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[Despatch Abstract.]

Overseas Scholarships - 1947-'8.
Mr. H. S. S. Lawrence - Admission -
Correspondence - Recorded.

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Back Papers.

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Extract from the Govt. of India, Edn.Dept., letter No.F.4-2-47-OD.IV dated 18th June 1947.

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Scholarships for advanced studies overseas 1947-48
Madras Provincial Govt. Scheme.

...... the Govt. of India agree, subject to what is stated ... below, to pay half the total cost of training in respect of the following candidates recommended by the Government of Madras for overseas scholarships.

Name	Subject for which selected.
10. Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence.	Educational administration with specialisation in various aspects e.g. recreation and social activities and juvenile employment.

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It is requested that the Provincial Government may at an early date indicate the exact field of specialisation which they desire Mr. Lawrence to undertake, the precise nature of the training which he should receive abroad and the nature of the work, as exactly as possible, which he is likely to be called upon to do on his return from abroad.

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Dev. Dept.

Memo No. 60929 DI/47-1 d 3.7.47.

Sub. Education - Technical Training abroad - scholarships for advanced studies overseas 1947-48 - Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence.

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~~As per the 'A' returns Mr. Harris~~ A candidate has been ~~Sam Sahayam Lawrence~~ was selected for overseas scholarships for training in 'Educational Administration with specialisation in various subject e.g. recreation and social activities and juvenile employment which was one of the subjects proposed by the D.I.&c. The D.I.&c. is requested ~~to specify~~ report urgently the exact field of specialisation which ~~he desires~~ ~~Mr. Lawrence to~~ the candidate desired undertake, the precise nature of the training which he is expected ~~expected to~~ him to receive abroad and the nature of the work which he is likely to be called upon to do on his return from abroad.

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3.7.47

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Ro. the D.I.&c.
R. 15.7.47.

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2/18/7 (V) Memo no. 60929 D1/47-2 dt 16-7-47

Sub. Education – Technical Training abroad – Scholarships for advanced studies overseas, 1947-48 – Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawerence

Ref: Govt. Memo no 60924 D1/47-1 dt 3.7.47)

The DtE is requested to state urgently when his reply to the Govt. memo cited above may be expected.

AM
16.7.47

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16.7.47

Despd 21/7.

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14.7.47

To
The DtE

15.7.47

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Memo. no. 60929 DI/47 – 3 Dt 28.7.47.

Sub.: Education – Technical training abroad – Scholarships for advanced studies overseas – 1947-48 Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawerance.

Ref: Govt Memo no. 60929 DI/47 – 2 Dt 16.7.47)

The D.I&C is requested to send ~~state~~ urgently ~~whose~~ his reply to the government memo cited above. ~~may be expected~~.

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28.7.47

To the D I&C.
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INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT

No.3267-C3/46 dated 31-7-1947.

From
Sri Rao Bahadur N.M.
Adyanthaya, B.Sc, (Edin).,
Joint Director of Industries
and Commerce,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.

DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
2 AUG 1947

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
10 AUG 1947
MADRAS

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Sir,

Sub: Education - Technical Training Abroad - Scholarships for advanced studies Overseas 1947 -48- Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawerence.
Ref : Government Memorandum No.60929 D1/47-1 dated 3-7-1947.

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The field of specialisation may be psychological intelligence and other aptitude tests to be employed in educational instiutions. The nature of the training may be a study of the different methods and appliances now employed in Universities, army, air force, navy and other educational institutions for the selection of boys with a view to giving Vocational guidance. The candidate trained will be useful to the Education Department, in connection with the scheme of bifurcated High Schools.

1-8-47
for Director of Industries & Commerce.

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U.O Note No. 57785 C2/47-6 Edn d/ 12-9-47

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Sub. Overseas Scholarships - 1947 - Edn Administration - ~~detailed~~ Details of ~~studies~~ Study for Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence

The DPI may be requested to expedite his reply to this Dept. U.O reference No. 51785 C2/47-5 d/ 3-9-47 on the subject cited.

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⑩ Memo. No. 51785 C-2(47)-7 Edn. d/ 25-9-47. E-30 H(c2)

Sub. Overseas Scholarships - 1947-48 -
Mr H.S.S. Lawrence.

Ref: G.O. No. 1811 Edn d/ 12-8-47.

Mr H.S.S. Lawrence is informed that it has since been ~~f~~ found not possible to award an overseas Scholarship to him for the subject, "Educational Administration with ~~special reference~~ Specialisation in various aspects, e.g. recreation and Social activities and juvenile employment". He is, however, requested to state immediately whether he is willing to accept the Scholarship for either of the following courses of study:-

p8-y

(1) Specialisation in Economics at the London School of Economics leading to a Ph.D. degree.

(2) Teachers' training in the Columbia University, U.S.A.

25-9-47

To
Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence,
Y.M.C.A.
Marina Canteen,
Triplicane,
Madras.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
26 SEP 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

H. S. S. Lawrence B.A. (Hons).
Station Y.M.C.A. Marina Canteen, Triplicane
Dated 25/9/1947.

The Secretary to Government
Education and Public Health Dept
Fort St George.

pp 13-14 ante

Sir,

Reference your letter No. 51785 C2/47-7 EDN dated 25-9-47 I beg to state that I am willing to accept the scholarship for either 'Specialisation in Economics at the London School of Economics' or Teachers' training in the Columbia University. I have always had a liking for higher studies in Economics ~~and~~ so that I may be absorbed in the Education Department.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Yours faithfully
H.S.S. Lawrence.

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Y.M.C.A. Hostel
Canteen, Triplicane
25/9/1947.

The Secretary to Government
Education and Public Health Dept
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Reference your letter No. 51785 C2/47-7 EDN dated 25-9-47, I beg to state that I am willing to accept the scholarship for either specialisation in Economics at the London School of Economics or Teachers' training in the Columbia University. I have always had a liking for teaching practice in Economics ~~and~~ so that I may be absorbed in the Education Department.

By Air Mail

Letter No. 51785 C2/47-8 Edn dt 30-9-47

To The Secy to the G of I,
Ministry of Edn,
New Delhi, 3

Dep PAM
30/9

Sir

Overseas Scholarships - 1947-48 - Mr H.S.S. Lawrence.

