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Dated 17. 2. 47.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

E. du. Supply of Midday meals to Adi-
Dracida pupils in Standards VI to VIII.
papers enclosed.

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செப்பனிருபவர் பெயர் : மா.விநாயகமன்

செப்பனிலுமுதற்காக எடுத்ததுக்- 1/09-3/09
கொள்ளப்பட்ட நாள், 2/09

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Office of the Director of
Public Instruction, Madras.

Re.No.6148 B2/46 dated 26-9-1946.

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Elementary Education - Compulsory area - supply of midday meals to A.D.pupils of standards VI to VIII.

Ref: Letter from President, District Board, Salem,
Rc.No.E 13-10322/46 dated 29-8-1946.

Submitted to Government.

2. It is recommended that Adi Dravida pupils studying in standards VI to VIII in the schools in the compulsory areas may be exempted from the operation of G.O.No.814 Edn., dated 15-4-46.

for Director of Public Instruction.
ent, Education

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

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Re 6148 B2/46
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REMINDER.

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Director of Public Instruction
Nadras

I am directed to invite attention to Govt Memo
No. 57752 B2-2 Bdu. 2.4.46 and to

to request that the reply to it may be expedited
request that this reminder may be returned at once
with information as to—

- (1) the stage at which the matter now is and
- (2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
- (3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

Secy. to Govt. L. B. A. / L. B. A.
Signature
Post of Govt. Asst. Secy. to Govt.
Designation

Dated 6.12.46

SUBJECT

Elementary Education - Compulsory area
Supply of midday meals to A.C. District
Pupils of Standards VI to VII

10/11/46

P. 02.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, M A D R A S.

R.G.No.6148 B2/46, Dated 17-12-46.



To The Secretary to Government, Education & Public Health Dept., MADRAS.

Sub:- Elementary Education - compulsory area - Midday meals - supply to Harijans in standards VI to VIII.

Ref:- Government Reminder dated 6-12-46 on their Memo No.57752 B2-2 Edn., dated 2-11-46.

Resubmitted.

2) Particulars are awaited from the District Educational Officer's and the Inspectresses of Girls' Schools. The estimate called for by the Government will be submitted on receipt of particulars from them.

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

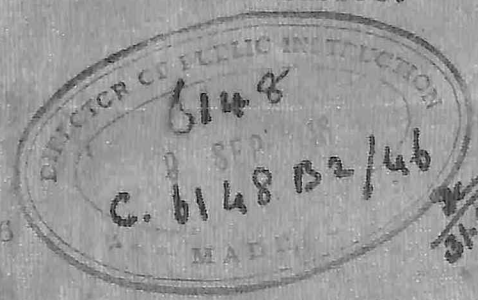
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Education - Elementary - Compulsory area - supply of midday meals to A.D. Pupils of standards VI to VIII - Orders requested. S.O.No.13/10322-46. Salem District Board office, Dated 29--8--1946.

From Sri K.A.Nachiappa Gounder M.L.A., President, District Board, Salem.
To The Secretary to Government, Education & Public Health Deptt., Port St. George, Madras.
Through The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Ref. G.O.No.814 dated 15th April 1946.

All the poor pupils attending the schools in compulsory areas were being supplied with midday meals since the date of introduction of the scheme in pursuance of Government Memo No.32083-5-45 dated 1-9-45. In G.O.No.814 Edn dated 15-4-46 Government have however ordered that pupils in standards VI to VIII and those below the age of six years should be excluded for the purpose. Representations are received by me that the poor scheduled class pupils attending the higher standards in compulsory areas irrespective of their age or class in which they study may be provided with midday meals. There would be only a few poor scheduled class pupils studying in the higher standards and a few below the age of six. Further the Government is always ready to help the scheduled class pupils to the extent possible in all directions especially in the matter of education as they are very poor generally and backward in this respect. I think that it is but fair that the A.D. pupils of scheduled classes who are generally very poor in status should be given all encouragement possible to promote the education of their children. I therefore request that the Government may be pleased to order that the restrictions imposed in G.O.No.814 Edn dated 15-4-46 will not apply to the children of scheduled classes.



