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D/- 27-5-48

M.E.S. - Dr. I. J. Rudra
Principal, Engg. College, Guindy —
Services lent to Bihar Govt.

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By air mail

No. 3601 D.I.

Government of Bihar, Development & Employment Department.

From

Q. Huda, Esqr.,
Secretary to Government.

To

The Secretary to the Government,
Department of Education, Madras.

Patna, the 30th March 1948.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
8 - APR 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Government of Bihar desire to secure the services of Dr. J.J. Rudra, the Principal of Guindy College for taking up the post of Principal of the proposed College of Electrical and Mechanical Engineering at Sindri. A personal letter was written about it to the Hon'ble Premier, Madras by the Hon'ble Minister of Development, Bihar, but at that time Dr. Rudra's services could not be spared by the Madras Government. Since then it is understood that Dr. Rudra has completed the work with which he was ~~xxxxxxxxx~~ entrusted and is not doing anything very important at present ~~xxxx at present~~. The Bihar Government have been trying for more than a year to get a Principal, but no suitable officer has yet been found and Dr. Rudra is the only person who fulfils our requirements. The Bihar Government will be grateful if the services of Dr. Rudra be lent to this Province on a contract basis for period of 5 to 7 years. He will be given a salary of Rs. 2150/- a month, besides rent-free quarters and provident fund benefits.

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

Secretary to Government.

E & G.H.(A)

Endt. No. 24517-A-1, dt. 12.4.48

Refd. to the D.P.I. for early remarks.

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To the D.P.I. (with copy of letter above)

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CONFIDENTIAL.

From
Sri D.S. Reddi, M.A.(Oxon.)
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
14 APR 1948
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

R.Cl. No.27/48 dated 12th April 1948.

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Sir,

Sub: MADRAS EDUCATIONAL SERVICE - Dr. J.J. Rudra - Loan of services to the Government of Bihar.

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pp. 4-9 infra

In submitting herewith a copy of the petition dated 5th April 1948 from Dr. J.J. Rudra, Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy, requesting that his services may be lent to the Government of Bihar, I have the honour to state as follows:-

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2. Dr. J.J. Rudra, permanent Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy, is now drawing a pay of Rs.1325/- per mensem in the scale of Rs.1250 - 75/2 - 1400 - 100/2 - 1500. He is due to retire from service on 21st November 1950 and as such he will be drawing only Rs.1,400/- as pay at the time of his retirement. In this connection, I may state that in G.O.Ms.No.1471 Edn., dated 19th September 1945, the scale of pay of the post of Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy was altered from Rs.800 - 100/2 - 1000 to Rs.1250 - 50/2 - 1500 with effect from 19th September 1945. In G.O.No.Ms.1922 Edn., dated 7th October 1946, the scale of pay was further revised as Rs.1250 - 75/2 - 1400 - 100/2 - 1500 with effect from 7th October 1946.

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3. In the year 1942, the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore approached the Government for a loan of Dr. Rudra's services. But in their letter Ref. No.40790 A.3 Edn., dated 30th November 1942 addressed to the Registrar, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, the Government declined to spare the services of Dr. Rudra. Again in their Memo. No.22568 A.1 Education dated 17th May 1944, the Government declined to permit him to apply for the post of Professor of Engineering Science, in the University of Oxford. Further, the Government refused to forward the application of Dr. Rudra for apost of Principal, The Punjab College of Engineering, Lahore - vide Memo No.46712 A.1 Education dated 27th October 1945.

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4. With the shifting of the Anantapur College of Engineering from Guindy to Anantapur and the sanction of new posts of Professors for the new colleges of Engineering, it will be difficult to fill the vacancies. Though it may not be easy to find a suitabl substitute for Dr. Rudra for appointment as Principal, I recommend that the Government may be pleased to lend his services to the Bihar Government in view of the very attractive salary offered by them and in view of the strong desire of Dr. Rudra to accept the offer. If he is permitted to accept the offer of the Bihar Gover ment, Lt. Col. S. Paul may be considered for the Principalship of the College of Engineering, Guindy. A Principal has also to be appointed for the Anantapur College of Engineering during the comi month for which Sri K. Srinivasan, Professor of Tele-Communicatio Engineering may be considered, as he is the only other Professor eligible for promotion as Principal at present. Detailed proposal will, however, be submitted to Government in due course.

5. In this connection, I may point out that in case Dr. Rudra is permitted to accept service in Bihar Government, the post of Principal of the College of Engineering, Guindy, should not co tinue on the higher scale of Rs.1250--1500 but it may be reduced

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to Rs.1,000--1225 to be in line with the scale of pay for the Principals of the other Government Engineering Colleges in the Province. I may state that the present higher scale of pay for the Principal of the College of Engineering, Guindy, was fixed in consideration of the superior qualifications and experience of Dr. J.J. Rudra and a successor of his with qualifications inferior to those of Dr. Rudra and not superior to those of Principals of the other Engineering Colleges need not be given the higher scale.

6. I solicit the favour of early orders.

for Director of Public Instruction.