Ref your letter No F-4-2/47 OD IV d 18-6-47

Extract on p 14 F

I am directed to invite a reference to the Govt of India's letter cited above in so far as it relates to Mr H.S.S. Lawrence, a candidate selected in 1947-48 for the award of an overseas Scholarship in "Educational Administration". It has since been found not possible to award the Candidate, a Scholarship for that subject. This Govt, however, desire that Mr Laurence should be awarded a Scholarship in "Teachers' Training" with the ultimate object of absorbing him in ~~[illegible]~~ one of the Govt Trg. Colleges. Mr. Laurence's consent-

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has also been obtained for the new course of study. I am therefore to request that the Govt. of India may be so good as to agree to award a Scholarship to Mr. Lawrence in the new course of study and to arrange for his training in the Columbia University, U.S.A.

Y.O.S.

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Copy to the DPI.

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BY AIR MAIL.

No.F.4-2/47-ODIV.
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 4th ~~Oct~~ Nov., 1947.

From

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

To

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

Subject: Scholarships for advanced studies abroad 1947-48 - Madras Government Scheme - Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence sponsored scholar.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry letter of even number, dated the 23rd June, 1947 on the subject mentioned above, in so far as it relates to Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence, a 1947-48 Madras Government sponsored scholar and to enclose herewith a copy of letter No.51785C 2/47-8, dated the 30th September, 1947, from the Government of Madras.

pp 17-18 ante

As the Provincial Government now desire that Mr. Lawrence should be awarded a scholarship in the subject "Teachers' Training" instead of in "Educational Administration" and have suggested that he should be admitted in Columbia University, I am to request you kindly to transfer his applicatio together with necessary documents to the Educational Liaison Officer to the Government of India in the U.S.A. under advice to this Ministry for necessary action.

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

Sd/- D. K. Hazora

for Secretary.

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

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Copy forwarded by air mail to the Educational Liaison Officer to the Govt. of India in the United States of America, C/o His Excellency the Ambassador for India in the U.S.A., Educational Department, Indian Embassy, Washington 8 D.C., with reference to this Ministry endorsement of even number, dated the 23rd June, 1947, in so far as it relates to Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence, a 1947-48 Madras Government sponsored scholar. A copy of letter No.51785C 2/47-8-Edn, dated the 30th September, 1947, from the Government of Madras is enclosed herewith with the request that admission for Mr. Lawrence may kindly be secured at the Columbia University for the subject "Teachers' Training" during the current year as his scholarship is conditional on the availability of admission abroad during this year. In case this is not possible; his scholarship will lapse and he will have to apply afresh next year if he so desires, provided that the Overseas Scholarship Scheme is continued.

pp 17-18 ante

2. Copy forwarded by air mail to the Secretary to the Govt. of Madras, Education and Public Health Department, Madras, with reference to his letter No.51785-C2/47.8-Edn, dated the 30th September, 1947.

pp 17-18 ante

By order,

D.P.H(C2)

Filed

DKHingorani

for Secretary.

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10-11-47

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20/10/47.

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4th November, 1947.

REF. No. PLP/257/M/AM-7.

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

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

BY
AIR MAIL

Dear Sir,

89201

MR. H.S.S.LAWRENCE CANDIDATE SPONSORED BY THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT FOR TRAINING IN THE U.S.A.

Mr. Lawrence now informs us that he has to proceed to the U.S.A. instead of U.K. and in this connection invites attention to your No.1811 EDN of the 12th August. We understand that a copy of this letter was endorsed to us but apparently has gone astray in the post.

If it has been determined that Mr. Lawrence is to proceed to America, will you kindly favour us with your instructions so that we may take suitable action accordingly.

Yours faithfully,
GOVAN BROS LTD.

PER

YDK.

25 (14) Edn H.C.

Letter No. 51785 Cr 147-9 Edn d 20-11-47

To
The American Express Coy.
C/o Messrs Govan Bros Ltd.
P.O. Box No. 10,
~~Conn~~ Scindia House.
Connaught Circus,
New Delhi.
(with encl.)

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Dear Sir

Sub Overseas Scholarships -1947-48.
Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence.

p23 CF Ref your letter No. PLP/257/M/AM-7 d 6-11-47.

I am directed to enclose a copy of this Dept's letter to the Govt. of India, No. 51785 Cr/478 Edn d 30-9-47 and to request that Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence's name may be included in the list of Candidates proceeding to the U.S.A.

Yrs Faithfully

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Copy to Messrs
Thos Cook & Son.
No. 4/5 First Line Beach
Madras
for information
(with encl.)

Copy D pp 17-18 CF

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H·S·S·LAWRENCE

Y.M.C.A.
PAKISTAN

Havelock Road
Karachi, 15th Nov 1947

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

The Secretary to Govt.,
Education & P.H. Dept.,
Madras.

92053

Sir,

Sub: Overseas Scholarship – H.S.S. Lawrence – 1947-48 – Change of Address.

I beg to inform you that my present address ~~will be~~ is Y.M.C.A. Havelock Road, KARACHI. Any communication as regards the scholarship may be sent to the above address.

I beg to remain,
Sir,
Yours faithfully
H.S. Lawrence.

ED&H(Ex)

The change of address has been noted. May be lodged.

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BY AIR MAIL.

No. F. 4-2/47.O.D.IV.
Government of India.
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi 3, the 28th November, 1947.

From
Sir Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar,
OBE., D.Sc., F.R.S.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
2-DEC 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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

Subject:- ADVANCED STUDIES ABROAD IN RESPECT OF MR. HARRIS SAM SAHAYAM LAWRENCE 1947-48 MADRAS GOVERNMENT SPONSORED SCHOLAR.

