be released from the bond on his applying for it. Development agree with the view of E.& P.H. P.W.D. also agree with the view of E.& P.H. subject to the remark that the scholar should not be allowed to take up appointment outside the Dominion of India within the period ~~ft~~ of five years. In the light of the considerations set out by E.& P.H on pp.7-10 above this department may agree with the view of E.& P.H. as modified by P.W.D.

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The proposal in this file is that this Govt. may adopt the procedure laid down by the G of I that if for one reason or the other, the Govt are unable to offer employment to an overseas scholar, whose cost is shared by the Provl. and Central Govts, within ~~three~~ calendar months after his ~~return~~ return from abroad he should be released from the bond on his applying for it but subject to the condition that the Scholar should not ~~be allowed~~ to take up appointment outside the Dominion of India within the period of five years mentioned in the bond.

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A draft letter is submitted. It may issue after circulation to H.M (Edn), H.M (Ind.), H.M (PW) and H.M (Fin)

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22.9.47

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24.9.47

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25.9.47

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A.G. I am [illegible] the scholar

[illegible] whether while releasing the scholar from the bond, a condition like this, which was not contemplated in the bond, is legally [illegible] can be imposed at all, and whether, if it is imposed, it can be enforced under the original bond or a new bond being executed i.e. without the condition being freshly imposed. Legal may kindly advise.

[illegible] Legal

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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LEGAL DEPARTMENT

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Legal Department

There is no objection to the imposition of a condition in the terms suggested; but it is necessary for its enforcement that the consent of the candidate should be obtained. Either a fresh bond embodying the new condition may be obtained or before actually releasing the candidate from his present obligation and cancelling his bond, he may be required to execute a fresh bond for the purpose.

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Asst. Secretary to Government
Education and Public Health Dept.
15 OCT 1947
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Legal no no 10855/47
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E&PH (C2)

In the Case of scholars sponsored by the Govt. of India for higher studies under the Overseas Scholarship scheme, that Govt. have decided that if for one reason or the other, the Govt. are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three calendar months after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for it. E&PH Dept. proposed to adopt the same procedure in respect of the scholars sponsored by this Govt. While agreeing to the proposal, PWD have suggested that the procedure might be adopted subject to the condition that the scholar should not take up appointment outside the Dominion of India during the stipulated period of five years e.g. Ceylon, Burma or Malaya. Fin have agreed to the proposal ~~&~~ as modified by PWD. The opinion of Legal Dept. in the matter is at 'A' above. It is for orders whether the proposal as modified by PWD may be accepted in this Dept also ~~and the scholars asked to execute~~ do either ~~of the course suggested by Legal at A above~~

Yes; the procedure at 'A' above will have to be followed

The draft letter below is for approval.

The file may be circulated to H.M (Edn), ~~H.M (Law)~~ H.M (Pw) and H.M (Fin.).

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H.M. (Cm.) ✓
H.M. (Edn.) ✓
H.M. (Pw.) ✓
H.M. (Fin.)

The draft says "if for one reason or the other, the Government are unable to offer employment to a scholar within three calendar months after his return, he should be released from the bond on his applying for it, subject however to the condition . . . . . ."

I think it must be at least six months. We know the ways of Govt. It takes time for the Government to fix up people and three months will be toolittle. I would have preferred even one year but that may be felt as a hardship by the scholars and so, six months may be fixed as the period. A clause also may be added that if the Government think fit ~~to~~ they may extend the period by another six monthsif they are not able to fix up within six months but subject to the condition that they would be paid only Rs.100 p.m. for the period of waiting.

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I agree MB 5/11
Rs 100 need not be paid during the waiting period.
I agree for six months period. It happens only in very rare cases.
Service in Dominion of India may be insisted as suggested.
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6.11.47

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~~to~~ H.M. (Educ) ~~and~~ H.M. (Ind), and H.M. (P.W).

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H.M. (Con) ✓ TSA 9-11-47

H.M. (Ind) ✓

H.M. (P.W) 10/11

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With ref. to the orders in circulation on pp 15–16 above, a revised draft letter is submitted for approval

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