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College of Engineering, Guindy,
Madras-15, Dated: 5th April 1948.

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From
Dr.J.J.Rudra, MBE., MA.,BSc.,PhD.,
Principal,
College of Engineering, GUINDY.

To
The Director of Public Instruction,
MADRAS.

C/574

Sir,

Sub: Loan of service to the Government of Bihar.

cf. p.1 ante

I have been informed by the Secretary to Government, Development Department, Bihar, that the Bihar Government have requested the Madras Government for loan of my service for a period of 5 to 7 years on a salary of Rs.2150/- per month besides rent-free quarters and Provident Fund benefit, for organising the College of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, which is proposed to be started at Sindri near Dhanbad. In requesting you to recommend to the Government to lend my service to the Bihar Government, I would submit the following for your consideration.

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2. You would recall that I had gone to Bihar for 3 weeks in February 1948 with the permission of the Government, to advise the Bihar Government on the organisation of this College. From the files of the Bihar Secretariat placed at my disposal and my conversations with the Officers of the Bihar Government in connection with this College, I find that the College is intended to be much more than a College of Mechanical and Electrical Engineering. It is proposed to be a College of Technology with courses in Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering, Chemical Technology, Metallurgy etc., as well as with research, testing and standardization laboratories in various branches of Engineering and Technology. In the preliminary report which I have submitted to the Bihar Government after visits to industries and technical institutions in Bihar, I have already suggested the planning of all these from the commencement. I am sure

you will appreciate that the organisation of this College gives me opportunities of greater service than I can hope to have in the short period of my service left in the Madras Government and under the existing conditions.

3. I submit that I have served the Madras Government wholeheartedly for the last twelve years. I have created work for myself by making proposals after proposals and have done far more work than I need have done to retain my job in the Government. I have finished the work of the planning of the Anantapur College in consultation with the Professors of the Guindy College. The remodelling of the Dehydration Factory according to the proposals made by me is proceeding at a rapid rate, and portions of the building intended for Workshops and Laboratories are now ready for fitting up of the equipment. A great deal of equipment has already been purchased for the College and I have submitted a comprehensive list of equipment that should be purchased for the College, and financial sanction of the Government is awaited for placing orders for this equipment. All that the Anantapur College now needs is a senior member of staff, of which there are many at Guindy, to be appointed as Principal of that College and put the plans into effect. As for the Principalship of the Guindy College, there are enough experienced men, some of whom have much longer service and experience to their credit than I have, and I think that one of them can replace me very easily just as well as he would have to do a few years later.

4. I have been considered indispensable in the past, but this has only been detrimental to me and brought no advantage to the Government. When the Arthur Hope College of Technology was started, the then Director of Public Instruction, Dr.Dey, would not entertain the idea of sending me there. However, I had to go as Principal of the Arthur Hope College, and the Guindy College went on

smoothly with a new Principal. I, however, had to put up with great inconvenience and financial loss by going to Coimbatore and more than these, the personal contact which I had maintained with all the students of the College was broken off and has not yet been restored, nor is there a possibility of its being restored in the few years service that I have.

5. In 1944, I had submitted a proposal that I may be sent abroad for a few months to study the developments in the systems of technical education in other countries. But again, owing to my indispensability, I have not yet been granted this privilege. The Hon'ble Minister for Education before whom I brought up the question of my deputation told me that I could not be sent abroad, as I had less than three years service.

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6. I trust that the Government would no longer consider me indispensable and would on the other hand give some consideration to my precarious financial position in recognition of the wholehearted service that I have rendered to the Government all these years and for which I regret to say I have not received generous treatment.

7. I was a regular student till a much longer age than anybody that I know of. I started service when I was nearly 36 years old, about twelve years later than most Engineers do. After serving for about 4½ years in that appointment, I came to the College of Engineering, Guindy. I shall have 15 years service by 1950, when I am due to retire and my pension would be so small that I shall be obliged to take on some work to support my family and to educate my children.

8. I have suffered serious financial loss through the delay in fixing my salary as Principal of the College. I was the lowest paid Principal for over four years and when the Government created the existing scale of pay

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for the Principal, they declined to fix my pay in the scale with retrospective effect. I shall not reach the maximum in the scale even when I shall have served as Principal for over 9 years. The belated increase in my salary together with the war allowance was offset by the rapidly increasing cost of living, and while the cost of living is still rising, the war allowance has been taken off. I see no prospect of any appreciable improvement of my salary and I am naturally worried over my future, when I retire in 1950 and when jobs may not be as plentiful as they are now and I would find it much harder to get a post at that age than at my present age.

