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G.O. NO. Ms.161 Education.

Dated the 23rd January 1948.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Technical Education - Overseas - 1945-46 - Messr. V.M.I. Nambissan and D.V. Narasimhan - Extension in the periods of scholarships - Granted Papers recorded.

Back Papers.

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From the Government of India, Department of Education, No. F.3-11/46 EIV. dated 8-10-46.

Advanced Overseas studies in (1945)

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1. I am to refer to the case of Mr. D.V. Narasimhan the 1945 scholar and to forward herewith an extract from his letter dated the 4th September received from the High Commissioner for India, London. The High Commissioner for India recommends the case on the ground that the extension in scholarship desired by the candidate, is only for six months and this would considerably add to Mr. Narasimhan's experience in the subject. The Government of Madras may consider the case, and communicate their decision to the Government of India at a very early date.

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Extract from letter of Mr. D.V.Narasimhan to the Secretary to the High Commissioner, Education Department, India House, London.

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Re:- D.V.Narasimhan (Govt. of Madras Scholar)

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I wish to go in for the B.Sc.(Hons) degree in Marine Engineering if the Madras Government can take me in the Education Department. This also involved my scholarship being extended to 2½ years instead of two years. I complete the B.Sc. degree in June 1947, spend the summer vacation at Messrs John Brown Glasgow, and October 1947 to June 1948 at King's College, Newcastle for Hons degree. I have to register myself for the Hons Course next month as per the University Regulations. I therefore request your early decision in the matter consulting the Madras Government if need be.

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No.F.3-11/45.O.D.IV. **BY AIR MAIL**
Government of India
Department of Education
New Delhi 3, the 26th November, 1946.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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MEMORANDUM

Sub:- ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS IN RESPECT OF MR. D.V. NARASIMHAN 1945 SCHOLAR.

The undersigned is directed to refer to correspondence on the above subject and to forward herewith a copy of letter dated the 6th November, 1946 from Mr. D.V. Narasimhan received through the High Commissioner for India, London. The High Commissioner recommends the candidate's request for doing the M.Sc. course instead of the B.Sc. (Hons) course. He will be working for the Higher Degree, and it would make no material difference regarding his subject of study or the duration of his scholarship. The Provincial Government may kindly consider the case urgently, and communicate their decision to the Government of India at ~~an~~ a very early date.

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A.N. D'Zario 26/11
for Secretary.

To

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

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Letter No. 73629 C2/46-1 Edn dt 7.12.46.

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To

The Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Education Dept., New Delhi, 3.

Sir,

Overseas Scholars, 1945-46 - Mr. D.V. Narasimhan.

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From the G. of India, Nos.F.3.11/46-EIV dt.8-10-46 and F.3.11/45.ODIV dt.26.11.46

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I am directed to state that this Government agree to the proposal of the Govt. of India to allow Mr. D.V. Narasimhan to ~~work for~~ do the M.Sc.(Marine Engineering) degree course. I am ~~also~~ to request that it may be made clear to Mr. Narasimhan that the Govt. do not guarantee him an appointment in the Education Dept., on completion of his training abroad.

Y.o.s.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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No.F.3-11/45-OD.IV
Government of India.
Department of Education
New Delhi 3, the 27th December 1946.

From

Sir John Sargent, C.I.E., M.A., D.Litt.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The High Commissioner for India,
Education Department,
India House, Aldwych,
LONDON W.C.2.

ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS IN RESPECT OF MR. D.V.NARASIMHAN 1945 MADRAS SCHOLAR.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to the correspondence on the above subject and to state that the Government of Madras have intimated that they agree to the proposal that Mr. Narasimhan should be allowed to study for the M.Sc. (Marine Engineering) degree course. They request that it may be made clear to the candidate that the Provincial Government do not guarantee him an appointment in the Education Department, on completion of his studies abroad.

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

Sd/-
for Secretary.

"GLD"

No.F.3-11/45-OD.IV

Copy forwarded for information to the Secretary to the Government of Madras Education and Public Health Department, Madras with reference to his letter No 73629-C2/46-1 Education dated the 7th December 1946.

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By order,

for Secretary.

E.P.H. (C2)

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No.F.3.11/45 O.D.IV.
Government of India,
Department of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 13th May, 1947. 8

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
17 MAY 1946
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Advanced studies Overseas in respect of Mr. D.V.Narasimham - 1945 Scholar.

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1. The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department endorsement of even number dated the 27th December, 1946, and to forward herewith a copy of letter No.E.A.5229 dated the 1st May, 1947, from the Office of the High Commissioner for India in London.

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2. Since the admission for the student in the United States of America can not be regarded as definite, it is suggested that Mr. D.V. Narasimham should take practical training, for 6 months to a year in the United Kingdom after completing his present course of study in June, 1947.

3. The Government of Madras may kindly consider the matter and communicate their decision in the matter urgently since the High Commissioner ~~for India in London~~ requires a quick decision.

M. H. Rahman
For Secretary.

To

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

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SRH/-

Copy of a letter No. E.A.5229 dated the 1st May, 1947 from the Office of the High Commissioner for India, Education Department, London to Dr. A.M.D'Rozario, Department of Education, New Delhi.

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The particulars of Mr. D.V.Narasimham, 1945 Madras Scholar, were cabled to this office in your telegram dated 4th September, 1945 and after his arrival Mr. Narasimham was sent for studies at the Technical College, Sunderland. I enclose herewith the copy of an application admitted by Mr. Narasimham regarding his future training. Mr. Narasimham is due to complete his B.Sc. degree course in Marine Engineering from the Durban University by the end of the second week in June, 1947. There are no facilties for postgraduate courses in the United Kingdom and if the Government of India desire that he should do a research degree, he should be sent to the United States. We could, however, try to arrange practical training after June, 1947. A very early eecision should be cabled to this office. If practical training has to be arranged, it would take some time to do so and we shall need as long notice as possible.

A copy of letter dated the 11th April 1947 from D.V.NARASIMHAM No.12 Park Place West, Sunderland, Co. Durham to the Secretary to High Commissioner, Education Department, India House, London.

Re E.A. 5229 (D.V.NARASIMHAM)

Please refer to your letter of 8th January 1947 informing me of the approval of the Government of Madras of my studying for the M.Sc.(Marine Engineering). I wish to place before you the following.

