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G.O. NO.

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Dated

2-4-47

[Despatch Abstract.]

Govt. Press - Reprinting of S.C.C. Exam
papers - Special allowance to workers of
appr. of Sri L.R. Swaminathan
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Back Papers.

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Further Papers.

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Strictly Confidential.

From
A. Lepper Esq.,
Superintendent,
Government Press, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
Fort St. George.

No. 44/Mid. Dated 29th March 1947.

Sir,

Sub:- S.S.I.C. papers - Printing of - Allowance to workers on this confidential work - Proposed.

I have the honour to state that I have been asked to undertake the re-print of the S.S.I.C. papers and propose to start the work on Monday 31-3-47 and as the papers are required by 8-4-47 very heavy pressure of work will be required in the confidential section and extra compositors, machine-minders and binders will have to be taken on to get through the work. It is anticipated that the compositors and others will have to work 12 hours a day and all through the Easter holidays without a break even on Sunday and as this work is specially confidential and an addition to normal work I would request Government to sanction an allowance of Re.1/- per day to all workers employed on it subject to a minimum of Rs 5/-. This will be an encouragement to the workers to keep the matter strictly confidential and work extra long hours throughout the 4 days holiday.

2. This work has not been done in the Government Press for 20 years and I find it essential to have someone here who is acquainted with the work to be here, to take charge of the work and watch its progress. The only man who can do this satisfactorily is the ex-Head Reader of the Press Sri L.R.Swaminatha Ayyar who retired on 3-7-46 and I would request Government to permit me to take him in the Press for the period

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of this special work and pay him an honorarium of Rs 100/-.

3. The financial implication of these proposals is likely to be within Rs 600/-.

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Superintendent.

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*GOVT. PRESS - Re-printing of S.S.L.C. Examn. papers - Spl. allce. to workers and appt. of Sri L.R. Swaminatha Ayyar - Sanctd.

Read:- From the S.G.P., No. 44/Mis, dated 29-3-47.

G.O. (ms.) No. 666 Edn., dated 2-4-1947.

For the reasons stated by the S.G.P. in para 1 of his letter read above, the Govt. sanction a special allce. of Re.1 (rupee one) per day per head to all workers in the Govt. Press engaged in duties connected with the re-printing of the question papers for the S.S.L.C. Public Examn., 1947, between 31-3-47 and 8-4-47, subject to a ~~maximum~~ of Rs.5 per head for the entire period.

2. The Govt. also permit the S.G.P. to appoint, for the period refd. to in para 1 above, Sri L.R. Swaminatha Ayyar, retd. Head-Reader, for the special work and pay him an honorarium of Rs.100.

~~in addn. to his pension.~~

To the S.G.P.

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NOTE:-

The recommendation of the S.G.P. proposed to be sanctd. in para 1 of the draft is quite reasonable and may be approved, in view of the very confdl. nature of the duties to be entrusted to the workers and the expedition with which they have to be carried out.

2. The appt. of Sri Swaminatha Ayyar will be for a short period. It need not therefore be treated as 're-employment' at all. The usual condition of for re-employment ~~will~~ need not be applied, either. He may be allowed an honorarium of Rs.100 (in addn. to his pension.)

3. Fin. and Pub. (Ser.) may see for acceptance. They may be requested kindly to treat the case as specially urgent.

W.O. No. 25838 71/47-1 Edn.

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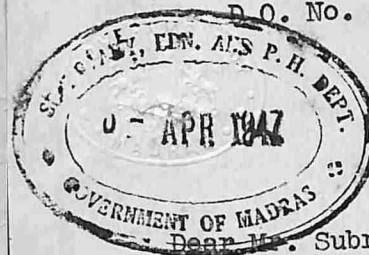
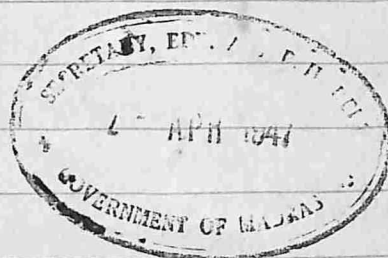
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D.O. No. 44/Mis.