9. I submit that there is not much more for me to do than the ordinary administration of a college, as the existing financial position of the Government and its commitments with regard to the three new Colleges, would not permit any new scheme of development regarding the Guindy College, as well as the other Colleges. Even if any scheme of development of Colleges is contemplated by the Government, I can render as much service to the Government in their connection from Bihar, as I can by being here. I have had a lasting sence of loyalty towards the institution that I have served. Although I left the service of the Indian Institute of Science over 12 years ago, I have been consulted by the Institute from time to time in various matters and I am still associated with the Institute in connection with the organisation of the post-graduate Power Engineering Department of the Institute--of course always with the consent of the Madras Government. I am sure that the Bihar Government would not mind if the Madras Government consult me on any matter with regard to the development of the Colleges in the Madras Presidency and I assure the Government that I shall be happy to maintain my contact with the Madras

Government and render most willingly whatever service that I can.

10. While the Madras Government would not lose anything by permitting me to go to Bihar, they will remove a lot of worry and uncertainty about my financial position in the future. The Government of Bihar have offered to employ me for 5 to 7 years. I would ask for employment for 7 years and I think that the Bihar Government would readily agree to it. Although employment for a period of of 7 years in a highly interesting work is a most important thing for me, the salary offered by the Bihar Government is such that it will compensate for the low salary that I have drawn as Principal in the Madras Government service.

11. I therefore request the Director to be so good as to recommend to Government that my service may be lent to the Bihar Government.

Not foreign service This will be allocated by the AG according to rules.

12. I presume that the Bihar Government would pay my leave and pension contribution to the Government of Madras until I reach the retiring age. This will be a financial gain to the Madras Government. An additional financial gain will accrue to the Government, as they may not have to pay any pension to me as long as I am in the service of the Bihar Government.

13. If for some reason the Government decline to lend my service to the Bihar Government, I would request them at least to permit me to apply for the post of Director of the Higher Technical Institute of the Government of India for which applications have been invited. The post carries a maximum salary of Rs.2500/-. I have strong hopes of getting this post, if the Government permit me to apply. I would, however, prefer to go to Bihar as it is a backward Province and I have as soft a corner for a backward Province as I have had for students of backward communities in the College. Moreover, the

to be put as Principal/and that there are enough experienced proposed College of the Bihar Government being situated in a highly industrial area, has greater potentialities than any of the existing or proposed institutions in India.

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14. In this connection, I may point out that in 1941, when my salary as Principal was Rs.900/-, which I was drawing as Professor and a Principal's allowance of Rs.50/-, the Indian Institute of Science twice requested the Madras Government for a ~~long~~ loan of my service on a salary and allowance of Rs.1500/-. The Institute authorities were prepared to give me a contract upto the age of 60, as they have done in certain cases. Had the Government permitted me to go to the Institute at that time, my standing as a professional Engineer would have been much higher than what it is today, and by now, I might have been the Head of the Power Engineering Department on a salary of Rs.2000, or might have been the Principal of one of the Colleges that ~~have~~ had advertised for Principalship on Rs.2400/-, as the Institute never prevent their Officers from applying for higher posts.

15. I trust that the Government will take all these into consideration and consent to lend my service to the Bihar Government. If they do, I request the Government to grant me a month's leave immediately and permit me to proceed to Bihar pending final settlement of terms with the Bihar Government, as there is a lot of work to be done before the College at Sindri can start functioning in July 1948, and I must go as soon as possible. Moreover, this is the best time for my successor to take charge.

16. I suggest that pending the appointment of my successor, Lt.Col.S.Paul, Professor of Mechanical Engineering of this College, may be appointed as Professor-in-Charge.

J J Rudra

PRINCIPAL.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From

D.S. REDDI, ESQ., M.A.(Oxon.),
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department, Madras.

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R.CL. No. 27/48, Dated 21st April, 1948.

Sir,

Subject:- Madras Educational Service - Dr. J.J. Rudra - Loan of services to the Government of Bihar.

Reference:- Government Endorsement No.24517 A.1, dated 12th April 1948.

p.1 ante

With reference to the Endorsement cited I invite the attention of Government to the remarks contained in my letter R.CL.No.27/48, dated 12th April 1948 in regard to the request of Dr. J.J. Rudra for the loan of his services to the Government of Bihar.

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

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

~~E.P.4 (A1)~~

~~Main file has been sent to fin. May be added to it on its return.~~

NB/20-4.

From
[illegible], B.A., B.Sc. (Hons.),
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
[illegible] Public Health Department, [illegible]

L.Dis. No. 57743 [illegible] dated 21st [illegible] 1948.

Subject: [illegible]

Reference: [illegible] Government Memorandum No. [illegible] dated [illegible] April 1948.

With reference to the Government [illegible] in reply to [illegible] 1948 in regard to [illegible] Dr. J.J. Rudra, for the loan of his services to the Government of Bihar.

I have the honour to be,
[illegible]

for Director of Public Instruction.

~~Letter~~ No. 24577-A-3, d/- 11.5.48 E & G.H. (A)

By Air Mail

Spl. Reg. air mail ~~Reg.~~ ~~To~~ To

The Secy. to the Govt. of Bihar, Deptt. of Employment Deptt. Patna.