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Sir,

Copy at p.33 supra

I am directed to refer to your letter No. E.B. 947 dated 16th October, 1947 on the subject mentioned above and to refer you to this Ministry letter of even number dated 4th November, 1947, from which you will observe that the Government of Madras have since decided to award a Provincial Overseas Scholarship 1947-48 to Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence in the subject "Teachers' Training" instead of in, "Educational Administration with specialisation in various aspects e.g. recreation and social activities and juvenile employment" and that they desire that admission for him should be tried in the Columbia University United States of America, You have accordingly been requested in this Ministry letter referred to above to divert his application together with necessary documents to the United States of America. In this connection I am to request you kindly not to attach any importance to letters addressed to you direct by Provincial Government sponsored scholares regarding self proposed changes in the course of study for which they have been originally selected~~xxx~~

p.19 ante

I have the honourto be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/-

for Secretary.

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No. F. 4-2/47-O.D.IV.

p.33

Copy together with a copy of letter No. E.B.947, dated 16th October, 1947 from the High Commissioner for India, London, forwarded to:-

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

As correspondence addressed to the Educational Liaison Officers abroad direct by Provincial Government, sponsored scholars regarding their courses of studies, etc. cause much confusion, the Provincial Government were requested to impress upon all their sponsored scholars not to enter into such correspondence. They may therefore, kindly ask Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence to explain as to why he took it upon himself to such a redical change in his subject without consulting the Provincial Government and why he entered into direct communication with the High Commissioner for India, London, in that connection.

By order,

DkHingorani

for Secretary.

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Copy of letter No. E.B. 947, dated 16th October, 1947, from the High Commissioner for India, Education Department, India House, Aldwych, London, W.C.2, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Education, New Delhi.

....

I am directed to refer to your letter No. F. 4-2/47-O.D.IV, dated the 23rd June, 1947, regarding the award of scholarships for advanced studies overseas 1947-48 under the Madras Government Scheme.

On e of the candidates mentioned was Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence, who it was desired should study Educational Administration with specialisation in Recreation and Social Activities and Juvenile Employment.

Of the Universities mentioned where admission was desired, the Institutie of Education had agreed to keep places for applications from scholars received after the last date for entry, and Mr. Lawrence's papers were accordingly forwarded to the Overseas Department there, but it was not found possible to accept him owing to the fact that he had no teaching experience.

Meanwhile, however, it was noted that the Provincial Government had been asked for further particulars regarding the precise nature of the training which it was desired this candidate should have, and a letter has been received from Mr. Lawrence himself saying that he ~~x~~is to take a Doctorate in Economics at the London School of Economics.

This may kindly be confirmed as early as possible.

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Edn.& P.H.Deptt.~~(C2)~~

Letter No. 51785 C2/47 - 10 Education dated 8/12/47

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To ✓ The Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
NEW DELHI. 3

Sir,

Sub: Overseas Scholarships - 1947-48 - Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence.

Ref: Your letter No. F.4-2/47 - O D IV dated 28-11-47.

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pp 29-30 CF

With reference to your letter cited above I am directed to state that when this Government found it not possible to award a scholarship to Mr. H.S.S.Lawrence for the subject " Educational administration with specialisation in various aspects e.g. recreation and social activities and juvenile employment; " they consulted him as to whether he was prepared to accept a scholarship for either of the following courses of study.:-

pp 13-14 CF

(1) Specialisation in Economics at the London School of Economics leading to a Ph. D. degree.

(2) Teachers' Training in the Columbia University, U.S.A.

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Mr. Laurence expressed his willingness to accept a scholarship for either of the courses of study. This Government finally decided to award a scholarship to him for Teachers training. and the Govt. of India were requested in my letter No.51785 C2/47-8 Education, dated 30-9-47, to arrange for the scholars' training in the Columbia University, U.S.A. The scholar took it upon himself to address the H.C. for India, London, direct about ~~in~~ his admission into the London School of Economics without waiting for the final decision of this Government. His attention is being drawn to the instructions issued to scholars warning them not to make direct efforts to secure admission abroad without the previous permission of this Government. He is also being asked to follow this instructions ~~rigidly~~ strictly in future and to ~~make~~ direct all enquiries regarding his scholarship, to this Government only. In the circumstances it is presumed that the Government

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of India will not insist upon this Government getting an explanation from the Scholar.

Y.O.S.

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E.P.H. ~~(G2)~~ Deptt

Memo No. 51785 G2/47-11 Education dated 8-12-47

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Sub: Overseas Scholarships- 1947-48 - Mr. H.S.S.Lawrence.

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Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence is informed that the Government of India have brought to the notice of this Government that he has been corresponding direct with the H.C. for India, London, to the effect that he ~~is~~ proposes to take a doctorate degree in Economics at the London School of Economics. His attention is invited to para 9 of G.O.No. 1811 Education, dated 12-8-47, in which this Govt. have made it clear that no efforts to secure admission abroad must be made by a scholar without the previous permission of this Deptt. and he is informed that the instruction should be followed strictly ~~rigidly~~ in future. He may address this Govt. for any information he requires about his scholarship.

To
Mr.H.S.S.Lawrence.
Secy.Y.M.C.A.
Havelock Road, Karachi,
Pakistan.
Copy to Secretary to the Govt.of India, Ministry of Edn.New Delhi, 3.w.r.t letter No.F.4-2/47-OD IV dated 28-11-47.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
19 DEC 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

REF. No. PEP/357/E/AAM-7.

13th December 1947.

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

99742

Dear Sir,

OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS 1947-48 Mr.H.S.S.Lawrence.

p 25 ante

We thank you for your letter No.51785 C2 147-9 Edn of the 20th November.

As instructed we are including Mr. Lawrence's name in the list of candidates proceeding to the U.S.A. We will be happy to arrange a passage for him on receipt of instructions to do so and after his admission abroad has been secured in America.

Yours faithfully,
GOVAN BROS. LTD.,
Per

MSL.x

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By Air Mail

Despd with Encl.

Letter No 51785C2 1/47 12 Edn d/ 12-1-48

To The Secy to the G of I.
Ministry of Edn,
New Delhi, 3
(with encls) — 2 sets of appln forms in orgl — Kept below

Sir,

Sub Overseas Scholarships - 1947-48 - Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence - appln. for admission in the U.S.A.

I am directed to forward in duplicate the appln forms for admission to an Edl. institution in the U.S.A. as completed by Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence, a 1947 Scholar, and to request that the G of I. may be so good as to secure his admission in the Columbia University for the February session in view of the conditional award of the Scholarship

Y.o.S.