1. I consulted the prospectuses of (a) Massachusetts Institute of Technology, (b) Harvard University and (c) California University. The M.Sc.(Marine Engineering) is aarded after one year's coure in the graduate school provided the candidate has a basic B.Sc. degree from an approved university. The residence qualification isalso only one year.

2. The courses are well planned and specialised. Particularly the M.Sc. (unspecified) in the Marine Engineering Division of the M.I.T.(a) is suitable as it comprises both Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering This is a clear contrast to the postgraduate work of Marine Engineering at Durham which tends to be mainly Mechanical.

I therefore request you to refer the matter again to the Government of Madras if necessary, so as to obtain their approval of my pursuing the next year's work at one of the above mentioned institutions. I also request you to make the necessary arrangements for admission preferably to the M.I.T. without any further loss of time. M.I.T. and Harvard University authorities are resuming admission to foreign students though on limited basis from the coming session (47-48). The last date for the receipt of applications is 1st of May 1947. In order to take the best advantage of the short time available, I have in anticipation, applied to the above institutions mentioning that my case will be referred ~~to~~ through the proper channel of the India Government and request that this shall meet with your approval.

Will you please do the needful in this matter? As you have already informed me, any admission to the King's College isnot guaranteed. However, there is nothing like the course at the M.I.T. if only I can secure admission.

'HSS'

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Letter No. 41854 C2/47-2 Edn dt 2/6/47

To

The Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Dept. of Education, New Delhi 3.

Sir,

Overseas Scholarships - 1945-46 -
Sri D.V. Narasimhan

Ref:- From the Govt. of India, Edn. Dept, memo. No. F.3-11/45-OD IV dt 13.5.47

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I am directed to state that this Govt. accept the suggestion of the Govt. of India that Sri D.V. Narasimhan may be given practical training for six months to a year in the United Kingdom after he completes his present course of study in June 1947.

Para 2 on p13 CF and 'A' on p 2 u.f.

Y.o.S.

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Edn. & P.H. [illegible]

Letter to [illegible] 1-2 Edn. H. [illegible]

To
The Secy. to the Govt. of India
Dept. of Education, New Delhi 3

Sir,

Government Scholarships 1945
Sri D. V. Narasimhan

Ref. Govt. of India letter [illegible]

I am directed to state that this Govt. accept the suggestion of the Govt. of India that Sri D. V. Narasimhan may be given practical training for [illegible] in the United Kingdom after he completes his present course of study in June 1949.

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AIR MAIL

NO. F.3-11/47 OD IV
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

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NEW DELHI 3, THE 4/21 ~~OCTOBER~~ 1947.

From
Sir John Sargent, C.I.E., M.A., D.Litt.,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department,
MADRAS.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
8 NOV 1947
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

SUB:- Advanced Studies Overseas in respect of Messrs. V.M.I. Nambisan & D.V. Narasimhan 1945 Madras scholars.

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for favour of necessary action copies of letters Nos: E.A. 2541 & E.A. 5229 (with enclosures) dated 9th October 1947 & 13th October 1947 respectively from the High Commissioner for India, London recommending extensions in the period of scholarship for Messrs. V.M.I. Nambisan & D.V. Narasimhan.

p123 33 infra

In the case of Mr. Nambisan the normal two year period of scholarship expires in January 1948 and the extension recommended is upto January 1949 (i.e.) for a period of 1 year in order to enable the scholar to complete the research Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering-Electroplating at the King's College London University. It will be observed that due to late arrival and difficulties of accommodation the scholar could join the London University only in October 1946 after doing some work in the Northampton Polytechnic.

In regard to Mr. Narasimhan's case the Government of Madras will have noted from this Ministry endorsement of even number dated 21st June 1947 that the Government of India have already instructed the High Commissioner for India, London,

not put up but vide Lr on p19 ante

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to extend the scholarship period by 6 months (i.e) upto June 1948 so as to enable the scholar to undergo practical training in Marine Engineering in the United Kingdom after completing the B.Sc. degree course in the Durham University in June 1947. Now the High Commissioner has again recommended that the scholarship should be further extended upto August 1948 so as to enable Mr. Narasimhan to complete the practical training in Dredging Machinery and Marine Gas Turbines, thus involving a total extension of about 8 months (i.e) from January 1948 to August 1948.

The Government of India are inclined to agree to both the proposals. The Government of Madras may now consider the two cases with particular reference to the utilisation of the scholar's services on return to India and communicate their decision to the Government of India as urgently as possible.

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

DK Hingorani
for SECRETARY.

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Copy of letter No. E.A. 2541 dated 9th October 1947 from the High Commissioner for India, London, to the Ministry of Education, Government of India, New Delhi.

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~~Sir~~,

I am directed to invite a reference to the Education Department cable dated the 14th September 1945, insofar as it concerns Mr. V.M.I Nambissan.

I am to enclose a copy ofthis scholar's representation for extension of hisscholarship until January 1949 as well as a recommendation from his Supervisor.

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Having regard to his Supervisor's opinion that if Mr. Nambissan is not granted an extension, his research/work would be incomplete, this Office is prepared to recommend his application for extension.

I am to request that the decision of the Government on this application, may kindly be communicated to this Office as soon as possible.

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COPY

UNIVERSITY OF LONDON KING'S COLLEGE.
Chemistry Research Department.

STRAND, W.C. 2.

18th September 1947.

The Secretary,
Education Department,
Madras.

Dear Sir,

I was selected by the Government of Madras, towards the end of 1945, to study Electrochemistry in England, and I arrived here on the 14th June January 1946. (Left for U.K. on 22-12-'45 by 'City of Exeter')

On my arrical I found that no proper arrangements had been made as to the institution to which I was to take my training. After some time I joined the Northampton Polytechnic as a Research student under Dr. Hepburn for the Ph.D. Degree of the University of London. Soon after my joining Dr. Hepburn left the Polytechnic. Further the research facilities offered there were neither adequate nor to my liking. I brought the matter up before the authorities at India House, but it was not easy to secure admission into one of the London Colleges, so I had to wait until October 1946, when the combined efforts of ~~ind~~ India House and myself bore fruit in my obtaining a seat at King's College, London, Professor Allmand having agreed to take me as a student under his guidance. I have to work for a minimum of two years from that date in order to be eligible for submitting a thesis to the University of London for the Ph.D. degree. In other words the period from January to October, 1946 could not be taking intoaccount.