Cf. 1 12 Ref:- Your letter No. 3601-D, d/- 20.3.48 11 10

Please issue to day
11/5/48

I am directed to state that the Govt. of Madras are prepared to place the services of Dr. J. J. Rudra, Principal, College of Engg., Guindy, at the disposal of the Govt. of Bihar for being utilised in the post of Principal of the proposed College of Elec. & Mech. Engg., Sindri. Formal orders in the matter will be issued on receipt of the Proceedings of the Bihar Govt. appointing him under them.

Y. S.
11/5/48

Endt. No. 24577-A-4, d/- 11.5.48

Copy ~~to the D.P.I.~~ D.P.I. w.r.t. his letter No. 27/48, d/- 12.4.48.
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He is requested to ~~send~~ send to Govt. his detailed proposals for filling the vacancy

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that will arise in the post of Principal of the Guindy College when Dr. Rudra goes to the service of the Bihar Govt. Orders on para 5 of the Dir.'s letter will be issued when the vacancy is filled.

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To the D.G.

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Copy of telegram dated 5th May 1948 from the Development Secretary, Bihar Government, Patna to Dr.Rudra, Principal, Engineering College, Guindy.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
11 MAY 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

If Madras Government will release you on deputation to Bihar you will be treated as on transfer from one Government to another and incidence of pay allowances leave salaries pension will be governed by general principles embodied in account code Stop Question of Provident Fund contribution will not arise in that case Stop you will be entitled to all leave admissible to a permanent government servants on deputation and provincial Government will bear proportionate charges Stop You will be paid house rent allowance representing actual amount paid or 10% of your pay whichever is less so long as you are not provided with rent free quarters Stop You will be paid Transfer T. A. as admissible under Rules Stop In case you bring your family more than six months after your joining Government may relax rules and allow you to charge Transfer T. A. on account of your family Members.

Copy submitted to the Secy to Govt, Education Dept

J.J. Rudra
10.5.48

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Indian Posts and Telegraphs Department

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= 147- D REFERENCE LETTER NO 3601- D DATED THIRTIETH MARCH REGARDING

DR RUDRA (STOP) PLEASE EXPEDITE REPLY = DEVELOPMENT SECRETARY

Development Secretary Reply Tgm. ~~E J 6 H (A)~~
Patna

Your 147-D This Govt. willing to lend Dr. Rudras services Reply posted air mail Twelfth

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Telegram issued 14-5-48

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edhealth ms Dr

NO 150-d reference your telegram dated fourteenth t. 14 auth may (stop) kindly relieve dr Rudra immediately to join post of principal mechanical and electrical college in bihar (stop) letter follows (stop) repeated dr Rudra

N.B.—The name of the Sender, if telegraphed is written after the text.

= Development Secy

Endt. No. 24517-A-5, d/-17/5/48 (~~E J~~ G.H.(A))

M.E.S. – Dr. J. J. Rudra, Principal, Engg. College, Guindy – Placing of services at disposal of Bihar Govt.

Ref:- In Contn. of Govt. Endt. No. 24517-A-4; d/-11/5/4

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Copy of Tgm. No. 150-d, dated 15.5.48, from the Govt. of Bihar is forwarded to the D.P.I. He is requested to arrange for the relief of Dr. J. J. Rudra from the post of Principal, College of Engg., Guindy by the appr. of the seniormost Prof. in the College to be in addl. charge of that post, and to report to Govt. ~~the~~ date of Dr. Rudra's relief.

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To the D.P.I.
(with copy of C.F. 15)

17.5.48

Telegram A State

Same as p. 14 ante

Secretary
Education Department
Madras

147 D. REFERENCE LETTER NO. 3601 D DATED THIRTIETH MARCH REGARDING DR RUDRA (STOP) PLEASE EXPEDITE REPLY

DEVELOPMENT SECRETARY

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
19 MAY 1948

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

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DEV. & EMPLOYMENT DEPTT.
SECTT. PATNA.

Government of Bihar, Development & Employment Department.

Memo No. 4772 D. Patna, the 13th May 1948.

Copy forwarded by post in confirmation.

By order of the Governor of Bihar.

G. P. Sinha

Under Secretary.

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Same as p.15 ante

EXPRESS TELEGRAM STATE

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
20 MAY 1948

EDHEALTH
MADRAS.

NO. 150 D. REFERENCE YOUR TELEGRAM DATED FOURTEENTH MAY (STOP) KINDLY RELIEVE Dr. RUDRA IMMEDIATELY TO JOIN POST OF PRINCIPAL MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL COLLEGE IN BIHAR (STOP) LETTER FOLLOWS (STOP) REPEATED Dr. RUDRA.

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DEVELOPMENT SECRETARY.

Not to be telegraphed.

Development & Employment Deptt.

Memo. No. 4888 D.
Government of Bihar.
Development & Employment Deptt.

Patna, the ~~15~~ 17 May 1948.

Copy by forwarded by post in confirmation.

S P Sinha
Under Secretary
Development & Employment De

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By Air mail

No. 4978 D/41-5/48.
Government of Bihar, Development & Employment Department.