Government Press,
Madras, 3rd April 1947.

Dear Mr. Subramaniam,

Ref:- G.O. No. Ms. 666, Edn.,
dated 2-4-47.

Sub:- Allowance - Special -
reprinting of S.S.I.C. Examina-
tion papers.

My intention as well as my propo-
sal was to the effect that no one
engaged in this work should be paid
less than Rs 5/- on account of the
special nature and the circumstances
under which the reprinting had to be
resorted to and entrusted to the
Government Press and at the same time
not to deprive ~~at~~ those engaged for
the maximum period the benefit of the
maximum at the daily rate of Re.1/-.
The expression "subject to the maximum
of Rs 5/- per head for the entire
period" is therefore apparently a cleri-
cal error for "subject to a minimum of
Rs 5/- per head". I would therefore
request ~~the~~ the amendment of the above
accordingly.

Yours sincerely,

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To
M.V. Subramaniam Esq., I.C.S.

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Memo no. (Ld) 27303-2 7/11/44
Govt Press - Reprinting of S.S.L.C. Exam
papers - Spl allowance to workers.
Ref: From the S.S.P., D.O. no. 44/111 dated
3-4-47.

The S.S.P. is informed that it would not be justifiable to pay Rs. 5/- to persons who have worked for less than 5 days. Accordingly ~~hence~~ ^{the} orders issued in S.O./14.11.666 Edn, dated 2-4-47 cannot be amended as proposed ^{by him} in the letter referred to above. The Govt however direct that the expression "subject to a ~~minimum~~ maximum of Rs. 5 per head for the entire period" ~~being~~ in paragraph 1 of the S.O. ~~referred to~~ be deleted.

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From the S.G.P., D.O.No.44/Mis., dated 3-4-47.

Government Press-Special allowance for workers engaged for printing S.S.L.C. papers.

The recommendation of the S.G.P. in para 1 of his letter at "W"/1 was that the workers to be engaged for ^{re}re-printing of the S.S.L.C. Examination question papers might be paid a special allowance of Re.1/each per day. He also wanted that the allowance for a person should be subject to a minimum of Rs.5 for the entire period. This condition would make a person who works only for ~~only~~ ^{one} day also eligible for Rs.5/-i.e., for as much as a man who has worked for 5 days would get. This result would certainly be anomalous and it was therefore taken that what the Superintendent meant was that the total amount for each should not exceed Rs.5. In that view, orders were issued fixing Rs.5 as the maximum. The Superintendent now requests that the order may be modified fixing Rs.5 as the minimum itself. He has not explained how it would be justifiable to pay Rs.5 to persons who have worked for less than 5 days. In the circumstances, there seems to be no need to amend the orders. Finance may see.

Gen. S. G. P. is not justified in his proposal in that aspect. May be negative.

But P. is reasonable & may be allowed; the fixation of the order is W/3 "Subject to a maximum ... limit" may be deleted.

E.P.H.
W.O.No.27303/47-192
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Please see the notes of E & P.H. Dept above. This Dept may also agree with the views of E & P.H. Secy above at X above.



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Please see the Finance note on page 1 ante.

A draft memo is submt for approval. After issue, the papers may be filed with the S.O. (W).

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DEPARTMENT.

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From (Name) A. Lepper Esq.,

(Designation) Superintendent,
Government Press, Madras.
Post Box.....(STATION).....

Telegraphic Address.....

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

No. 44/Mis., dated 20th May 1947.

Sir,

* Sub: Government Press - Reprinting of S.S.L.C.
Examination papers - Special allowance to
Workers.

Ref: Education and Public Health Department
Memorandum No. 27303-2 Fl Edn., dated 11-4-1947.

ENCLOSURES.....