My scholarship tenable for two years, will expire by January 1948. In the circumstances described in the preceding paragraphs it is impossible to finish my work by that time. Hence I request that my scholarship be extended for another year, that is, until Uanuary 1949.

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Yours very truly,

(Sgd) Y.M.I. NAMBISSAN.

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UNIVER-SITY OF LONDON KING'S COLLEGE.
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY.

STRAND W.C.2

18th September 1947.

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The High Commissioner for India,
Education Department,
India House,
Aldwych,
London W.C.2

Dear Sir,

I am forwarding through your office a letter addressed by Mr. Nambissan a research student now in this department working under my direction, to the Secretary of Education Department of the Government of Madras.

MR. Nambissan in his letter asks for an extension of his scholarship for a further year, giving the reasons for his request. I strongly ~~xx~~ support his application. Apart from the fact that owing to the circumstances he details he lost through no fault of his own the greater part of the first session of his work he is now researching on a somewhat intricate but very interesting subject, in the course of which an unusually large number of preliminary difficulties have turned up.

Mr. Nambissan is an exceptionally intelligent worker, and is well skilled in much of the technique he has to employ. He has moreover this summer taken a course at Manchester in those aspects of X-ray technique which have hitherto been unfamiliar to him. If he has to stop work at any time during the next twelve months it is very likely that his research will be in such an incomplete state that it may not be possible for him to present his thesis to the University of London for the Ph.D. degree. I should add, a fact of course familiar to you, that the two years demanded by the University of London before a Ph.D. thesis can be submitted is a minimum term, and in practice many student take considerably longer than this minimum.

On all counts, therefore, I hope that you will approve Mr. Nambissan's request and that the Govt . of Madras will see fit to extend his scholarship for a further twelve months as requested by him. I am fully convinced that he will make the best use of his time and of the facilities he recieved here.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd.)A.F.ALLMAND
Professor of Chemist

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Copy of letter No. E.A. 5229 dated 13th October 1947 from the High Commissioner for India, London, to the Ministry of Education, Government of India, New Delhi.

~~My dear Gangulee~~,

Please refer to your telegram No. 1545 dated 4th September 1945, in which brief particulars of Madras Government scholar, Mr. D.V.Narasimhan, were cabled to this office.

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I enclose herewith copy of application for extension of scholarship along with the letter of recommendation from his Principal. Mr. Narasimhan's application for extension of scholarship for a period of eight months is recommended by this office.

Your attention is invited to your letter dated 21st June 1947 in which this office was instructed to arrange practical training for a period of six months after the completion of the B.Sc. course in the case of this scholar.

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To the Secretary to the Government of India,
Department of Education, New Delhi.

Through The High Commissioner for India,
Education Department, London.

Dear Sir,

Re. D.V.Narasimhan-E.A. 5229

I request you to kindly grant me extension of my scholarship for 8 months, i.e. 25th December 1947 to 27th August 1948. Please refer to your direction to me to undergo practical training for 6 months to 1 year after completing B.Sc. degree (E.A. 5229 d/24.7.1947) The necessary particulars are as Below:-

1. (a) Date of Arrival- 25th December 1945.
   (b) Sponsoring Authority-Government of Madras. (Edn.Dept.)
   (c) Training in U.K. up to date:-
      (i) B.Sc. (Marine Engineering)- Durham University.
      (ii) Messrs. George Clerks Ltd.-Soutwick Engin Works, Sunderland- 3 months training in erection of steam engines; Marine Boiler (Scotch) Construction and installation of Machinery in ships.
      (iii) Messrs. Harland & Wolfe; Queens Island, Belfast. Fitting and Erection of Marine Diesel Engines; and auxiliaries. With anothe/month, i.e. end of October 1947, I shall be completing 3 months in this work.

2. During the stipulated period of 2 years, I shall be completing (c) (i), (ii) and (iii) of (1) above, and in addition:-

   Manufacture of propellers and Construction of Marine Water Tube Boildrs and Marine Steam Turbines.

3. Extension of scholarship is required to acquire sufficient practical knowledge of production and testing of Marine Machinery. The extenion is to be spent- 3 months on construction of ships, and the balance of 5 months in the design office of any ship building firm.

4. My professor, is of the opinion that the extension is better spent concentrating on Marine Engineering only leaving design of ships. If the Government approves of it, I shall arrange to spend the extension of 8 months in-Dredgin machinery, Marine gas Turbines, auxiliaries like winches, steering gears etc, and desing office work. Extension is thus necessary either for studying construction and design of ships or going more thoroughly and completely into Marine Engineering.

Thanking you in anticipation, I remain, Dear Sir, Yours obediently,

(Sgd) D.V. Narasimhan.

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SUNDERLAND TECHNICAL COLLEGE

SUNDERLAND

CO. DURHAM

4th October 1947.

The High Commissioner for India,
Education Department,
London.

Dear Sir,

Re. D.V. Narasimham-E.A. 5229-Extension
of scholarship.

I have pleasure in supporting Mr. D.V. Narasimham's application for the extension of his scholarship, in order to obtain more practical experience in the construction and design of engines for marine propulsion. Important post-war developments are taking place in this field, and I think that the minimum of time required to obtain a working knowledge of these developments would be twelve months.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd) D.A. Wrangham.

Principal.

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AIRMAIL.

No. F3-11/45-ODIV
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

NEW DELHI, the 10th December, 1947.

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From

Sir Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar, O.B.E., D.SC. F.R.S.
Secretary to the Government of India,

To

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

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
13 DEC
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Subject:- Advanced studies overseas in respect of Mr. V.M.I. Nambisan, 1945 scholar, extension in the period of scholarship.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry letter of even number dated 4th November, 1947 on the above subject, and to request that the Provincial Government's decision on the case may kindly be communicated to the Government of India telegraphically, since the High Commissioner for India, London has reminded this Ministry in the matter.

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

DK Huigorani
for Secretary.

H.K.B.

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The main file on the subject was sent to Dev/Fin for remarks with this Depts v.o. no: 41854 Cr/47-3 Edn d 20-11-47. Dev/Fin. may ~~now~~ be requested to return the file with their remarks urgently.