From

Q. Huda, Esqr.,
Secretary to Government.

To

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

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
24 MAY 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Patna, the 20th May 1948.

p. 11 ante

Sir,

With reference to your letter no. 24517-A-3, dated the 11th May, 1948, in which you have communicated the decision of the Government of Madras to place the services of Dr. J.J. Rudra, Principal, College of Engineering Guindy, Madras, at the disposal of the Government of Bihar, I am directed to say that the Government of Bihar are pleased to appoint Dr. J.J. Rudra as Principal of the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering College, at Sindri in Bihar on Rs. 2150/- a month in the scale of Rs. 1750-100-2150/- till he attains the age of superannuation. He will be paid house rent allowance representing the actual amount paid or 10% of the pay whichever is less so long as he is not provided with a rent free house. Dr. Rudra will be treated as an officer on transfer from one Government to another. The incidence of pay, allowances, leave salaries, pensions will be governed by the general principles embodied in Appendix 3 of the Account Code, Vol. I.

2. After his retirement on attaining the age of superannuation Dr. Rudra will be re-employed on contract for a further period of 3 years provided be continues to be physically fit and efficient. The terms of his re-employment will be as follows :-

(a) he will continueto draw the pay of Rs. 2150/- less his pension or his pension will be kept in abeyance as may be convenient to him.

(b) rent-free quarters, so long no quarters is available actual amount paid or 10% of pay as house rent allowance whichever is less.

(c) earned leave at the rate of 1/11 of period of duty subject to maximum of 90 days at a time.

(d) medical leave up to 6 months in all.

3. I am to request you to kindly releived Dr. Rudra immediately to join the post.

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

Secretary to Government.

M.E.J. – Dr. J. J. Rudra, Principal ~~E.D.~~ ~~G.M. (A)~~ Engg. college, Guindy – Services ~~lent to Bihar Govt.~~ Govt. ~~Cf. 11-12~~

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Read:– Endt. No. 24517 A-4, dt. 11.5.48; from the G. of Bihar Devt. & Employment Deptt., No. 11978–D/41-5/48, dt. 20.5.48

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G.O. (Ms.) 1351 ~~AD~~. Edn.; dt. 27-5-48

The services of Dr. J. J. Rudra, Principal, College of Engg., Guindy, are placed, with immediate effect, at the disposal of the Govt. of Bihar for being utilised in the post of Principal of the Mech. & Elec. Engg. College at Sindri.

To the D.G.

" A.G. (~~Madras~~ Finance)

" E.G. P. (for publn. of notfn.)

" D.P.I. (for 2 copies)

" R.B.

" Public (Gl.)

Finance

Copy to the Secy. to the Govt. of Bihar, Devt. & Employment Deptt., Patna,

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No. 6399 D.
Government of Bihar.
Development & Employment Deptt.

Express
&
By Air Mail

Patna, the 8 July 1948

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
12 JUL 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

From

S.R.Sinha, Esqr., M.A., B.L.,
Under Secretary to Government

To

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

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Sir,

P/19 cf.

In continuation of my letter no. 4978-D dated the 20th May 1948, I am directed to request you to be so good as to furnish the Provincial Government with the Confidential records of Dr. J.J. Rudra, in original, at at very early date.

Yours faithfully,

S R Sinha

Under Secretary to Gov

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Confdl.

Edn. & P.H. Dept.

Memo. No. 51471-A-1, dt 19.7.48

M.E.S. – Dr. J.J. Rudra, formerly Principal, College of Engg., Guindy – Personal file.

Ref:- G.O. 1351-Edn., dt 27.5.48

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The Govt. of Bihar have desired ~~requested~~ ~~that~~ the confdl. records of Dr. J.J. Rudra, in orgl., may be forwarded to them at a very early date. The D.P.I. is requested to ~~forward~~ send the ~~to Govt. a~~ this officer's personal file to this Govt. ~~at an~~ urgently.

BKI 19/7/48

Despd 20/7/48

To the D.P.I.

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"Confidential"

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

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From

D.S. REDDI, Esq., M.A.(Oxon.),
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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To

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

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R.C. No. 1560 C.1/48, Dated ~~23rd~~ 24th July, 1948.

Sir,

Subject:- Madras Educational Service - Dr. J.J. Rudra, formerly Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy- Personal file.

Reference: Government Memorandum No.51471 A.1 Edn., dated 19th July 1948.

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With reference to the Government Memorandum cited I submit herewith the Personal file of Dr. J.J. Rudra, formerly Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy, for being forwarded to the Government of Bihar.

2. The receipt of the Personal file may kindly be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

For DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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By Regd. Post.

Letter / Ref. No. 51476-A 2 28.7.48 Edn. & P.H. (A)

To
The Secy. to the Govt. of Bihar,
Devt. & Empt. Dept., Patna. (with encl. in a sd. cover).

Sir,

p. 1 ante

Ref:- Your dept. letter No. 6399-D, d/- 8.7.48.

I am to forward h/w. the personal file of Dr. J. J. Rudra ~~whose services have been placed by this Govt. at the disposal of the Govt. of Bihar~~ and to ~~the~~ request that the receipt thereof by you may be ~~kind~~ ackd.

