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[Despatch Abstract.]

Grant — Schools in the Leprosy
Settlement at Tirumani, chingleput
district. — Sanctioned.

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V.V. P. W.

My dear Subramanian,

Grant to the School in the Leprosy Settlement at Tirumani, Chingleput Dt.

When His Excellency visited the Leprosy Settlement at Tirumani recently on the 17th representations were made to him that the grant of Rs.200/- for the School in the Settlement had been stopped and the Mission authorities asked it might be restored. Could you kindly let me know for His Excellency's information what the position is?

Yours sincerely,

M.V. Subramanian

M.V. Subramanian Bsq., ICS.,
Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department.

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Grant - School in the Leprosy Settlement at Tirumani, Chingleput dt
Read again Memo: 3383C-1/46-5 Edn.
Memo: No. 5366 C/47 - 1 Edn. dt 19.7.46
27.1.47.

The D.P.I. is requested to state whether the applications of the Secretary, the Lady Willingdon Leprosy Sanatorium, Tirumani, for recognition of the schools in the Settlement and for a ~~lump sum~~ grant for the ~~school~~ ^{then} was received by him or the D.E.O. ^{Chingleput}, and if so, to report the action taken on it.

To the D.P.I.

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Education and Public Health Department (C-1)

MEMO. No. 5366 C1/47-2 Dated 31.1.47

Sub: Grant-School in the Leprosy Settlement at Tirumani, Chingleput District.

Ref: Government Memo No. 5366 C1/47-1 Education dated 27-1-1947.

It is reported that the authorities of the Lady Willington Sanatorium ^{utilised} ~~used~~ for running the school a portion of the block grant intended exclusively for the maintenance of the Leprosy Settlement, and as this was ^{objected} ~~aid~~ to by Government, the expenditure is now being ^{met} ~~made~~ out of the ^{mission} ~~machinery~~ funds. The D.P.I. is requested to ascertain and report very urgently whether the grant of Rs. 500 which the Mission authorities asked for is in lieu of the portion of the block grant referred to above. If so, the Director is requested to expedite his proposals for the payment of a grant-in-aid towards the maintenance of the schools.

To. D. P. I. ^{done} 31/1/47

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point CF from the A.P.S. No. 143 K/47 of 14.2.47

q. no. (ms) 36 4 Edn. dt. 27.2.47.

The govt. sanction the payment with effect from 1946-47, of a block grant of Rs. 500/- (Rupees five hundred only) per annum to the ^{Secretary, the} ~~authorities of~~ ^{Chunglepok} the Lady Willingdon Leprosy Sanatorium.

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 Grant - School in the Leprosy Settlement at
 Tirumani, Chingleput Dt.
 p/c From the P.S.G. D.O. 178 C/47-1, d/20.1.47.
 Please see the D.O. from the
 P.S.G. at p. 10.

On January 1946 the Secretary of the
 Lady Willingdon Leprosy Sanatorium approached
 Govt. with a request for a lump-sum grant of
 Rs 500 per annum for running the day school for
 children in the Leprosy Settlement. The remarks
 of the D.P.I. are at p. 7 c.f. of Memo: 3383 C/46-5 d/19.7.46. The Secretary was informed that the
 School should apply for recognition to the
 D.P.I. so that it ^{might become} ~~will be~~ eligible after
 recognition ~~to a grant-in-aid in accordance~~ ^{for a grant-in-aid} with the provisions of the grant-in-aid Code.
 The Secretary of the Sanatorium subsequently
 reported that an application was sent through
 the Dy. Inspector of Schools. The application has
 not been received here. The D.P.I. may be
 asked whether the application was received by
 him and if so to state the action taken on it.
 A draft memo is submitted. After
 issue, the file may be sent to P.S.G. w.o. for
 perusal

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Governor's Secretariat

I am afraid my d.o. on page 1 c.f. did not make the matter entirely
 clear. The Mission authorities said that formerly they used a portion of
 their block grant for the maintenance of the School. Apparently the Public
 Health authorities objected to this on the ground that the grant was intend-
 ed exclusively for the maintenance of the Leprosy Settlement as an institu-
 tion for treatment of lepers and that it should ^{not} be used for education. The

Mission authorities have therefore been maintaining the School out of Mission Funds which are running short. Presumably the grant of Rs.500/- for which they have asked to run the school is in lieu of the portion of the block grant which they formerly used for this purpose. Could this presumption please be confirmed? If it is correct His Excellency would be glad if the matter could be expedited.



