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No. F.12-44/48-E.III(P)  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

NEW DELHI 3, the MARCH '48.

From

Dr. Tara Chand, M.A., D.Phil.,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

To

All Provincial Governments.

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Sub: ADMISSION OF REFUGEE STUDENTS IN  
ENGINEERING INSTITUTIONS IN INDIA.

Sir,

I am directed to state that a number of requests have been received from refugee students from the Western Pakistan asking for arrangements to be made in regard to their education in Engineering Institutions in India.

I am to say that these refugee students would have normally been eligible for admission to institutions in their own Province but have now to look to other Provinces for providing the necessary facilities. It is possible that on account of existing rules for admission to Engineering and Technological institutions in various Provinces, the Principals may find themselves unable to entertain applications for admission from such students. The Government of India will be grateful if the Provincial Governments will issue instructions to institutions within their jurisdictions to waive the requirement of domicile, if any, in view of the circumstances mentioned above.

I am however to add that it is not the intention of the Government of India that any preferential treatment may be given to refugee students. All that is required

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is that the cases of such students may be considered on merits without reference to the question of domicile.

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

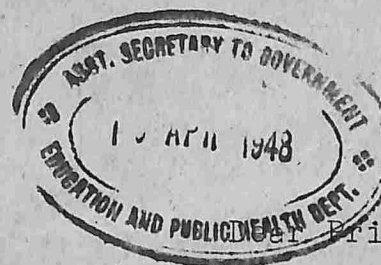
*S. R. Sen Gupta*

for Secretary.

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No. F.12-58/48-E.III(P)  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

NEW DELHI 3, the 10th APRIL '48.



Principal,

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You are aware that a number of students who have migrated from Pakistan have had to waste one whole year owing to circumstances beyond their control and they have qualified or will do so in examinations which would make them eligible for admission into the Engineering Colleges one year later. Some of these students are therefore likely to exceed the age limit for admission. I am sure you will agree with us that it is only fair that the upper age limit should be relaxed by one year in favour of such candidates. I write this to request that you may give due consideration to this question and let me know if you could accede to my request on behalf of the refugee students.

I need hardly add that considerations such as the waiving of requirements of domicile, upper age limit for admission and other minor matters would go a long way to ameliorate the difficult situation which the refugees have unfortunately found themselves in.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

*S. R. Sen Gupta* 10/4/48.  
(S.R. SEN GUPTA).

To

The Principals of Engineering Colleges in India.

Copy to all Provincial Governments in continuation of this Ministry letter No. F.12-44/48-E.III(P) dated the 18th March, 1948. (CM)

*S. R. Sen Gupta*  
for Secretary. 14/4

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No.F.12-44/48-E.III(P).  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

NEW DELHI, the 1.5 April, 1948.

From

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To

Dr. Tara Chand, M.A., D.Phil.,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

All Provincial Governments.

Subject:- Admission of refugee students in  
Engineering Institutions in India.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry letter  
No.F.12-44/48-E.III(P) dated the 19th March, 1948, on the  
subject mentioned above and to request that the Provincial  
Government may let us know how matters stand at present.

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The matter may please be treated as urgent as the new admissions would be taking place very soon.

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

G.K. Chandiramani  
(G.K. Chandiramani) 30/4  
for Secretary.

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No.F.12-58/48-E.III(P)  
Government of India.  
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi 3, the May 48.

From

Dr. Tara Chand, M.A., D.Phil.,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

To

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

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Sir,

I am directed to invite a reference to Dr. Sen Gupta's letter No.F.12-58/48-E.III(P) dated the 10th/15th April '48 to the Principals of Engineering Colleges in India, copy to all Provincial Governments, requesting that the age limit laid down for admission to the Engineering Colleges may be raised by one year in the case of the refugee students who have had to waste one whole year owing to circumstances beyond their control.

I am to express the hope that the Government of Madras will kindly accede to the above request so far as the Engineering Colleges under their control are concerned and issue instructions accordingly at an early date with copy to this Ministry.