Yrs. ffly.,

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Copy to the D.P.I.
(Ref: This letter No. 1560-C1/48, d/- 24/7/48.)

O.N. Sending a copy of the letter to the D.P.I. wd. serve as an ackt. of the receipt of the per. file by this Govt. from him. p. 3 ante

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Memo No. 6975 D/-
Government of Bihar.
Development & Employment Department.
patna, the 7th August, 1948.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
12 AUG 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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From
R. B. Pande, Esqr., B.A.,
Registrar, Development Department.

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Education & public Health Deptt.
Fort St. George, Madras.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the Personal file of Dr.J.J.Radra sent with your letter no. 51476-A-2 dated the 28th July, 1948.

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yours Faithfully,

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Registrar.

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May be filed with the G.O. by which Dr. Rudra's services were placed at Bihar Govt.'s disposal.

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No. 495 DR
Government of Bihar
Development & Employment Department.
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DE

From

S.K. Aikat Esqr.,
Additional Secretary to Government.

To

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

Sir,

I am directed to invite a reference to This Department letter no. 6400- dated the 8th July 1948 regarding the qualifications and experience of Dr. J.J. Rudra and to request the favour of a very early reply.

Yours faithfully,

Additional Secretary to Government.

Letter/Ref. No. 59322-A-1, dt. 13/8/48 (Edn. & P.H. (A))

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To
The Secy. to the Govt. of Bihar,
Devt. & Empt. Deptt.,
Ranchi.

Sir,

Dr. J. J. Rudra, formerly Principal, Engg. College, Guindy — Qualfns., etc. — Deptt.

Ref:— Your letter No. 495-DR, dt. 3.8.48

~~I am~~ Your Deptt. letter No. 6400-D, dt. 8.7.48, has not been recd. here. I am to request that a copy thereof may kindly be sent now.

Y. ffly.,

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Note:— Only the letter bearing No. 6399-D of 8.7.48 in which the Bihar Govt. called for Dr. Rudra's personal file was recd. in this deptt. & acted upon.

12.8.48

E. & P.H. (A)

Letter /Ref. no. 57322-A-2 Edn., dt. 27.10.48

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To The Secy. to the Govt. of Bihar,
Development ~~Dept~~ and Employment Dept,
Ranchi.

Sir, Ref:- My letter no. 59322 A-1, dt. 13.8.48.
~~Your letter no. 495-DR, dt. 3.8.48~~

p. 2 ante

I am to enquire when copy of your Dept. letter no. 6400-D dt. 8.7.48, re: Dr. J. J. Rudra will be forwarded to this Govt.

Yrs. ffly.,

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No. 9960 D
Government of Bihar
Development & Employment Department.
Patna, the 17th November 1948.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
20 NOV 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

From
S.A.F. Abbas Esqr.,
Under Secretary to Government.

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Education & Public Health Department.

Sir,

p. 3 ante

With reference to your letter no. 57322A-2-Education dated the 27th October 1948, I am directed to say that this department letter no. 495-DR, dated the 3rd August 1948 was later on cancelled. Information in this connection was given to you in this Department letter no. 7521-D dated the 26th August 1948(Copy enclosed).

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Yours faithfully,

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Under Secretary to Government.

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Lodged & filed with G.O. no. 1357-Edn., dt. 27.5.48.

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Enclo:- S.F.A.

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Copy of Memo No. 7521-D dated the 2[illegible]th August 1948 from Under Secretary to the Government of Bihar to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department.

" I am directed to say that the Provincial Government letter no. 495-DR dated the 3rd August 1948 may kindly be treated as cancelled.

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cf 1 From the G. of Bihar, Development and Employment Dept., No.3601-D1, d/- 30-3-48.

cf 2-3 From the D.P.I., No.27/48, d/- 12-4-48.

M.E.S.--Dr.J.J.Rudra, Pricipal, Guindy Engg.College--Transfer of services to Bihar Govt.

The Govt. of Bihar have requested this Govt. that the services of Dr.J.J.Rudra, Principal, College of Engg., Guindy, be lent to them on a contract basis for a period of 5 to 7 years, so that he may be apptd. by them as Princip of the Elec. and Mech. Engg. College which they propose to start at Sindri. The pay which Dr.Rudra is drawing under this Govt. is Rs.1,325 in the scale of pay of Rs.1,250-75/2-1,400-100/2-1,500. What the Bihar Govt.offer him is Rs.2150, p.m. besides rent-free quarters and provident fund benefits. That Govt. have also written direct to Dr.Rudra in the matter, and on the basis of that communication the officer has subd. to the D.P.I. the petn. copy at pp.4-9 C.F., strongly desiring that the Bihar Govt.'s request be complied with.

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See p.4 cf.