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No. 114565 DI/47 d. 3.12.47. This may also be sent to Fin Dept in continuation

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Dev. U.O. No. 124898 DI/47-1
15.12.47

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Please see my file.

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(DS has seen my file)

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New Delhi

Reference your letter (No) F.3-11/47-OD IV (dated) November Fourth regarding Messrs V. M. S. Nambisan ~~and~~ D. V. Narasimhan, 1945 Scholars Stop. This Govt agree to extension of scholarships upto January 49 and August 48 respectively Stop. (It is) presumed (that the Govt of) India ~~(will)~~ bear half (the) Cost (for the) Extension period also.

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PC to Secy to the Govt of India, Ministry of Edn, New Delhi, 3

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
16 JAN 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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LONDON

F3/11/45/OD IV REFERENCE YOUR LETTERS NOS EA2541 AND EA5229 DATED NINTH AND THIRTEENTH OCTOBER 1947 REGARDING EXTENSIONS IN SCHOLARSHIP PERIOD FOR MESSRS V M I NAMBISAN AND D V NARASIMHAN 1945 MADRAS SCHOLARS AAA PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT AGREE TO EXTENSION IN RESPECT OF NAMBISAN UPTO JANUARY 1947 AND IN CASE OF NARASIMHAN UPTO AUGUST 1948 AS SUGGESTED IN OUR ENDORSEMENT EVEN NUMBER DATED NOVEMBER FOURTH AAA GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ALSO AGREE TO EXTENSIONS IN BOTH CASES

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Post copy by air mail.

Copy by air mail to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department, Madras with reference to his telegram dated 26.12.47. M/s V.M.I. Nambisan and D.V. Narasimhan will continue to be treated as Provincial Government sponsored scholars, the expenditure in respect of whom will be shared between the Provincial and Central Governments.

DKHingorani

for Secretary
Ministry of Education
Government of India
New Delhi 3, the 3rd January, 1948.

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Extract from file bearing No. 55771 C2-46.

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From the Government of India, Edn. Department No.F.3-11/46-EIV dated 8-10-46.

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Overseas scholarships - 1945-46. - Sri D.V. Narasimhan.

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Sri D.V. Narasimhan:

Sri D.V. Narasimhan was selected in 1945-46 for the award of a scholarship in "Marine Engineering - Design of ships and power boats". The candidate, after completion of training, is meant to be absorbed in the "Industries". The Devt. Department has proposed (in their 'A' return) 'post graduate course' in the United Kingdom for this candidate. The H.C. for India arranged for his admission into Sunderland Tech. College, U.K., for B.Sc., degree. Sri Narasimhan has now asked for permission to follow up his B.Sc., Degree and take B.Sc. (Hons) Degree. The High Commr. has recommended his case on the ground that the extension in the scholarship desired by the candidate is only for six months and this would add considerably to Sri Narasimhan's experience. There seems to be no objection to grant the extension asked for. Similar extensions have been allowed in certain other cases. Please see para 1 on page 4 ante. Devt. and Fin. may see for acceptance.

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With reference to "M" on page 39 c.f. it may be stated that Sri Narasimhan is meant for absorption in the "Industries" and that too is not guaranteed. The Govt. of India may be told that the candidate should be informed accordingly.

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M.V.S./2-11-46.

Devt. Department

To A.S.

pp.39-41 c.f. and notes from "W" on p 15 above may be perused. The proposal at "R" on p 15 above and "R" p 16 above may be agreed to in this Department. The file may be passed on the Finance Department.

A.S.N./11-11-46.

Finance

~~Previous note of Fin. on pp~~ 8-10 above.

Please see the further note of E & P.H. from p 10 above. The proposals of E & P.H. at 'K' on page 15 above may be agreed to. 'R' on page 16 above need not be objected to; the case returned to E & P.H.. No remarks seem called for on 'P' on p 15 above at this stage.

C.O.C./21-11-46.

above **E &PH(C.2.)**

Please see the notes on pp 15-16 ante regarding the course of studies for Sri D.V. Narasimham. The H.C. has since recommended the

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candidates request for doing the M.Sc. course instead of the B.Sc.(Hons) course. Development and Fin. have already agreed to Sri Narasimham taking his B.Sc.(Hons). There seems to be no objection to permitting the candidate now to do his M.Sc. instead of B.Sc.(Hons). as the Govt. of India have stated that this would make no material difference regarding his subject of study & the duration of his scholarship (2½ years)

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They may see a.i.
M.V.S.

The draft letter to the Govt. of India is for approval. It does not seem necessary that Devt. and Fin. should again see.

I.B.M./7-12-46   M.V.S./7-1-46

Issued p.9 cf

Dev.Deptt.

To A.S. pp5-7 cf

CI 49 3/51 c.f. E & P.H. notes above and the letter issued at p (53) 9 c.f. may be perused and the file may be passed on to Fin.Deptt.

A.S.N./13-12-46.

Finance Deptt

Previous Fin. note on pp 16-17 1 above

Further note of E&PH on page 17 above and the letter to the Govt. of India on page (53) 9 c.f. may be perused, and the case returned to E & P.H.

C.O.C./17-12-46.

E.P.H. Dept (C2)

From the Govt. of India Edn. Dept, No. F.3-11/45-OD IV dated 13.5.47.

pp 13–17 CF

Please see the notes above and the letter of the Govt. of India on pages 13-17 cf. It seems the suggestion of the Govt. of India that Sri Narasimhan may be given practical training for a period of 6 to 12 months after June 1947 may be accepted. Sri Narasimhan reached the U.K. in Jany 1946 and so if six to twelve months' training after June 1947 is given to him, the total period of his studies abroad would come to about 2 to 2½ years. The Govt. have already agreed to a 2½ years' training for this candidate ~~and~~

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Dept. may see the case for remarks.

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To A.S.

DEV. Dept.

UNDER SECRETARY
21 MAY 1947
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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

The letter from the Govt of India at p.p. 13-17 c.f. and the notes ~~from~~ of EYPH from p.1 above may be perused. On the circumstances reported, this dept. need not object to the suggestion ~~also may perhaps raise objection to the note~~ of EYPH, at 'A' on p. 2 above. ~~as the govt of India is reported to be not ignoring the interests of the candidates of this province while making such suggestions~~.