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My estimate of nine days for reprinting the S.S.L.C. Question paper was exceeded by eight days. The work was commenced on the 31st March 1947 as arranged but finished only on the 18th April '47 only, with an interval for rest of two days on the 13th and 14th April. In spite of the fact that there were 61 papers in all the printing and despatching of 59 papers was finished by the 12th April, the remaining days having been occupied in the printing of the two remaining papers and additional copies of all papers already printed subsequently ordered by the Commissioner. The most onerous part of the work was in regard to the striking which had to be rushed through during the Easter holidays from the 4th to 7th April. The number of men engaged thereon had to be restricted to 18 men with a view to enforce secrecy as it is this operation wherefrom leakage is likely to occur. With this in view the men had to be specially picked from the big establishment of minders and encouraged to make the greatest effort to finish the striking of about 24 lakhs of formes of four pages involving the making ready of 57 papers which operation alone consumes about 25% of

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the total striking hours. Further the men and machines engaged on this had to be released for the Gazette and other important works on the following days. Any slow down on their part to the prescribed outturn (in which case the men should have been engaged for not less than ten days) would have resulted in the breakdown of the programme. Mr. Anderson and myself to do the supervision of their work personally by turns with a promise to consider their claim for a higher rate of allowance provided they drose to the occasion and finished their work within the allotted time. Taking all these aspects into consideration, I would request Government to sanction a special rate of Rs 2/- per day for the above eighteen Machine-men which is a paltry sum considering the value of work turned out.

2. The proposal to give Sri L.R. Swaminatha Iyer an Honorarium of Rs 100/- was also based on the understanding that the work will be completed in 10 days. As his service had to be utilised for 17 days in this connection, I would also request Government to sanction an Honorarium of Rs 150/- in modification of Rs 100/- already sanctioned for him.

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Superintendent.

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C. no. 43971 F1/47
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To The S. G. P.
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Memorandum 43971 F1-2
Govt Press. Reprinting of S.S.L.C. Examination papers. Special allowance to workmen.
From the S. G. P. no 44/11 is d. 25.5.47.

In modification of the orders issued in G.O. no 666 Ed. d. 2.4.1947, the Govt Sanction a special allowance of Rs 2/- (Rupees two only) per day per head for 17 days to the eighteen machine men, referred to in the letter read above, who were engaged in duties connected with the reprinting of the Question papers for the S.S.L.C. Public Examination 1947.

2. Sri L.R. Swaminatha Iyer, retired Head Reader of the Govt Press, who was appointed in connection with the work referred to in para 1 above will be paid an honorarium of Rs 150 in modification of Rs 100/- sanctioned in the G.O. cited above.

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Ld PH Dept (F1)

C. no. 43971 P/47 From the S. G. P. No 44/415 d 20.5.47

Govt Press. Reprinting of S. S. d. C Examination papers
Special allowance to workers.

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In G. no 666 Bdu. d 2.4.47 as modified by Memo no 27303-21 Bdu. d 11.4.47, orders were issued for the payment of a special allowance of Rs 1/- per day per head to all workers in the Govt Press engaged in duties connected with the re-printing of S. S. d. C Examination question papers and also for the payment of a honorarium of Rs 100/- to Sri D. R. Sreenivasulu Reddy who was appointed in the Press for the special work between 31.3.47 and 8.4.47. The S. G. P. now says that his original estimate of 9 days for reprinting the question papers was exceeded by 8 days and that he had employed 18 machine men for the purpose. As the work had to be finished with the greatest expedition within the allotted time, the S. G. P. says that he promised the workers to consider their claim for a higher rate of allowance provided they rose to the occasion and finished their work within the allotted time. He therefore requests that the eighteen machine men engaged on this work may be paid a special allowance of Rs 2/- per head, per day as against Rs 1/- originally sanctioned.

for a period of 9 days

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2 For the reasons stated in para 2 of his letter on p2 of 9, the S. G. P. recommends that a honorarium of Rs 150/- may be granted to Sri D. R. Sreenivasulu Reddy in addition of Rs 100/- already sanctioned to him.

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