The point that arises first for decision is whether Dr.Rudra's services can be spared without detriment to the interests of public service in this Provce. In the past, he applied for more than one appt. elsewhere but the Govt. withheld his applns. in the public interest - as it was thought that a suitable substitute for him could not be found. They took ~~xx~~ into account his qualfns. and expce. and raised the Guindy Principal's ~~xxx~~ scale of pay first from Rs.800-1000 to ~~xxxxxx1250x1500xandxlaterxtoxRsx1250x1,500x~~ Rs.1250-50/2-1500, and, later, to 1250-75/2-1400-100/2-1500.

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The arguments, among others, now advanced by the officer himself: (1) that there is not hereafter much more for him to do in this Province than the ordinary administration of a college as the existing financial position of Govt. ** would not permit of any scheme of development of the Guindy College ~~xx~~ or of other colleges; and (2) that all that the College of Engg., Anantapur, located at Guindy, needs is a senior ~~xx~~ member of staff--of whom there are many at Guindy--to be put as Principal of that College and that there are enough experienced

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men at Guindy to take his place at Guindy; are not quite acceptable. The recommendation of the D.P.I. in the matter is that the Govt. may lend Dr.Rudra's service to Bihar. But ~~it~~ that recommendation does not flow from his remarks which are in para 4, p.2 C.F. He says that with the shifting of the Anantapur College from Guindy to Anantapur and the sanction of new posts of Profs. in the new colleges, it will be difficult to fill vacancies and that it may not be easy to ~~xxxx~~ find a suitable substitute for Dr.Rudra for appt. as Principal. However, the factors on which he has based his recommendation are (1) the very attractive salary offered by the Bihar Govt. and (2) the strong desire of Dr.Rudra to accept the ~~Principal~~ offer. These factors cannot, it seems, be considered to override "M" above, ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ and to justify the placing of Dr.Rudra's services at the Bihar Govt.'s disposal.

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He may only mean it is not easy to find a suitable substitute — not that it is impossible to find a substitute.

Please see below

~~For orders~~.

~~Fin. may see before circn.~~

The Govt have recently constituted a Standing Advisory Board for Technical Education to advise them on all matters of technical and technological education. Dr. Rudra is the Secretary of the Board. The Board held its first meeting in Jany last. and the real work has only begun now. It will be really unfortunate if the Board is to be deprived of the services of ~~Doctor~~ such an experienced and senior officer as Dr. Rudra in the initial stage.

P.G.
19.4.48

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GO No: 1829 Edn
19.9.47.

He has finished the work relating to the starting of the new colleges; for a Guindy further activities his presence is not indispensable.

Regard A on page 2 cf it may be noted that the Telecommunications Engg. subject was started in the Eng: College, Guindy, only recently and Sri K. Srinivasan has been appointed as permanent Professor relaxing all rules. It does not seem that he can be disturbed from the Eng college, Guindy, for some time to come as no proper substitute for him is available.

But Sri Srinivasa could be Principal at Guindy itself and be in charge of the Tele: Commn dept. also there.

In case it is decided to permit Dr. Rudra to go to Bihar it will be sufficient if his services are merely placed at the disposal of that Govt. The leave and pensionary contribution up to the date of his retirement from this Govt's service will be adjusted by the A.G.

The arrangement may [illegible] be so.

The question whether the scale of pay sanctioned for the Principal, of the Eng College, Guindy, should be ~~raised~~ with downward direction will also be taken up separately in case Dr. Rudra is permitted to go to Bihar.

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In this connection it may not be out of place to state that the action of the Bihar Govt. in offering to Dr. Rudra almost double the salary he is getting here is very unfair to this Govt. If Provincial Govts raise the market value of officers like this it will be very difficult to retain senior officers as they will always be looking about for higher ~~paid~~ jobs elsewhere.

I do not think we should press the grievance of this.

The file may be sent to Fin for remarks before circulation.

21/4/48

21/4/48 S.

'A' at page 1 ante:- It may be noticed that on the previous occasions it was Dr. Rudra himself who wanted to send applications in response to advertisements which had been put out for certain posts. In cases like that we normally take the stand ~~that~~ where we cannot spare the services of the officer in question, & that we should ~~We~~ refuse to forward the application and leave the option to the officer to resign and apply if he wants. This is what was done on the previous occasions in Dr. Rudra's case. But I think, it does make a substantial difference that in the present case he has not applied in response to any advertisement but it is the Government of Bihar that are asking us to lend his services. The case therefore deserves to be dealt with on a different footing. All the pioneering work relating to the starting of the new Engineering Colleges ~~now~~ has now been more or less brought to completion by Dr. Rudra and I think it may be conceded that for guidance of the further activities of these colleges, and of general activities in regard to technical and technological education, his presence is not indispensable. Having regard to the terms in which the Government of Bihar have couched their request (~~are~~ 'R' at page 1 c.f.) I think it will be a graceful act on our part to allow them to have the services of a person like Dr. Rudra. It will also be a recognition of Dr. Rudra's services to us, which have been valuable, ~~but~~ that we should allow him to go to Bihar in response to the request of the Bihar Government for a post which will give him substantially higher remuneration. I therefore support the recommendation made by the D.P.I. that we may lend the services of Dr. Rudra to the Bihar Government as requested by them.