With the above remarks, the file may be returned to EYPH.

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A draft letter to the Govt. of India is put up.

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p19 cf   Issued as Lr No. 41854 C2/47-2 Edn d/ 2-6-47

pp21-22 cf   From the G. of I. No. F.3-11/47-OD IV d/ 4-11-47

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Pl see the letter from the Govt of India and its enclosures on pp 21-33 cf. Mr. V.M.I. Nambissan was awarded an overseas Scholarship in 1945-46 for advanced Studies in "Electro-chemistry with special reference to acids". He is meant to be absorbed in Industries (Govt and private enterprise) after the completion of his Studies. Mr. Nambissan left for U.K. on 22-12-45 and reached that Country on 14-1-46. His Scholarship has commenced from the date on which he landed at U.K. His scholarship will expire

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y Jan' 48 after the normal two year
riod allowed for each scholar. In the
ircumstances stated on p25 cf, the the
cholar requests that his scholarship
ay be extended upto Jan 49 to enable him
take a Ph.D. degree. The Professor of the College
which Mr. Nambisan is a student, the H.C.
for India, London and the Govt. of India
recommend that Mr. Nambisan's Scholarship
may be extended upto Jan '49. This involves
an extension of study for the scholar for
a period of one year. It is not unusual
to give such extension in deserving
cases. As the scholar is intended for
absorption in Industries after the completion
of his studies, Dev. may consider the case
with particular reference to the utilisation of
Mr. Nambisan's services on return to India.

p27 cf

p23 cf

pp21-22 cf

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E&PH

As regards Mr. D.V. Narasimhan,
pl. see the notes on pp 1-3 above and the reply
sent to the G of I on p19 cf. Further extension
of study for the scholar for 4 months is required
with ~~Spa~~ reference to the letters on 29-33 cf and
India's letter on pp21-22 cf. The total period
of extension of study for Mr. Narasimham
will be about 8 months, if the present
request is complied with. As he is intended
for absorption in Industries, Dev. may consider
his case with special reference to the utilisation of
his services on return to India.

Dev. and Fin. may see
for remarks.

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Dev. Dept

To. AS Please see the letter from the
and its enclosures on
govt of India and the notes of the E&PH
pp 21-33 cf and ~~cf~~ above. Mr. V.M. N
on pp-3-4

pp 21-33 cf

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R on p25 cf

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pp21-23 cf

Nambisan, 1945 deputationist of the Madras Govt
requests that his scholarship may be extended
upto Jan 1949 to enable him to get the Ph.D
Degree. The professor of the college in
which Mr. Nambisan is a student, the
High Commissioner for India London, and the
Govt of India support the request of
Mr. Nambisan. Generally such extensions
are granted in deserving cases. With regard
to 'M' on p 4 ante, the DI&C may be consulted
for orders.

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p31 cf

p33 cf
and p21 cf

Mr. D.V. Narasimhan, ~~1945~~ another 1945
scholar requests extension of study upto
August '48. Mr. Narasimhan was already
granted an extension of study upto June 1948
so as to enable him to undergo practical
training in Marine Engineering in the U.K. His
deputation will naturally expire by June, 1948.
Further extension of two months is recommended
by the High Commissioner for India, London
and the Govt of India. In this case also
the DI&C may be consulted. Subject
to orders, a draft Memo to the DI&C is
submitted below for approval.

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25.11.47

(1) 'M' on p4 is not indicated.
(2) This page has not been numbered
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~~[illegible] to show cause why~~
~~[illegible]~~.

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27.11.47

Resubmitted.

'M' on p.4 has been indicated and this page has been numbered. The omissions are very much regretted. I shall be very careful in future.

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28.11.47

Both the candidates mentioned above are private candidates to whom scholarships

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[For private candidates as distinguished from Govt. scholars]

have been awarded under the Scheme of the Govt. of India, Education Dept. and the expenditure is shared equally by the Provl. & Central Govts. As regards 'M' on p 4 above, it is submitted that the candidates have not been sent for training against the need to fill up any particular post on return to India but have been sent for training on the possibility of their appointment either under Govt. or in any private industrial concerns (in due course). In the circumstances, it is not possible for this dept. to premise its remarks regarding the proposal to extend the period of training of the candidate with 'particular reference to the utilisation of Mr. Nambisan's services on return to India''

Vide 'M' on p 4 above

The proposals for the extension of the period of training of both the candidates — as set out in the notes of E&PH at pp 3-4 above — have therefore to be supported in this dept. for the reason that such extension would enable the scholars to complete satisfactorily the course of studies undertaken by them and such satisfactory completion underlies the object of the award of scholarship. For orders whether the extension ~~may~~ will therefore be supported in this dept., subject of course to the condition that the Govt. of India will ~~[illegible]~~ continue to share the expenditure for the extended period of training also — vide Remarks of Secy, E&PH at 'R' on p 4 above.

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[There is no need to consult the DISE as indicated in the notes at 'B' & 'C' on p 5 above and the draft memo has been held back]

×[as the Govt. also gave a categorical reply to this pt.]

After orders are passed on the above note, the case may be passed on to Fin. Dept.

×A on p 6 above

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Extensions of the scholarship may be supported

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Dev. U.O. No 11456 DI/47-1
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Finance (E.III).

The usual period of scholarship for private scholars sponsored by the Govt. for overseas studies under the Govt. of India scheme, is two years. The proposal in the file is to extend the period of scholarship of two scholars of the 1945-6 batch beyond two years as shown below.

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P21 CF & p4 above

Name	Subject	Period of extension
(i) Mr.V.M.Nambissan	Electro-chemistry with special reference to acids	From January 1948 to January 1949 (for one year)
(ii) Mr.D.V.Narasimhan	Marine Engineeeing Design of ships and power boats	From January48 to August 1948 (8 months)

2. Item (i) above. The necessity for the extension of the scholarship is explained in the note of E.P.H from XX on p. ~~4~~ 34 above. Development support the proposal to extend the scholarship up to January 1949. This Department may agree.