2 Spare copies.

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Present address of Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence.
Joshua St, Nagercoil, Travancore (C No 30943/48)

BY AIR.

NO.F.4-2/47-ODIV.
GOVT. OF INDIA,
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION,
New Delhi 3, the 26th JAN., 1948.

From

Sir S.S.Bhatnagar, O.B.E., D.Sc., F.R.S.,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To
H.E. The Ambassador for India in the U.S.A.
Educational Deptt., Indian Embassy, Washington
8 D.C.

SUBJECT: ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS IN RESPECT OF MR. H.S.S.LAWRENCE 1947-48 MADRAS GOVT. SPONSORED SCHOLAR.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
4 FEB 1948
7453
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry letter of even number, dated the 4th Nov., 1947 on the subject mentioned above and to forward herewith the application (in duplicate) in the form prescribed by the American Educational Institutions duly completed by Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence, a 1947-48 Madras Govt. sponsored scholar selected for advanced studies in "Teachers' Training".

You have already been requested to secure his admission at the Columbia University as desired by the Provincial Govt. In view of the conditional award of Mr. Lawrence's scholarship as stipulated in this Ministry endorsement of even number, dated the 4th Nov., 1947 every endeavour may kindly be made to secure his admission in the States for the session commencing in Feb. 1948 as requested by the Provincial Govt.

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

Sd/-
(D.Madhavi)
for Secretary)

Copy forwarded to the Secy. to the Govt. of Madras, Edn. and Public Health Deptt., Madras, with reference to his letter No.51785-C2/47-12-Edn, dated 12.1.48.

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By order,
D. Madhavi.
for Secretary.

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EXPRESS LETTER.

No.F.4-2/S-16/47-OD.IV
Government of India
Ministry of Education.

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Dated New Delhi 3, the 16th June, 1948.

To

M/S.Govan Bros.,Ltd.,
Connaught Circus, Scindia House,
New Delhi.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
22 JUN 1948
45839
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Subject:-Scholarships for Advanced Studies Overseas,1947-48 Madras Government stipendiary students - Passage arrangements to the United States of America.

The following candidate sponsored by the Madras Government for advanced studies overseas in 1947-48 has been admitted to Columbia Teachers College,United States of America for Teachers Training for fall term 1948. Please complete his passage arrangements in consultation with the Provincial Government and advise this Ministry when he sails. Passage may be so arranged as to enable the scholar to reach the States by end of August 1948.

2. The cost of the training of this candidate will be shared by the Central and the Provincial Government equally.

Sl.No.	Name.	Age.	Sex.	Nationality,	Occupation
1.	Mr.Harris Samsahayam Lawrence	24	Male	Indian.	

Sd/-. K. P. Lukose.

for Secretary.

Copy forwarded to:-

1. The Secretary to the Government of Madras Education & Public Health Department Madras. The condition attaching to award of Mr.Lawrence's scholarship as stipulated in para 2 of this Ministry letter No.F.4-2/47 OD.IV dated 18.6.48 is being relaxed as a special case. An admission certificate is forwarded herewith. If the institution or passage cannot be accepted, please intimate direct to the Travel Agents under advice to this Ministry.
2. The Reserve Bank of India,Bombay(in duplicate),with the request that necessary dollar exchange facilities may please be provided to the candidate.
3. The Finance Ministry (Finance Branch).
4. The American Consul General,American Consulate,Bombay/Calcutta*
5. The American Consul,American Consulate,Madras.*

* with the request for giving necessary facilities regarding issue of Visa to the candidate when applied for.

6. The American Vice Consul, U.S.Embassy, New Delhi.
7. H.E.The Ambassador for India in the United States of America, Indian Embassy,Educational Department,Washington,D.C.with reference to his Cable No.1883 E dated 5.6.48 in so far as it relates to Mr. Harris Samsahayam Lawrence.
8. Mr.Harris Samsahayam Lawrence,Joshua Street,Nagercoil,Travancore An admission certificate for presenting to the American Consular Authorities for obtaining Visa is forwarded herewith.
9. O.D. V.

for Secretary.

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No. F.4-2/S-16/47-OD.IV
Government of India
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi 3, the 16th June,1948.

CERTIFICATE OF ADMISSION

OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS (PROVINCIAL).

This is to certify that Mr. Harris Samsahayam Lawrence has been selected by the Government of India as a stipendiary student for advanced studies in Teachers' Training in the U.S.A.

The Government of India hold themselves responsible for his maintenance while he is abroad and for his return transportation to India on the completion of his course of studies. Admission has already been secured for the candidate in Columbia Teachers' College and passage arrangements will be made by the accredited Travel Agents appointed by the Government.

Arrangements are being made to have the candidate met at the port of disembarkation by the representatives of the Government of India in the U.S.A. The normal period of study in the U.S.A. is expected to be two years.

for Secretary.

Gulhati,
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Draft I

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Advanced Studies Overseas- 1947-8. Mr. H. S. Lawrence.
Admission & passage arrangements

p 45 c.f

From the G. of I, Ministry of Edn
No. F. 4-2/5-16/47-OD.IV d 16.6.48

Memo No 51785 C2/47-13 Edn d 25.6.48

Mr. H. S. Lawrence is informed that he has been admitted to the Columbia Teachers College, U.S.A, for Teachers Training, for fall term 1948. The Travel Agents, Messrs Grovan Bros Ltd, New Delhi, have been advised by the G. of I to arrange for his passage so as to enable him to reach the States by the end of August 1948. Mr. Lawrence should get into touch with the Travel Agents immediately and accept the first passage that may be offered to him. He should also apply to the Secy to the G of Madras, Home Dept and get his passport endorsed for U.S.A if it has not been done yet.

A letter drawn ~~on~~ the Travel Agents regarding the payments to be made to him by them is enclosed. It should be presented to them when receiving payment at the time of embarkation.

Draft II below

Three copies of the "Joining Report" are also enclosed. The scholar should submit the reports in duplicate to His Excellency the Ambassador for India in the U.S.A, Indian Embassy, Edn Dept Washington, immediately after joining the institution abroad. The third copy may

attached below.