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Fin.

Fin (CSR)

EPH U.O. No. 24517-A-1 22.4.48 (Sealed cover)

Asst. Secretary to Government
23 APR 1948
31625
Finance Department

The question whether this Govt. can afford to spare the services of Dr. Rudra is one for E.P.H. dept. to decide.

A salary of Rs. 2,150/- a month besides rent-free quarters & prov. fund benefits has been offered by the Govt. of Bihar to Dr. Rudra, who draws only a pay of Rs. 1,325 p.m. under this Govt.

p. 1 c.f.

para 2 on p. 2 c.f.

The offering of such high scale of pay by the Govt. of Bihar is really embarrassing to this Govt., since that induces the officers here to seek employment elsewhere. Generally, in the case of transfer of Govt. servants

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para 1(a) under F.R. 114 - p. 44 & G.R. 154.

to foreign service, the increase of pay in foreign service is limited to 25% of the pay drawn here for the reason ~~the above procedure is~~ that service under other employers should not be rendered appreciably more attractive than service under the Madras Govt. The above restriction is not, however, intended to apply to cases like the present.

vide Fin. Secy.'s note in G.O. 2918-19 Rev. B 12-12-46

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For orders whether Fin. may suggest some reduction in the terms offered by the Govt. of Bihar, which are certainly lavish judged by the scales of pay for similar posts in this Province & the recommendations of the Central Pay Commission in the matter of scales of pay of Govt. servants. For the Indian Administrative Service, the maximum pay is only Rs. 1,800 p.m.

2. H.M. (Fin) may see.

N on p. 3 above.

(E.P.H. propose to take up in due course the question of reducing the scale of pay of the post of Principal, Guindy Engg. College, if & when Dr. Rudra vacates the post).

24/4/48.

Finance Dept. need not object to the terms of the Govt. of Bihar's offer. Dr. Rudra is highly qualified and the pay offered is not excessive by N. Indian standards. It was mainly for officers deputed to serve the Govt. of India in or near this province that Finance objected to overgenerous rates. There is no objection in Finance Dept. to the present proposal, presuming that a suitable qualified candidate can be found for Dr. Rudra's present post.

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Fin. 31625 CSR 1 26.4.48

E-PH

The file may be circulated for orders.

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Asst. Secretary to Government
30844
27 APR 1948
Education and Public Health Dept.

The proposal is as at p. 4 ante. Fin. have no objection to his deputation on the terms offered by Bihar.

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(Post)

G.O. 2 30/4.

For an officer ~~w~~ to whom we are paying Rs.1325/- the Bihar Government's offer is Rs.2150/-. It is unfortunate that our sister Provincial Governments make such attractive offers to officers in our own services. It is ~~also~~ more unfortunate that they should have written to Dr.Rudra direct. He is very anxious to go. Anybody will feel it a grievance, if one is not allowed to go with such bright prospects before him. I understand he is about 52 or ~~50~~ 53 and he ~~is getting~~ has got only 2a 3 more years of service. But Bihar Govt. is giving him a contract for seven years which is an additional attraction. In these circumstances, it will be very difficult to keep him - and to keep him satisfied. And so, he may be allowed to go. ~~But, still, we don't seem to be in a position to help relieving this gentleman~~.

SECRETARIAT, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
- MAY 1948
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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H.M. (Fin)

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A draft letter to the Bihar Govt. is subd.

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(Issued as Letter No. 24517-A-3, dt. 12.5.48) p.11 C.F.

From the Secy., Devt. Dept., Bihar Govt., Tgm. No. 147-D, dt. 12-5-48. (Tgm. in reply issued on 14.5.48) p.14 C.F.

From the Secy., Development Dept., Bihar Govt., Tgm. No. 150-D dt. 15.5.48 → C.F. 15

The Bihar Govt. have requested that Dr. J.J. Rudra may be relieved from his post under this Govt. (Principalship, Guindy Engg. College) immediately so that he might proceed to Bihar to take up the job offered by them. The D.P.I. may accordingly be asked to arrange for the officer's relief by placing the seniormost Prof. in the Guindy College in charge of the Principal's post. A draft endt. is subd.

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(Order placing seniormost [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible])

18.5.48 (Issued as Endt. No. 24517-A-5 dt. 17.5.48)

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From the Govt. of Bihar, letter No. 11978-D/41-5/48 dt. 20.5.48.

A draft order is subd. W.r.t. the instructions given in the Memo. at C.F. 11, the D.P.I. has reported separately that Dr. Rudra has been asked to hand over charge to the seniormost Prof. in the Guindy Engg. College.

Fin. may see before issue.

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F.D. U.O. No. 24517-A-6 26.5.48.
(Sealed cover)

Finance (E.S.R)

(Finance last noted on pages 4-5 above)

The further notes and orders in circulation thereon, ~~at~~ pages 5-6 above, ~~may be perused~~ and the draft order below may be perused.

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