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

G.K. Chandiramani  
for Secretary. 13/5

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The connected file is in circulation. This may be added to the file.

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NO. P. 2143/48-R  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

NEW DELHI 3, THE 5<sup>th</sup> MAY '48.

From M.S. Sundaram Esqr., M.A., B.Litt.(Oxon)  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To 1. All Provincial Governments except the Govt. of the East Punjab.  
2. Chief Commissioner, Delhi.  
3. Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara.



SUB: ADMISSION OF STUDENTS FROM PAKISTAN AREAS  
IN TECHNICAL AND PROFESSIONAL COLLEGES AND  
INSTITUTIONS IN INDIA - RELAXATION OF THE  
PROVISION REGARDING DOMICILE.

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry letter No. F.12-46  
48-E.III(P) dated the 19th March 1948, I am directed to say that  
it has been represented to the Government of India that students  
coming from the Pakistan areas find great difficulty in securing  
admission to technical and professional colleges and institutions  
(including Agricultural and medical colleges) owing to the fact  
that they do not fulfil the conditions laid down by some of the  
Provincial Governments regarding domicile of candidates for  
admission to such colleges or institutions. The Government of  
India have given the matter their careful consideration and  
feel that students, who have migrated from the Eastern or the  
Western Pakistan and have got themselves settled in a particular  
Province of the Indian Dominion, should have equal opportunities  
for admission to technical and professional institutions along  
with candidates belonging to a particular Province. If this  
suggestion is accepted, it will be necessary for the Provincial  
Governments to amend or to relax their rules which prescribe the  
number of years of residence in a Province for acquiring domicile  
for the purposes of admission of students to technical and  
professional institutions. I am to request that if the Provincial  
Government have no objection, necessary instructions may be issued

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to secure the objective mentioned above. The Government of India may also be informed of the action taken in the matter.

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

*[Signature]*  
For DEPUTY SECRETARY.



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NO. F.12-44/48-E.III(P)  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

NEW DELHI 3, THE 27<sup>th</sup> MAY '48.

Dr. Tara Chand, M.A., D.Phil.,  
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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

SUB: ADMISSION OF REFUGEE STUDENTS IN  
ENGINEERING INSTITUTIONS IN INDIA.

Sir,

p 9-10 ante  
I am directed to invite a reference to the correspondence resting with this Ministry's letter No. D.2142/48-R dated the 15th May, 1948 on the above subject and to request that the Provincial Government may kindly inform the Government of India at a very early date of the action taken by them in the matter as new admissions are due to take place very soon.

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

G.K. Chandrasekhar  
for Secretary. 26/5

CLS/- 25.C.D. 14.5.



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Ministry of Education & Public Health  
Madras

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Sub: Colleges - Engg. - Admission of Pakistan  
refugee students without reference to  
question of domicile etc. - Orders passed.  
From the G.O., Ministry of Edu. No 7.12.44/48-E.III(P)  
dated 19.3.48.  
From the G.O., Ministry of Edu. No 7.12.58/48-E.III(P)  
dated 14.5.48.  
From the G.O., Ministry of Edu. D.2143/48-R&155-48  
G.O. No. Me. 1494 Edu. dated 5-6-48.

The Govt. direct that  
applications for admission into Engg.  
Colleges in this Province from Pakistan  
refugee students may be considered  
on their merits (along with applications  
from students of this Province) without  
reference to the question of domicile.  
In regard to age, these candidates  
may be allowed a concession of one  
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Under 7.c.f.

No. 12-50/48-E III(1)  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi the 1/7/48. June 1948.



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

Subject:- Admission to refugee students to  
Engineering Institutions in India-  
Relaxation of the condition regarding  
domicile.

Sir,

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I am directed to refer to your letter No. GOM No. 1494 Edn.

dated the 5th June, 1948, on the subject  
mentioned above and to enclose for your information a  
copy of the press note dated the 12th June, 1948, issued  
by the Government of India.

I am to add that the Government of Bombay have also  
agreed to waive the conditions regarding upper age limit and  
domicile in favour of refugee students seeking admission  
to educational institutions in that Province.