Y on p 6 above
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3. Item (ii) The Govt. have already agreed to extend the scholarship of the candidate for six months to one year from June 1947- please see theletter on p.19 C.F. The proposal to extend the scholarship further up to August 1948 which has been agreed to in Dept. may be agreed to in this Department also.

see p 22 CF
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4. E.P.H will no doubt ~~obtain the concurrence of the~~ express the presumption as at 'R' on p 4 above while replying to the Govt. of India for sharing the expenditure ~~as~~ on the uusual 50:50 basis during the period of extension of scholarships in both cases. ~~please see R on p.4 above & express the presumption~~

R on p 4 above
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Fin will be grateful if a statement could be prepared showing the various cases in which extensions have so far been granted, the subjects in which these scholars are undergoing training, the period of extension in each case and the ~~total~~ extra cost ~~thus~~ govt. as a result of the extension.

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E.P.H

ED&PH (E2)

The notes from the middle of p 3 ante may be perused. With ref. to 'A' above action may be taken after a reply is sent to the GoI. in the matter. A draft telegram is submitted. It may issue after approval by H.M (Edn) and H.M (Ind.)

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× Vide reminder from the GoI on p 35 CF

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Issue Telegram

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[Issamuel Take action with ref. to A on p 7 ante

(Issued as Telegram d/ 21-12-47) p37cf

From the G. of I., No. F. 3-11/45-ODIV d/ 3-1-48 p39cf

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The G. of I. have agreed to share half the cost of training of Messrs V.M.I. Nambissan and D.V. Narasimham for the period of their extension of studies agreed to by this Govt. in the telegram on p37cf.

With ref. to 'A' on p7 ante, necy extracts have been taken for separate action.

No further action is called for on these papers. They may be

G.O./Ms No. ~~15~~9/161 Edn d/ 23-1-48.

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Sub Tech. Edn. Overseas – 1945 – Messrs V.M.I. Nambissan & D.V. Narasimhan – Extensions in the periods of scholarships granted papers – Recorded.

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S. Murthy & Co printers Madras PSG

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Please see the telegram overleaf. The scholar has already been given one extension and that period expires only in Jan 49. As there is still time to consider further extension, the post copy of the telegram, with relevant papers referred to in the telegram, may be awaited. These papers may also contain the information whether the [illegible] will meet 50% of the cost of further extension or not.

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Post copy in confirnation by air mail to the secretary to the Government of Madras Education and Public Health Department, Madras. A copy of letter No.EA.5241 dated the 28th July, 1948 with enclosure from the High Commissioner for India London together with the copy of a Progress Report in respect of Mr. Nambissan is forwarded herewith.

pp 5-10 infra

Copy forwarded ~~tax~~ By Air Mail to the High Commissioner for India Education Department, India House, Aldwych, London W.C.2 with reference to his letter No.EA5241 dated the 28th July, 1948 and 31st August, 1948 and in continuation of this Ministry letter of even number dated the 14th September, 1948.

By order,

for Secretary.
Government of Indi
Ministry of Education.
New Delhi, the Nov. 1948

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3.11.48.

Copy of letter No.E.A.5241 dated the 28th July, 1948 from the High Commissioner for India, Education Department London to the Ministry of Education, New Delhi,

Subject:-Mrx. V.M.I.Nambissan Madras scholar

ATTENTION MR. P.N. KIRPAL.

This scholar requires an extension of his scholarship until June 1949, His scholarship at present expires on 13th January, 1949 Professor Allmand of King's College University of London, has given a very strong recommendation and I attach a copy of that letter in support of my recommendation. I request that the decision of the sponsoring Government may be communicated as early as possible.

p7 infra

Copy of letter No.X.AJA/KEC. dated the 19th July, 1948 from the University of London King's College, to the Secretary, Education Department, London.

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, I can say that I have a very good opinion of Mr. V.N. Nambissan and of his work. He is very intelligent, a diligent student, and a pleasant young man to get on with personally.

In order that he should be able to present a thesis which is likely to be acceptable for the degree of Ph.D. it may be necessary for him to continue his experimental work from now until next Easter, and certainly until next Christmas. You realise, of course, that the two years course for the Ph.D. degree is the minimum time prescribed by the University, and in a great many cases ar extension over this limit is necessary. This is so in Mr. Nambissan's case. It would, therefore, be safer and would give him time to write his thesis satisfactorily if his scholarship could be extended until the end of next June. If this is not possible it may mean that his thesis work would be scamped, with possible unsatisfactory results.

You will gather that I recommend strongly that such an extension be granted. If you wish to discuss the matter with me personally, I shall be only too glad to come to India House before the end of the month.

EDN. DEPT. FORM 32C.

REPORT.

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Name in block capitals V.M.I. NAMBISSAN

Scholarship Madras Government

Government Madras

Date of commencement of scholarship.	15th January 1946
Subject for which awarded -	Electroplating.
Course of study or training sanctioned and date of approval. Degree sought and date of examination.	Research in Electro-chemistry - October 1946. Ph.D. degree of University of London. It is hoped to be able to submit the thesis by February 1949.
University, College or Works in which scholar is pursuing his training.	King's College, University of London -Chemistry Research Department.
Course of study or training attended during Session 19 47 —19 48.	-The said course of Research -
All Examinations (including subjects) taken and results and date. [In the Final Examination the degree or diploma obtained should be stated, with subjects taken and honours, if any.]	-
Any Prizes or other Distinctions	-

FOR STUDENTS TAKING PRACTICAL TRAINING:

Name of Firm.	Period.	Nature of training.
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Secretary, Education Department,
Office of the High Commissioner for India,
India House,
Aldwych,
London, W.C. 2.

Signed (Sd.) V.M.I. NAMBISSAN.

Date 2nd October, 1948.

Memo.—Report required overleaf should in all cases be obtained **before** this report is returned.

H.B.S. 1500 12/44

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University, College or Works Report on the work of the Scholar during the period under review :—

Mr. V.M.I.Nambissan has worked deligently,intelligently, and to my entire satisfaction during the past twelve months.

The subject of his work (Electrodeposited Silver - Cadmium Alloys - their nature and the conditions of their formation) has proved of much interest, and some of his results are novel and surprising, demanding close study for their elucidation. I have been very favourably impressed by the manner in which Mr. Nambissan has attacked his problems, which require accurate and sometimes difficult experimental work, together with a critical and discriminating consideration of the results.

(Sgd) A.F. ALLMAND

4.10.1948.