A draft Memo is subd.

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with ref. to the presumption made at A above, The S.P.S. confirms that the grant of Rs. 500/- requested for the management of the Sanatorium, in lieu of the portion of the block grant which they used for this purpose in 1945-46. For the reasons stated in para 3 of his letter of p. 7 C.F., the Director recommends that a block grant of Rs. 500/- p.a. be sanctioned to the management towards the recurring expenses attached to the Sanatorium of the Schools, and that necessary funds may be provided for this purpose in the current year.

The case may be sent to the Finance Dept. u.o. for remarks.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY 10172 21/1/47

Fin. (Exp. A) (Please see notes on p. 1-2 above.)

It is observed from the Statement of expenditure furnished on p. 1 of G.O. No. 2915 P.H. of 10.1.46 that the average of the amounts spent on education during the six years ending with 1945-6 worked out to Rs. 200/- p.a. The Secretary has however requested on p. 4 of the G.O. that a lump sum grant of Rs. 500/- p.a. may be sanctioned as the sum of Rs. 200/- p.a. previously spent was quite inadequate owing to the high prices of the various articles required. The D.P.I. has also reported that having regard to the amount sanctioned by the Govt. in respect of the schools attached to the other Depar. Settlements, the management's request for a block grant of Rs. 500/- p.a. is reasonable. In the circumstances this Dept. may agree to the proposal to sanction a block grant of Rs. 500/- p.a. to the Depar. Settlement towards running the three schools referred to on p. 1 of the G.O. of 10.1.46.

E.P.H. may be requested to consider in consultation with the D.P.I. whether it will not be desirable to fix a certain minimum in the strength of the students in the 3 schools to make the Settlement eligible for the full amount so that in case where the strength falls short of the minimum fixed, the grant may be proportionately reduced.

The proposal need not be treated as a 'New Scheme' as the recurring grant involved is less than Rs. 2500/- per annum. However orders will

The S.P.I. will undertake - only do this before sanctioning the disbursement of the grant provided within the year of the year.

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The proposal in this file is to sanction the payment of a block grant of Rs 500 to the authorities of the Lady Willingdon Leprosy Sanatorium towards the maintenance of the five schools attached to the leper settlements.

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A draft order is submitted for approval. Finance may be approved.

The file will be sent to P.S. for information and return from Finance and after issue of draft order.

The draft order which is submitted in the file may kindly be approved.

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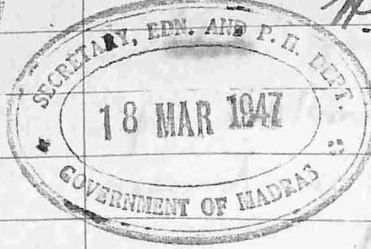


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The draft order has been modified as suggested by Finance in their note above. It may now issue.

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P.S. Returned with thanks. R. has seen

Rc.143 K/47.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, dated 10.3.47.

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.

Sir,

Sub: Grant - schools in the Leper settlement at Tirumani -
Payment of.

Ref: G.O. No. Ms.364 Edn. dated 27.2.47.

I have the honour to state that there are only three schools in the Leper Settlement at Tirumani Viz. (1) A Boys School, (2) A Girls school and (3) A Night school. Vide letter from the Secretary, Lady Willingdon Leper Settlement to Government dated 26.7.46 (a copy of which is herewith submitted for ready reference). The five schools referred in para 3 of my letter Rc.143 K/47 dated 14.2.47 do not refer to the schools in the Tirumani Settlement but to schools attached to the various leper settlements in the Presidency which are already aided by Government under the grant-in-aid Code.