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be retained by him for his own record. The scholar is warned that non-submission of the report will amount to insubordination with consequent penalties.

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DM 24/6/48

To

Mr. H. S. Lawrence.
Joshua St, Nagercoil, Travancore.
(with copy of draft II and 3 copies of Report-attached)

Copy to the Secy to the Govt, Ministry of Edn, New Delhi, 3.
" Messrs Grovan Bros Ltd, Connaught Circus
Scindia House, New Delhi.
" Messrs The American Express Co, Inc.
Navsari Building 240 Hornby Rd, Bombay (with copy of draft II)
" Home Wefht
" D.P.I

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Draft II

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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Letter No. 51785 C2/47-14 Edn dt 25.6.48

To

~~Messrs. Thomas Cook & Son,~~
~~Hornby Road, Bombay 2.~~

Messrs. The American Express Co. Inc.,
Scindia House, Connaught Circus,
New Delhi.

26/6/48

Dear Sirs,

SUB: ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS - Students sponsored by Madras Government - Passage arrangements.

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I am directed to state that Mr. Harris Samsahayam Lawrence a candidate selected by this Government in ~~to~~ 1947-8 for undergoing advanced courses of studies abroad has secured admission in the Columbia Teachers College ~~United Kingdom~~ United States of America.

I am to request you to pay, on behalf of this Government, to Mr. Lawrence the following amounts, in addition to arranging for him/~~her~~ a second class (or where there is no second class the class next below first class) sea passage from the port of embarkation to the ~~United Kingdom~~ United States of America :-

(1) One single second class railway fare (or ticket) from Nagercoil (Travancore) to the port of embarkation. Where there is no second class, the fare next below first class may be paid.

(2) *Equipment allowance of Rs. 500. ## (This amount may, if the candidate so desires, be furnished to him/~~her~~ in dollars).

Only for students going to the United States of America
* Not to be paid for Government servants.

(3) Pocket allowance of £5 (equivalent to Rs. 66-10-8). This may be given to the candidate in traveller's cheques in ~~pounds sterling~~ dollars.

A stamped receipt should be taken from the candidate for the monies disbursed. The receipt should be forwarded to this Government along with your bill.

Yours faithfully,

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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By Air Mail

No. F.4-2/S-16/47 OD.IV.
Government of India
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi, the 16th July 1948.

From

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

To

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

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
1[illegible] JUL 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Subject: Advanced studies abroad in respect of Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence 1947-48, Madras Government Sponsored Scholar.

Sir,

53357 p45 ante

In continuation of this Ministry endorsement of even number dated 16th June 1948 on the subject mentioned above, I am directed to forward herewith copies of an admission certificate and a letter dated 31st May 1948 from the Teachers' College, Columbia University together with the prescribed application form in respect of Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence received from the Indian Embassy, Washington.

pp51-55 infra

I am to request you kindly to forward the prescribed application duly completed by the scholar direct to the Indian Embassy Washington, under advice to this Ministry.

Yours faithfully,

(K. P. Lukose)
for Secretary.

CENTRAL AND PROVINCIAL OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS - ADMISSIONS

NAME OF SCHOLAR HARRIS SAM SAHAYAM LAWRENCE

YEAR 1947/48 **GOVERNMENT** MADRAS

ADMITTED TO COLUMBIA TEACHERS' COLLEGE

SUBJECT TEACHERS TRAINING **PERIOD** TWO YEARS

as from date of reporting to the above Institution.

Signature.

Date June 4th, 1948.

Copy of letter dated 31st May 1948 from the Officer in charge of Admissions, Columbia University to the Ministry of Education Government of India.

So that we may have the records in order here, I should appreciate your forwarding the enclosed form to Mr. Lawrence with the request that he return it to this office as soon as possible. We do not have his home address or we should write to him directly. Mr. Lawrence will need to have with him at the time of registration the official records of his degree in India. I think I should add that this admission to graduate standing does not imply acceptance to the program of studies leading toward matriculation for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. If Mr. Lawrence wishes to direct his graduate studies toward this particular degree, his credentials will need to be presented to our University Council for consideration upon the completion of one year of graguate work. I can assure you, however, he is eligible for admission to graduate studies here, and we are glad to admit him to Teachers' College.

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Advanced Studies Overseas.
1947-8. Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence. (31)

p 50 C.f

From the Gol. I. Ministry of Edn. No. F.4-2/5.16/47
OD.10 of 16.7.48.

Dp 21/7 J.4

Memo 51785/47-15 C2. Edn of 22.7.48

Copies of an admission Certificate and a letter dated 31.5.48 from the Teachers College, Columbia University together with the prescribed application form are forwarded to Mr. Lawrence. He is requested to complete the appln form and return it to Govt as early as possible for transmission to the Indian Embassy, Washington.

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21/7/48

pp 51-56 C.f

To
Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence.
c/o M.R. Swaminadan
~~Joshua St., [illegible]~~,
Supdt. E.P.H. Secretariat.
~~[illegible]~~
(with a copy of pp 51-52 C.f.
and pp 53-56 C.f. in orgl)

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C/o R.J. Swamidoss Esq. B.A.
2/3 Thacker St. Vepery

H. S. S. Lawrence B.A. (Hons.).

Station MADRAS

Dated 26th July 1948.

The Secretary to Govt,
Education & P.H. Dept,
Madras.

Sir,

Sub: Advanced Studies overseas - 1947-48.

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Ref: Memo. No. 51785 C2 47-15 Education
53 [illegible] dated 22nd July 1948.

I am enclosing herewith the prescribed application form duly filled in and also copies of some documents for transmission to the Officer in charge of admissions, Teachers' College, Columbia University, New York 27, New York through the Indian Embassy, Washington, as soon as possible.

I presume that necessary arrangements as regards accomodation during my stay in New York either at International Students' House or at Teachers' College Residence Halls would have been already made by the Indian Embassy.

Yours faithfully
H.S.S.Lawrence.

By Air Mail Registered

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Copy (1) to the Secy to the (Gr), Ministry of Edn. New Delhi. 3 w.r.t. his no. F-4-2/S-16/47 D/- 10 of 16. 7. 48

Dpd w. Encl

R.P. 29/7

(2) Mr. H. S. S. Lawrence BA (Hons).