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DEPARTMENTAL OBSERVATIONS.

(a) Course of study or training being carried out during the current vacation (1st July to 30th September,1948).

Continuation of the course of research for the Ph.D.degree in Electro-Chemistry at the King's College,London till 31st July.
23rd August to September 4th - Summer School Course in X-Ray Crystallography at the University of Cambridge.

September 4th to September 30th continuation of Research.

(b) Proposed course of study during the year 1st October 1948 to 30th September 1949.

Continuation of the Course of Research at the King's College, London.

(c) Mr. Nambissan's work in this country has been uniformly of a high standard. He impressed all with whom he worked or came into contact.

J N Khosla.

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F.3-11/S-39/45-S2 REFERENCE THIS MINISTRY TELEGRAM EVEN NUMBER NOVEMBER THIRD REGARDING EXTENSION OF SHOLARSHIP 1945 MADRAS SCHOLAR V M I NAMBISSAN AAA EXPEDITE DECISION AS SCHOLARSHIP EXPIRES JANUARY THIRTEENTH FORTYNINE AAA

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1. Post copy in confirmation to the Secretary to the the Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department,Madras.

2. Copy forwarded by Air Mail to the High Commissioner for India,Education Department, India House,Aldwych,London, W.C.2. in continuation of this Ministry endorsement of even number dated 3rd November, 1948. Final decision on the extension of Scholarship of Mr.V.M.I.Nambissan will be communicated on receipt of reply from the Government of Madras.

By Order,

for Secretary,
Government of India, Ministry of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 18th December, 1948.

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Telegram

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New Delhi.

Your F3-11/S.39/45.S2 dated Nov ~~3rd~~ third regarding Nambisan fortyfive Scholar aaa Extension granted upto June fortynine aaa Presumed India meet half expenditure aaa Please Confirm.

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Ministry of Edu.
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NOVEMBER THIRD AND TELEGRAPHIC REMINDER DECEMBER EIGHTEENTH REGARDING

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FURTHER EXTENSION OF SCHOLARSHIP OF 1945 MADRAS SPONSORED SCHOLA

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Reply sent in the telegram of 28.12.48 at p 13 ante.

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No. F.3-11/S.39/45.S2.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

NEW DELHI 3, DATED THE 5th JANUARY, 1949.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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From

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

To

The High Commissioner for India,
Education Department,
India, House, Aldwych,
London, W.C.2.

Subject:- Advanced Studies Abroad - in respect of Mr. V.M.I. Nambissan, 1945-1946 Madras Government Sponsored Scholar.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter No. E.A.5241 dated 28th July, 1948, on the subject mentioned above and to state that Government agree to the extension of Scholarship of Mr.V.M.I.Nambissan up to June, 1949 so as to enable the scholar to complete his studies for the Ph.D. degree in Electroplating at the King's College University of London. The additional expenditure involved will be shared equally by the Government of India with the Government of Madras.

Yours faithfully,

(Vikram Singh).
for Secretary.

No.F.3-11/S.39/45.S.2.

Copy forwarded to :-

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The Secretary to the Government of Madras Education and Public Health Department Madras. with reference to his telegram No. Nil dated 28th December, 1948. It is confirmed that the Government of India will share equally with the Provincial Government, the additional cost involved in the extension of scholarship of Mr. V.M.I. Nambissam up to June 1949.

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3) Progress Assistant S.2.

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By Order,

Vikram Singh

(Vikram Singh),
for Secretary.

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No. F.3-11/S.39/45.S.2.
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 2nd June ~~May~~, 1949.

From

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

To

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

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

SUBJECT:- SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS - REPORTS IN RESPECT OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENTS SPONSORED SCHOLARS IN UNITED KINGDOM.

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Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith, for the information of the Provincial Government a copy of the Progress Report together with his Employment (a) Form in duplicate in respect of Mr. V.M.I.Nambissan a 1945-46 Government of Madras sponsored scholar.

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(a) Separate action being taken

Yours faithfully,
Vikram Singh 1/6
(Vikram Singh)
for Secretary.

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EDN. DEPT. FORM 32C.

REPORT.

1948—1949

Name in block capitals V. M. I. NAMBISSAN

Scholarship

Government MADRAS

Date of commencement of scholarship.	January 1946
Subject for which awarded -	Electrochemistry
Course of study or training sanctioned and date of approval. Degree sought and date of examination.	Electrochemistry - October 1946 Ph.D. June 1949
University, College or Works in which scholar is pursuing his training.	King's College, London
Course of study or training attended during Session 1948—1949.	Research in Electrochemistry for Ph.D. degree.
All Examinations (including subjects) taken and results and date. [In the Final Examination the degree or diploma obtained should be stated, with subjects taken and honours, if any.]	Thesis for Ph.D. degree submitted in April, 1949. Examination due in May or June 1949.
Any Prizes or other Distinctions	

FOR STUDENTS TAKING PRACTICAL TRAINING:

Name of Firm.	Period.	Nature of training.

Secretary, Education Department,
Office of the High Commissioner for India,
India House,
Aldwych,
London, W.C. 2.

Signed V. M. I. Nambissan

Date 27. 4. 49.

Memo.—Report required overleaf should in all cases be obtained **before** *this report is returned.*

H.B.S. 1500 12/44

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University, College or Works Report on the work of the Scholar during the period under review :—

Mr. Nambissan's work and progress have continued to be satisfactory. I am sorry that he is leaving, and hope he will get the good post he deserves.

(Signed) A. F. Allemand
Professor of Chemistry
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DEPARTMENTAL OBSERVATIONS.

Mr. Nambissan has been studying at King's College for the last three years and has just presented the result of his work in the form of a thesis. He is a reliable and diligent student and is popular with the staff and with his fellow-students.

J. N. Khosla Deputy Secretary
9. 5. 49.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

No. F.3-11/S.39/45 S.II
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, the 2nd August, 1949- 37

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

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

Subject: Scholarships for advanced studies overseas in respect of Mr. V.M.I. Nambisain - 1945-46 Madras Government sponsored scholar.