2) Government may therefore be pleased to issue orders cancelling the above G.O. to read "three" schools instead of "five", to avoid any audit objection being raised at a future date.



R. S. Srinivasan
11.3.47

For DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

COPY OF: Letter dated 26th July 1946 from the Secretary,
Lady Willingdon Leper Settlement to Government.

I am in receipt of your Memorandum No.3383-C1/46-5 dated 19th July 1946, regarding Grant- Day & Nigh Schools - Lady Willingdon Leprosy Sanatorium, Tirumani, for which I thank you.

I herewith give the statement of Account called for you showing the annual amount spent on Education from the year 1939/40 upto 1945/46.

	Rs.	As.	Ps.
1939/40	112	10	1
1940/41	79	0	6
1941/42	274	9	3
1942/43	110	6	8
1943/44	218	15	11
1944/45	121	4	9
1945/46	225	5	6

TOTAL. 1142 4 8

P.T.O.

I request that this matter be taken up with the Government Department concerned and the expenditure be regularised as directed in your above quoted Memorandum. I would again like to point out that this infinitesimally small sum per annum has been used to run three schools in this Government Sanatorium, viz., (1) Boys school, (2) Girls School, (3) Night School, And further that the occupation of the patient's mind to keep him from brooding on his disease is a part of the treatment strongly stressed by all expert Medical Authorities on Leprosy.

I enclose a copy of a letter on this same subject written by Rev. V.W. Coombes the then Secretary in 1940 and in view of that letter and my above remarks, I request the Government be asked to make a special case of the three schools in this Sanatorium, as it is quite impossible to treat them on the same footing as ordinary healthy schools. It must be borne in mind that all the pupils and teachers in our three schools are sick people suffering from this disease of leprosy.

In accordance with the instructions received in your above quoted Memorandum I have written to the Director of Public Instruction requesting him to let me know what details he requires regarding the schools here in order that they may be recognised under the ~~Grant~~ Grant-in-Aid Code.

If fear however that it will not be possible for these three schools for pupils suffering from this disease to be recognised under the said code.

To take only two instances viz., (1) the scheduled hours of working and (2) the employment of trained teachers.

(1) Since these schools are run for the benefit of pupils suffering from leprosy their school hours have to be cut short weekly for them to have their treatment, and that in its turn sometimes brings on "reaction" which again necessitates their absence from school.

(2) At present these schools are staffed by patient teachers, i.e., persons who are teachers by profession and happen to be undergoing treatment here at the time. This staff automatically changes from time to time as these teachers are discharged on certificate and replaced by others. These teachers who have varying qualifications are also paid only the nominal wages drawn by patient workers. It is very doubtful whether a permanent staff of healthy trained teachers could be found for our three schools in the Sanatorium. On medical grounds alone it would not be feasible for healthy persons to come into such close daily contact with this infective disease. Also a staff of healthy trained teachers would have to be paid a very considerably higher wage than the present staff of patient teachers, and this will involve Government in extra expence in running the Sanatorium.

I would therefore respectfully suggest that Government be asked to treat these three schools as a special case and allow a lump sum grant of Rs.500/- per annum for the running of these schools since the present Rs.200/- per annum is quite inadequate owing to the high prices of the various articles required.

This request for a lump-sum grant of Rs.500/- per annum for our three schools has already been made through the Deputy Inspector of schools, Chingleput range. I trust you will give this matter your most sympathetic consideration.

(TRUE COPY).

For Director of Public Instruction.

P.R.11/3.

Edn. and P.H.(C.1) Dept.

MEMO No. 5366 C/47-Edn. dt. 26.3.47.

Grant - Schools in the Leper Settlement at Tirumani - Sanction - Modified.

From the D.P.I. No. 143 K/47 dated 10-3-47

The D.P.I. reports that there are only three schools attached to the Lady Willingdon Leprosy Sanatorium, Tirumani, Chingleput and not five schools as stated in G.O.No. 364 Edn. dated 27-2-47. The grant of Rs. 500 sanctioned in G.O. should be utilised for the maintenance of the three schools.

Note: Finance may see before issue.