Yours faithfully,

( N.R.Das Gupta )  
for Secretary.

Copy forwarded to the Principal

- i) East Punjab Engineering College, Roorkee.
- ii) East Punjab Engineering School, Gurdaspur.
- iii) Government Engineering College, Jabulpore.
- iv) Government Engineering School, Naraur.
- v) Bengal Engineering College, Shibpur.

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more year over the general age limit of 22 years.  
No other preferential treatment need be  
given to these candidates.

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To Mr. D. P. G.  
Copy to the Secy. of G.  
Ministry of Edu.,  
New Delhi, (By A. M.)  
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- vi) College of Engineering & Technology, Jadavpur.
- vii) Thomas Engineering College, Roorkee
- viii) Orissa School of Engineering, Cuttack
- ix) College of Engineering Coconada.
- x) College of Engineering Guindy.
- xi) College of Engineering, Anantpur.
- xii) Arthur Hope College of Technology, Coimbatore.
- xiii) Kalabhavan Technical Institute, Baroda.

Copy to

The Principal, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay.

and the Principal, College of Engineering, Trivandrum.

PRESS INFORMATION BUREAU  
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

PRESS NOTE

REFUGEE STUDENTS' ADMISSION TO TECHNOLOGICAL INSTITUTIONS CONDITION REGARDING DOMICILE WAIVED

At the request of the Government of India, the Governments of East Punjab, Central Provinces, and Berar, West Bengal, U.P., Orissa, Madras and Baroda State have agreed to waive the condition regarding domicile in the case of refugee students from Pakistan who may seek admission to the Engineering Institutions under their administrative control. The names of these institutions are given below :-

1. East Punjab Engineering College, Roorkee.
2. East Punjab Engineering School, Gurdaspur.
3. Government Engineering College, Jubbulpur.
4. Government Engineering School, Nagpur.
5. Bengal Engineering College, Sibnore.
6. College of Engineering & Technology, Jadavpore.
7. Thomason Engineering College, Roorkee.
8. Orissa School of Engineering, Cuttack.
9. College of Engineering, Coconada.
10. College of Engineering, Guindy.
11. College of Engineering, Anantpore.
12. Arthur Hope College of Technology, Coimbatore
13. Kalabhavan Technical Institute, Baroda.

The Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay, and the College of Engineering, Trivandrum, have also agreed to consider the cases of refugee students for admission on merit only without reference to the question of domicile.

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Refugee students desirous of availing of the facilities in any of the above institutions should apply directly to the Principal concerned.

Ministry of Education  
New Delhi

E.P.H.Deptt.(A)

Sub: Colleges - Engg.- Admission of Pakistan refugee students -  
Question of domicile and age.

C.No. 21887

From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Edn.No.F.12-44/48-E.III(P)  
dated 18-3-1948.  
Fo.F12-58/48 EIII(P)dated 15-4-1948.  
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Please see the letters from the Government of India, Ministry of Education on p. 4 cf.

Sometime back the Govt. of India requested that this Government should take into the Engineering Colleges in this Province some Pakistan refugee students whose studies had been interrupted. This Government informed the Govt. of India that 37 students could be provided for in the Engineering Colleges in this Province. But later the Govt. of India stated admission that arrangements had been made for the administration of the students elsewhere. The question was therefore not pursued.

The Govt. of India now state that there are a number of refugee students from Pakistan who seek admission to the Eng. Colleges in this Province and request that in order to facilitate this administration admission to rules regarding domicile and age may be relaxed. According to these rules admission to Engg. Colleges is confined to natives of the Madras Quindy and the production of a native certificate is also necessary. It is also laid down that the candidate seeking admission to the Engg. College should not have exceeded 22 years of age.

In view of the fact that the Govt. had generally agreed to admit 37 refugee students and also in view of the peculiar circumstance under which the refugees are placed to request the Government of India may be accepted.

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S.P.H.u.O.21887-1/48A

dated 27.4.48

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of E. & P. H. Dept. overleaf may be  
perused and the case returned to them.

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A draft order is submitted for approval.

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