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Sir,

p19 ante

I am directed to refer to the correspondence ending with this Ministry's letter of even number dated 2nd June, 1949 on the above subject and to state that information has been received from the High Commissioner for India, in London that Mr. V.M.I. Nambisan sailed for India on the S.S. Jal Azad on 12th July, 1949. I am to request that the exact date of his arrival and the position in regard to his employment may kindly be communicated to this Ministry in due course.

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Vikram Singh 4/8
(Vikram Singh)
for Secretary.

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No. F.3-11/5.30/45 E.II
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, the 2nd August, 1949.

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

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

Subject: Scholarships for advanced studies overseas
In respect of Dr. V.M.I. Nambisan -
1945-46 Madras Government sponsored schola

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Dr. V. M. I. Nambissan
M.A., Ph.D.

Koromme [illegible]
Paiyyanur P.O.
N. Malabar Dt.
11th August 1949

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
12 AUG 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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Dear Sir

I am a Government of Madras scholar who went to U.K. in Dec. 1945. I wish to report I have now returned home after duly completing my course of studies abroad and taking the degree of Ph.D. in Electrochemistry from the University of London. I landed at Bombay on the 4th of August 1949.

I wish to place myself at the service of my country and the Government.

Yours faithfully,
V M Nambissan

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To

The Secy to the Govt.
Ministry of Edn
New Delhi.3.

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Sir,

V. M. I. Nambissan - 1945 Scholar

I am directed to state that Sri V. M. I. Nambissan has reported his return to India on 11.8.49. His address is:

Dr. V. M. I. Nambissan. M.A. Ph.D.
Korome Amsom
Payyanur P.O.
North Malabar

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DR. V. M. I. NAMBISSAN,
M.A., Ph.D. (Lond.)

28, Rama Iyengar Road,
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Madras, 15-9-1949.

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To
The Chief Secretary
Government of Madras.

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M.O. 1788/49-1 16/9/49

Dear Sir

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I am a Scholar sent by Government of Madras in December 1945 for higher studies in the United Kingdom. After successful completion of the work assigned to me, I returned to India on August 4th this year.

I have already made formal intimations to the Secretary, Education Dept., and to the Secretary, Development Dept. I have received no other reply except a communication from the Education Dept. that I am to wait for five months before relief from the bond.

I wish to place before you the fact that it is very hard for us to wait for so long a period as five months without adequate work.

I also understand that when the~~y~~ Govt.

scholars apply for 27 ~~posts~~ advertised by the Federal or other Public Service Commissions, they need not pay the required application fees. I shall be obliged if you could confirm whether this is so, and through which dept. I should send the applications for the above-mentioned concession.

Hoping to be favoured with an early communication,

Yours faithfully
Unni Nambissan

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Overseas Scholarships - 1948-'6.

pp 26-27 cf

From Dr. V. M. I. Nambissan d/ 15.9.49

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With ref. to his letter read above, Sri Nambissan is informed that the Govt have no information that the Overseas Scholars are exempted from the payment of the application fees for posts advertised by the F.P.S.C. or other Public Service Commissions. He is also informed that applns to any of the bodies should be sent through the Secy to the Govt, the P.H. Dept, Fort St George, Madras. The question of his employment is under the consideration of the Govt.

To

Dr. V. M. I. Nambissan.
M.A., Ph.D. (Lond.)
20, Rama Iyengar Rd.
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Madras.

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Advanced Studies Overseas. 1945-'6.
Sri V.M.I. Nambisan - Scholarship -
Period - further extension.

p 3 c.f.

from the Secy, Ministry of Edn.
F3-11/45 OD.10 of 3.11.48.

The proposal is to extend the scholarship of Sri V.M.I. Nambisan for a further period of 5 months from 13th Jan '49 to June '49. Sri Nambisan was selected in 1945-'6 for advanced studies in "Electro-Chemistry with special reference to Acids" and is intended for absorption in the Industries Dept.

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His scholarship commenced on 14.1.'46. He reached the U.K. on that date and as he found that no proper arrangements had been made as to the institution in which he was to undergo training he joined the Northampton Polytechnic as a research student for the Ph.D. Degree of the London University. These research facilities were however found to be inadequate and not to the liking of the scholar and he had to give them up. With the help of the India House he later on got admission in the Kings College, London for Ph.D. Course of the London University, from Oct 1946. The period from Jan to Oct '46 was thus lost to the scholar. In view of this and in view of certain difficulties inherent in the subject of his research, the scholar could not complete the Ph.D. Course within 2 yrs of his scholarship. He was therefore given 1 yr extension upto Jan '49 to complete the Ph.D. Course.

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2. The 2 yrs course for the Ph.D. degree of the London University is the minimum time prescribed by the University and in great many cases an extension over this limit is stated to be necessary. Sri Nambisan has not been able to ~~comp~~ submit his thesis within the 1 yr extension granted to him and the High Commr has recommended a further extension till June 49. The Prof. under whom the scholar is working has also strongly recommended the extension. He has stated that if this extension is not possible it may mean that the scholar's thesis work would be scamped, with possible unsatisfactory results.

p 7 Cf.

p 5 Cf.

3. In the circumstances, the further extension asked for may be granted. The Govt have granted extensions for a total period of 1½ yrs. The G of I have not stated whether they agree to the extension ~~and~~ will meet half the cost. ~~The presumption~~ That the G of I will continue to meet half the cost may be ~~put to them~~ presumed ~~they may be~~ informed So. The remarks of Dev & Fin may be invited before circulation.

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Dev:
Fin:

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FIFTH ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

A.S.

Dev. Dept.

The E & P.H. Dept. notes on pp1-2 above may be perused. In the circumstances this Dept. may agree to the proposals of 'A' above. The file may be passed on to Fin.

CPG 29.11.48 J.S.

26.11.48

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Please see the notes of E & P.H. on pages 1-2 above. In the circumstances explained, this deptt. may agree with the views of E & P.H. at A on page 2 above.

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The notes from p 1 ante may be perused. Dev & Fin agree with this Deptt to grant further extension in the period of scholarship of Sri V.M.I. Nambisan, upto June 1949. A draft telegram to the G of I is submitted for approval. May be circulated for approval.

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4/12 M. (Edn) ✓
M. (H.S.) ✓
M. (Fin.)

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Please see the minute of HM (Fin) on p-3 ante. For orders whether this draft telegram below may issue as HM's remarks seem to be ~~incidental~~ only ('by the way').

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