President, District Board, Salem.

1941-ம் வருஷத்திய சேலம் ஜில்லா மகம்மதிய தொகுதியைச் சார்ந்த மதராஸ் லெஜிஸ்லேஷன் அசெம்பிளியின் முடிவான எலெக்டொரல் ஜாபிதா

ஓமலூர் தாலுகா

- [குறிப்பு:— (1) பராக்ஸெட்டுக்குள்ளிருப்பவை தப்பினார், புருஷன் அல்லது காரணவான் பெயர்.
(2) யோக்கியதாம்சம் குறித்திராத பெயர்களின் யோக்கியதாம்சம் இல்லை.
(3) L என்பது எழுதப்படக்கூடத் தெரிந்தவர்கள்.
(S) என்பது ஸ்திரீ.]

1937-ம் வருஷத்திய எலெக்டொரல் ஜாபிதாவுக்கு 1938, 1939, 1941-வருஷங்களில் சேர்க்கை, நீக்கல், பிழைகிருத்தம்—ஜாபிதா

குறிப்பு:— 1-முதல் 5-வார்க்குள் 7, 8, 9-வார்க்குள் கோட்டை-மேட்டியூட்டியில் பார்த்தவரும்.

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ஓமலூர் பஞ்சாயத்து போர்டு
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(Sd.) S. D. வேதமுத்து,

கொலிண்ட்ரோஷன் ஆபீசர்.

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14-11-1941.

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Elementary Edu. Compulsory Edu. Supply of A.D. pupils of standards VI to VII. Ref:— Encl of the D.P. no 6/48 Dd/46 d 26-9-46

The D.P. is informed that any concession granted in favour of the Salem Dt Bd, as regards the supply of secondary schools to foreign pupils studying in standards VI to VII of higher elementary schools in Compulsory area, which have to be extended to St. Bonaventura also. He is therefore, requested to work out the extra cost involved on account of the proposal if the concession is granted to Salem Dt-Bonaventura also and also if it is extended to other Dt Bds also and submit a

P.T.O.

1.1.47
 Report to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, dated 30-1-1947.
 Subject: The supply of free midday meals to Harijan pupils in standards VI to VIII.
 The Government of Madras, Madras.
 The Secretary to Government,
 Education and Public Health Department, Madras.
 Sir,
 Elementary Education - Compulsory area - Supply of midday meals to Harijan pupils in standards VI to VIII.
 Ref:- Government Memorandum No. 5722 R2-2 Edn., dated 2-11-1946.
 There are 8167 Harijan pupils in standards V to VIII, who deserve to be supplied with free midday meals, in all the Districts.
 2. Of the 8167 children, 846 are in standard VIII and would be leaving the school at the end of this year; the number in standard V is 4247 and some of these children on their promotion to standard VI in 1947-48, will continue to receive free midday meals, if the question is favourably considered by Government, and therefore this number is not excluded. With reference to the above, the District Boards will have to feed daily about 7321 Harijan pupils in standards VI and VIII. The annual cost of feeding this number will be Rs. 176,161-9-0 or Rs. 176,200/- roughly.
 3. The Salem District Board alone will have to feed 461 Harijan pupils daily and the annual cost works to Rs. 11,092-13-0 or Rs. 11,100/- roughly.
 I have the honour to be,
 Sir,
 Your most obedient servant,
 For Director of Public Instruction

R.C.6148 B2/46.
 Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, Dated 30-1-1947.
 From Dr. S.R.U. Savor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S., Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
 To The Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department, Madras.
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 Elementary Education - Compulsory area - Supply of midday meals to Harijan pupils in standards VI to VIII.
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 Your most obedient servant,
 For Director of Public Instruction

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Eh. Edn. - Supply of midday meals to
A.D. pupils in Standards VI to VIII - Proposals
Recorded.

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From the Special P.D.B Salem No E13/10322/46
d 29.8.46
Endts of the D.P.G No 6148 B2/46 d 26.9.46
And dated 30.1.47

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Order/H2 275 Bdd. 17.2.47

Recorded as the Govt have
decided to continue the scheme
of supplying midday meals.