Accommodation arrangements will be made by the Indian Embassy.

c/o R. J. Swamidoss, Esq. B.A
2/3 Thacker St, Vepery.
Madras.

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Letter / Ref. 51785/47-16 C2. Edn of 27.7.48

To

The Educational Liaison Officer,
Indian Embassy,
Edl Dept, Washington, D.C.
(with enclosure)
pp 55-65 CF

Sir,

Advanced Studies Overseas - 1947-8 - Mr. Harris Sam Sahayan Lawrence -

Mr. Harris Sam Sahayam Lawrence, a 1947 sponsored scholar has secured admission to the Columbia Teachers' College, U.S.A, for Teachers' Training, for fall term, 1948. I am directed to enclose the prescribed application form duly completed by the scholar, with copies of relevant documents, ~~and to request that it may be forwarded to~~ for favour of transmission to the College authorities.

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H. S. S. Lawrence B.A. (Hons.).

Station Calcutta.

Dated 15th August 1948.

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

The Secretary to Government,
Education and P. H. Dept,
Fort St. George, Madras.

Sir,

Madras Govt scholar - 1947 - Passage to U.S.A. -

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This is to inform you that the Travel Agents have arranged passage for me to U.S.A. I am leaving Calcutta by air on the 16th for Hongkong from where I sail to San Francisco in S.S. General Meigs.

A | It is hoped that both the Govt of India and the Indian Embassy, Washington D.C. will be informed about this so that travel arrangements from the port of disembarkation to Columbia University New York can be made and accomodation provided.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully
H S S Lawrence.

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No action is called for with ref to "A" above.

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E.P.H Dept
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From the Govt. of India, Edn. Dept, New Delhi
No. F.4-2/47 - OD IV dt 18/6/47.

Overseas Scholarships. - 1947-48 -

Please see the extract from the Govt of India's letter at page 1 cf. The Devt. Dept. to whom the subject "Educational administration etc" relates may be requested to furnish the information ~~[illegible]~~ asked for. at 'A' on p 1 cf.

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EPH No. No.
S 1785 C2/47-1
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Dev Dept

To U.S.

Please see the extract from the Govt of India letter at p. 1 c. f and the notes of the EP&H above. The DI & C may ~~perhaps~~ be consulted with ref to 'A' on p. 1 c. f. A draft memo is submitted below for approval.

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[Issued as Memo no 60929 DI/4 - [illegible]]

To U.S

p 9. 4

Please see the letter from the Joint Director of Industries and commerce on p. 9. ~~To~~ The DI & C at 'X' on page 9 informs that the candidate ~~who~~ ~~studied~~ had a study ~~of the different methods and appliances now employed in universities, army, air force, navy, etc~~ will be useful to the education depart. in connection with the scheme of bifurcated High Schools. [No special remarks are called for on DI&C's suggestion] ~~They be passed on to E&PH for necessary action~~. E&PH. may consider the desirability of consulting DI&C also in view of 'X' on p 9 cf.

X on p 9 cf

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The file may be returned to E&PH Dept.

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E&PH.

Dev. U.O. no
60929 DI/47-4.
6.8.47

Please see the notes on page 1 ante.

2. Mr.H.S.S.Lawrence (whose application is placed below) has been selected this year for the award of an overseas scholarship in "Educational Administration with specialization in various aspects, e.g., recreation and social activities and juvenile employment". This subject was proposed by the Devt. Department in consultation with the Director of Industries & Commerce. They had also suggested certain names of institutions abroad where the scholar's training in the subject was desired. The names suggested are at "X" on pages 1-2 of (A).

Appx II D 9 advt. / (9)

3. In order ~~to make~~ arrangements for Mr.Lawrence's admission in an institution ~~in the United Kingdom~~ abroad, the Government of India have asked this Government to indicate the exact field of specialisation which they desire Mr. Lawrence to undertake, the precise nature of the training which he should receive abroad and the nature of the work, as exactly as possible, which he is likely to be called upon to do on his return from abroad. The DI&C who was consulted by the Devt. Dept. has stated that the exact training required for Mr.Lawrence is as at 'M' on page 9 c.f. and that after training he will be useful to the Edn.Dept. in connection with the scheme of bifurcated High Schools. The Devt. Dept. have agreed with the view of the D.I & C. and have ~~axxx~~ suggested that the D.P.I. also may be consulted in the matter.

p 1 cf

p 1 ante

4. As the exact field of specialisation in Edl. Administration was not indicated even at the beginning, the Provincial Selection Committee had doubts as to the exact type of candidates to be recommended for the subject. However as "recreation and social activities and juvenile employment" had been mentioned as an example of the field of specialisation the Committee selected candidates who had aptitude and previous experience in recreation and social welfare activities. Mr. Lawrence ~~xx~~ was one such candidate recommended for the subject.

The Committee had some discussion on the point.

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5. The D.I & C. now states that the candidate selected for Educational Administration may have specialised training in "psychological intelligence and other aptitude tests to be employed in educational institutions". It is not clear whether Mr.Lawrence would be the suitable type of candidate for such a training. // The original intention was to ~~ak kraingx~~ sponsor a scholar for advanced studies in Educational Administration who after a training would be absorbed in the Industries Dept. of the Govt. or some private enterprise. The D.I.& C. ~~wxxxd made~~ proposed the subject "Educational Administration etc." only on that basis. It was not the intention of the Govt. to train the candidate in the subject for eventual absorption in the Edn.Dept. Now the D.I & C. states the candidate trained in "Educational Administration" would be useful to the Education Department, in connection with the scheme of bifurcated High Schools.

p 9 cf

× like YMCA welfare, B&C Mills Labour welfare

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION MADRAS
C 3585 C1/47
10 AUG 1947

6. In the circumstances it is for orders whether the D.P.I. may be asked to state u.o. whether Mr.Lawrence, considering his educational qualifications and experience would be useful for the Education Dept. as stated by the D.I & C. and if so, whether the exact field of training required for him may be as proposed by the D.I & C.

7. In this connection it may be stated that there is a proposal to select a woman candidate this year for the same subject. The matter is under correspondence with the Govt. of India. It is quite likely the candidate will be selected. The candidate is one Miss A.Swarajya Lakshmi, whose application is ~~axxx~~ placed below. The D.P.I. may be ~~xxkxdxxxx~~ requested to state whether she would be suitable for the ~~xxxxxx~~ training proposed by the D.I& C. and whether she would be useful for absorption in the Edn.Dept. ~~as suggested by him.~~

8. The D.P.I. may be requested to treat this file as "special", as a reply to the Govt. of India should be sent in time so that they may take steps to secure the candidate's admission for the ensuing September/October college session.

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Special

EP.H. no. 1110.
S1785 C2/47-3
9.8.47
with encls:-
① CF.
② applns. of Mr. Lawrence & Swarajyalakshmi
③ Devt. A scheme
④ Advt.

U.O.Reply.No.3588 C-1/47.

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, dated 20--8-47.

Resubmitted.

2) Neither of the two candidates mentioned (Mr.H.S.S. Lawrence and Miss Swarajya Lakshmi) will be suitable for employment in the Education Department in connection with the working of the scheme of bifurcated High School courses.

3) Although there is under consideration a proposal of the Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet, for the opening of a children's Clinic, a medical man or woman who has been trained in the diagnosis of childrens diseases will be required for this. As to the suitability of the two candidates for being appointed as Child Guidance Officers or to school visitors' post, we require persons trained in Psychology and Psychiatry. The two candidates will have to study practical Psychology for a period of at least one year, but since they are both History graduates they will not be able to take this course. It is not therefore possible for this department to suggest a change in the scope of study already laid down obviously for employment in the Industries Department.

4) It is quite clear that the intention of Govt. was that the scholars selected for this subject may be employed by the Industries Department as Welfare Officers. Their duties will be to organize social, educational and recreational activities among industrial laborers and their children. These activities are generally called educational activities which explains the term used, Viz., 'Educational Administration." Presumably, the Director of Industries and Commerce has not understood the scope of the training and the future use to be made of these scholars, which perhaps accounts for his reply dated 31-7-47.

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5) In the above circumstances, the Education Department will not be able to employ these two scholars after their training unless the Industrial Welfare work is to be entrusted in future to the Education Department.

D.P.I.

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20 AUG 1947

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Please see the notes of this Dept on pages 2-3 ante and the remarks of the D.P.I. on page 4 ante. In the circumstances the Dert. Dept may be requested to state whether the candidates selected for the award of overseas scholarships in "Educational Administration etc" may be asked to Specialise in organising social, educational and recreational activities among industrial labourers and their children so that they may, on satisfactory completion of training, be absorbed, if possible, as Welfare Officers in the Industries Dept.

P on p 4 ante

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UNDER SECRETARY
27 AUG 1947
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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To US

The notes of E&PH on pages 2 ~~&~~ 3 +5 ante and the remarks of the DPI on p. 4 ante may be perused. ~~The DI&C may be consulted with reference to 'A' above. A draft memo is submitted below for approval.~~

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VM
27.8.47

The subject 'Educational Administration etc' was selected at the instance of the DI&C for the award of a scholarship in 1947-48. It would appear from the statement of DI&C at p 9 cf. that he had no comprehensive idea of the eventual employment of the person so trained, at his instance, in his dept or in industries. Such an irresponsible selection of a subject by the DI&C has led the Govt to award a scholarship to a candidate (Mr H.S.S. Lawrence) without definite details being available of the course of training to be imparted to the trainee. Inasmuch as the D.P.I. does not consider it feasible that the candidate can be absorbed in the Education Dept after training, the alternative suggestion

All the subjects in Appendix II at p. 2 of (9) were DI&C's choice.

p 4 above

made by him at 'P' on p 4 above seems to be worthwhile. The Govt of India may perhaps ~~arranging~~ be able to arrange for such training, as the candidate so trained may not find it difficult later to get employed in any of the industrial concerns as Welfare Officer, even if the Dept of Industries is not able to offer him suitable employment. It would appear that no purpose will be served by consulting the D.I.&C in the matter, again, especially in the light of his considered reply at p 9 cf. For orders whether E&PH. may be requested to take action ~~accordingly~~ as at 'B' above.

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no guarantee of employment is held out in the Annual.

This may be done.

para 1, p 3 above

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2. E&PH. are considering the question of selecting a second candidate (Miss Swarajya Lakshmi) in addition to Mr H.S.S. Lawrence for training in the subject "Educational Administration etc". In the absence of a clear idea as to the scope of the training and as to the possibility of eventual absorption in industries or in the Education Dept, this dept may perhaps suggest that the selection of a second candidate for this subject be dropped for the present. For orders.

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3. After orders are passed, the case may be returned to E&PH Dept.

27.8.47

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27.8.47

J.S.

As above. We need not interfere with the selection of this lady as she seems to have a job under the Education Dept. now!

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E&PH (C2)

Dev. u.o. no 812 F6(III)(47)-1
28.8.47

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
28 AUG 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Notes from page 1 ante may be perused. The Govt of India may now be told what kind of training Mr. Lawrence should have. A draft letter is put up for appl.

W.r. to ~~the~~ the J.S., Dev.'s note above it is noted that Miss. Swarajyalakshmi will have to resign her ~~post~~ appt. under the Govt. if she is finally offered a scholarship and

and if she takes it up. The point raised by Dev. in paragraph 2 of their notes on page 6 ante may, if necessary, be considered further after a reply from the Govt. of India is received to a letter addressed to them regarding Miss Swarajyalakshmi's selection.

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M. (Ex.)
M. (Edn.)