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To The D.P.G
" The Special Officer
D.P.B., Salem.
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From the P.D.B. Salem, 10322/46, dd. 25.8.46.
Endorsement of the D.P.I. 6148 B2/46, dated 26.9.46.

Supply of midday meals to children in compulsory areas.

The Govt. have sanctioned a scheme for the supply of mid-day meals to poor children ~~children~~ in areas where compulsory elementary education was introduced during 1945-1946. The supply is intended to secure a speedy enrolment of ~~children~~ in school without resorting to ~~the enforcement~~ of the penal provisions of the Elementary Education Act. The Director raised the question whether midday meals should be supplied only to children in respect of whom compulsory elementary education ^{could be enforced} or in respect of all poor children attending elementary schools (i.e.) children who are in standards 6 to 8 of higher elementary schools and who are below the lower limit of school age (compulsion will not be ^{enforced} in respect of these pupils). As the scheme of midday meals is intended to accelerate the implementation of the scheme of compulsion, it ^{has been} ~~was~~ ordered that the children against whom the penal provisions of the Act will not be enforced should be excluded from the scope of the midday meal scheme.

The P.D.B. Salem suggests that children of scheduled classes in compulsory areas attending higher elementary schools should be supplied with midday meals. The Director recommends the proposal as a special case. Submitted that the funds provided for the supply of midday meals are very limited. With these funds it is possible to provide midday meals only to a percentage of poor children attending elementary schools in compulsory areas. In the circumstances the proposal to extend the supply of midday meals to children who are beyond the scope of compulsion denying ^{the privilege of} to the children who are within the scheme may not be desirable. It may be noted in this connection that Govt. have under contemplation a proposal to curtail the provision of midday meals to school children. For orders.

The proposal need not be accepted.

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 Harijan children studying in higher elementary schools are not many & it may not be much to extend the concession to them. And as the proposal of P. D. B. Salem may be approved.

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the proposal in this file is to supply midday meals children of the scheduled classes in Standards VI to VIII of higher elementary schools in compulsory areas. The Govt. have fixed a maximum number for the supply of midday meals to school children in each district. It is presumed that this maximum limit will not be exceeded i.e. if children of the scheduled classes in higher elementary schools are provided with midday meals some other children already selected for the purpose will be left out. From H.M.'s note above it appears that Harijan children should be supplied with midday meals in addition to the number fixed for the district. If so, Finance department should see the case and the case may also be circulated to H.P.M. The point also requires consideration whether general instructions should be issued in the matter or whether orders should be confined to Salem alone.

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any concessions granted for Harijan children the Salem District Board will have to be decided with other District Boards as well as the cost to the Govt.

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 will be considerable. It is submitted that in view of the heavy charges that the Govt. have to bear in the provision of midday meals to school children in the compulsory areas, a proposal to curtail the provision is separately under consideration. The Harijan children are already enjoying special concessions such as free tuition, boarding grants etc. granted by the Commissioner of Salem. The Govt. have also set apart a sum of Rs. 1 crore in the current year towards the general uplift of the Harijans. The proposal does not seem to be opportune for increasing the commitments of the Govt. in this direction. For the circumstances this Dept. may strongly advise against the proposal.

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This may be done in 15 days
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2. Of the matter is however to be passed, E.P.H. may be requested to obtain from the D.P.I. a rough estimate of the cost involved in the proposal.

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For release of the 2nd part of the report to be sent to the D.P.I. as required in the Finance Dept. at 11 above. If so the Finance Dept. is for approval.

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[Issued as Memo No 57952 B2-2 Edn. d 2.11.46]

C. No. 8304/47 From the D.P.D. No. 6148 Bz/46 d. 30.1.47. p 90

According to the statement furnished by the D.P.D. on p 90, the annual cost of supplying of midday meals to the Harijan children in the standards from 1st to 4th in all the D.P. Board schools comes to about Rs 1,76,200 and that in respect of Harijan children in the Salem D.P. comes to about Rs 11,093/-.

It has been decided by the committee that the scheme of supply of midday meals should be discontinued. In the circumstances, it is proposed that the scheme be dropped.

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The draft order before is for approval.



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