29 AUG 1947

I do not want people to be sent to England at great cost for indefinite studies without any prospectus of their being utilised by Government. If Mr. Lawrence's qualifications are good enough, I should suggest that he must go for teachers' training so that he can form the staff of the Training College. If he is not useful for that, ~~they~~ we may as well not send Mr. Lawrence to England at all. ~~I would not like to send people simply for their being thrown into the market to find some job for themselves.~~

TSA
29.8.47

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SPECIAL

applies below

Mr. H.S.Lawrence possesses the degree of B.A.Hons. (History and Economics) I class. He has had no previousteaching experience. Miss A.Swarajyalakshmi is a B.A., B.Ed., and has had some teaching experience. The D.P.I. may be requested u.o. to discuss the suitability of the two candidates ~~of~~ for undergoing teacher's training with a view ~~by~~ to their eventual appointment in ~~the~~ Teachers' Colleges. He may also be requested ~~before~~ to give detailed ~~October~~ information on the points mentioned in the Govts of India's letter on p.1 c.f. and also to indicate the institutions into which the candidates should be admitted. After the Director's reply is received the candidates will have to be asked whether they are willing to accept scholarships for the new course of study proposed and then only the Govt. of India can be addressed for change of the course of study.

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C.F - 9 pages
N.F - 7 pages with 2 applns etc.

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D.

U.O.reply No.3588 C-1/47 Office of D.P.I.,Madras,
23rd September 1947.

Re-submitted.

1 Since Mr. H.S. Lawrence is a First Class History and Economics man, he would be most useful to the Education Department if he could be allowed to specialise in Economics at the London School of Economics, because at present there is only one man (Dr. P. Kallukaran, Professor of Economics, Presidency College, Madras) in the whole of the Education Department who has had such a training and in view of the fact that he is a senior man of experience who ~~xx~~ may have to be posted as Principal of a first grade college in the near future, it is necessary to have an under-study in Economics for the Presidency College. According to the rules, it would be possible for Mr. Lawrence to take a Ph.D. degree in the London School of Economics in two years.

2 If, however, this is not possible then I would suggest that he may be sent to the Columbia University, U.S.A. for the Teachers' Training and he may be absorbed in one of the Teachers' Colleges.

3 So far as Miss Swarajyalakshmi is concerned, she is only a Third Class B.A. (History), with a II Class in B.Ed. and she is not at present qualified to take a place in any College in the Province. It is doubtful also whether she will get admission to any foreign University for higher studies.

S.R.K. Swamy
D. P. I.

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
23 SEP 1947
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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With ref. to paras 1 and 2 of the DPI's reply above, Mr. Lawrence may be asked to state whether he is willing to accept the scholarship for the new courses of study now proposed.

With ref. to para 3 above, the G of I have since expressed their unwillingness to award a scholarship to Miss Swarajyalakshmi and the Govt. have accordingly decided to drop the question of awarding a scholarship to her.

A draft Memo. to Mr. Lawrence is submitted for approval.

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Issued as Lr No. 51785 C2/47-7 Edn d 25-9-47.

C. No. 76495 C2 From Mr H.S.S. Lawrence. Lr d 25-9-47.

p 15 CF

Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence is prepared to accept the Scholarship for either of the new courses now proposed. A draft letter to the G of I is submitted for approval. It may issue after circulation to H.M (Edn)

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H.M. (Edn.)

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There is no need to send a man for specialisation in Economics at the London School of Economics. That may not be of much use to us. He may be sent for Teacher's training in the Columbia University, U.S.A. The draft may be amended accordingly.

TSA
29-9-47

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
30 SEP 1947
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

A revised draft is submitted for approval.

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17-18 CF Issued as Lr No. 51785 C2/47-8 Edn d 30-9-47.

19-21 CF From the G of I. No. F.4-2/47-OD IV d 4-11-47

23 CF From Messrs Swan Bros Ltd, No. PLP/257/M/AM-7 d 4-11-47

No action is called for on the G of I's letter on pp 19-21 CF. A draft letter is submitted with ref. to the letter from Messrs Swan Bros on p 23 CF.

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(Issued as Letter No. [illegible]1785 C2/47 - 9 Education dated 20-11-47)

From the Government of India, No. F-4/47-OD IV dated 28-11-47.

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pp 29 - 31 cf

p 33 cf

Please see the letter from the Govt. of India on p.31 cf. It may be noted that Mr. H.S.S.Lawrence ~~has~~ addressed the H.C. for India, London on the strength of this Depts. Memo on pp.13-14 cf, before knowing the final decision of the Govt. in regard to his studies. His action in having addressed the H.C. direct is contrary to the instruction issued at 'A' on para 9 of G.O.No. 1811 Edn. dated 12-8-47. This may be pointed out to him and he may be asked to follow this instruction rigidly in future and to address this Government for any information he requires about his scholarship. The circumstances which led the scholar to address the H.C. direct and the action proposed to be taken with reference to their letter on page 31 cf. may be explained to the Government of India. It does not seem that an explanation should be called for from him.

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A draft letter and a draft memo are submitted for approval.

6/12/47 S

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[Letter. 51785 C2/47-10 Edn d/ 8.12.47
Memo 51785 C2/47-11 Edn d/ 8.12.47] pp 35-37 cf

C. No 45639 C2/48. from the G of I. Ministry of Edn.
No. F. 4-2/5-16/47-OD.10 d/ 16.6.48

p 45 cf

The G of I have intimated that admission has been secured for Mr. H.S. Lawrence, 1947 Scholar, in the Columbia Teachers College.

Two drafts are submitted below for approval.

23.6.48

24/6/48 S

25.6.48

[Memo No. 51785/47 Edn d/ 25.6.48
Letter No. 51785/47 Edn d/ 25.6.48] pp 47-50 cf

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p 50 cf

C. No 53357/48 from the G of I. Ministry of Edn
No. F. 4.2/5.16/47.OD.10 d/ 16.7.48

With ref. to the G of I letter read above a draft memo is submitted for approval.

20.7.48

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p 53 cf

[Memo 51785/47. Edn d/ 22.7.48]

p 54 cf

C. No 55032/47. from Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence. d/ 26.7.48

p 50 cf

The appln form, completed by the scholar, may be forwarded to the Indian Embassy as required by the G of I. Draft letter submitted for approval.

26.7.48

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p 55 cf

[Letter. 51785/47. 16 C2. Edn d/ 27.7.48]

Mr. H.S.S. Lawrence, 1947 Scholar, secured admission in the Columbia Teachers College and left for U.S.A. These ppr may be recorded for future reference.

Order M.S. 2528 Edn d/ 6/10/48.

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Lawrence. Admission.
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