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[Despatch Abstract.]

Government Press - Court Road, - Book Depot - Creation of a post of Publication Depot Manager - Proposal of the Superintendent, Government Press - Not approved.

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From A. Lepper Esq., Superintendent, Government Press, Madras.
To The Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department, Fort St. George, Madras.
No. 40-1 Mis/47, dated 5th October 1948.

Sir,

Sub: Creation of a post of Publication Depot Manager for Government Book Depot, Mount Road - sanction requested.

I have to state that my proposals for the creation of a post of Non-gazetted Assistant on Rs 190-240 contained in para 5 of my letter No. 40-Mis-47, dated 27-5-1948 for managing the Publication Depot was turned down by Government in their order No. Ms.2295, Edn., dated 13-9-1948.

2. The necessity for the creation of the above post was fully explained to Government in para 17 of my letter No. 40/Mis/47, dated 24th January 1947, and after examination of the increase in work and the necessity prevailing therefor, I presume Government arrived at a decision to create a post on Rs 190-10-240 to which I have also agreed (Please see Education and Public Health U.O. No. 6586-1 Fl Edn., dated 18-3-1947 and my reply thereto in my U.O. Note No. 40-Mis-47 dated 18-4-1947).

3. The Publication Depot is generally under-staffed. I could not post sufficient men thereto cope with the general increase in work. The out-come of the re-organisation scheme resulted only in the change of designation of the "Publication Storekeeper" in a scale of Rs 55-70 to a scale of Rs 80-125 and another additional post of a temporary Accountant on Rs 80-125. Consequently no additional staff could be spared for timely dealing with the daily outturn of business of the Depot, since the re-organisation staff have almost been allocated for the general increase of work in the administrative section of the Central Press and to avoid numerous complaints from public which has of late become a common affair. Due to change in the constitution of Government, the public demand for provincial publications are indeed great. I therefore consider that this Institution which functions more as a publicity organ of the several changes in the Statutes, Rules, Orders, Gazettes of Government and many other useful publications of educational value to the public should be effectively controlled and properly managed in the interest of public service, in the same way as Government enlarges its information or propaganda machinery.

4. As a compromise of the scale proposed for the Non-gazetted Assistant to manage the Depot, which was not approved by Government, I would now propose an interim scale of pay of Rs 170-10-220. This post is to be created as an additional one and as a permanent measure designated as "Publication Depot Manager" for managing the business of

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the Depot. Any additional cost involved thereby will be met under the Savings under "56. Stationery and Printing - A. General Overhead Charges - Establishments", during the current year. I request that Government may be pleased to consider at least this modified proposal of mine in so far as it relates to the Publication Depot at Mount Road, an important Institution intended mainly for public utility.

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Superintendent.

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10p 1.2 of Ref: Form No. 2 G.P. No. 40-1 Mis/47 dated 5.10.47

Order/Ms. 2722. Edn dated 2.11.48.

The S.G.P. is informed that the to approve the proposal for the creation of a post of Publication Dept Manager on the scale of Rs. 170-10-220, is not approved and that the Govt. consider that the existing Supdt. on 85-125 is quite sufficient for the work in the Publication Dept.

To,
The S. G. P. Madras.

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Govt Press - Creation of a post of Publication
Depot Manager.

cf from the S.S.P. No. 40-1 (11/10) dated 5-10-54

Please see the letter from the S.S.P.
in the C.P.

In connection with the
reorganisation of the Accounts and Despatch
Sections in the Govt Press, the S.S.P. proposed
the appointment of a non-gazetted
and of the rank of sub-postal 190-240
in the place of the storekeeper to be
in charge of the Publication Branch.
The Govt did not consider that the work
was so important as to justify the
grant of the scale proposed. They however
sanctioned a post of sub-postal 80-125
in the place of the storekeeper. The
S.S.P. pressed again for the app't
of a sub-postal 190-240 but this was
not considered their previous orders.
The S.S.P. now points out the necessity
for an add'l post of ^{Publication Depot Manager} rank 170-220, as
the Publication Dept is reported to be understaffed.
This modified proposal is in effect one for
reconsideration of the previous orders declining
to sanction an upgrade. The post of 80-125
already sanctioned by the Govt. The S.S.P.
proposed that some time back that
the sanction accorded for the employment of a special
officer for stock taking in the Press be utilized

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for reorganizing and improving the working of the Mount Road Publication Depot. When the S.S.P. was asked to justify this proposal in greater detail he has stated that the matter may be dropped in view of his proposal to appoint a Publication Depot Manager referred to in his letter in the Cf. He has at the same time addressed the Govt. for the appointment of this Special Officer for Stock-taking of plant etc in the Press.

In the circumstances there seems to be no need to consider his present proposal for employment of a Publication Depot Manager. The budget on Rs. 125 already sanctioned for the Depot seems quite sufficient for the work there. For order Finance may see for remarks.

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 Please see the letter from S.S.P. in the Cf and the notes of E.P.H. on pages 1-2 above. In the circumstances the Dept. may agree with the views of E.P.H. at A above.

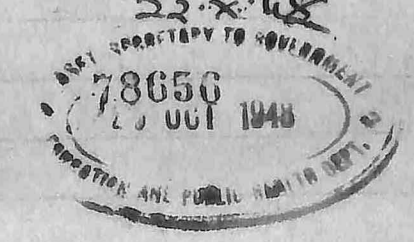
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Please see the note of Finance above. They agree with this Dept's view that the proposal of the S.G.P. for the creation of a post of Publication Depot Manager need not be approved. A draft order is submitted.

E.S.P.H.U.O. No 74705 F/48-1 (9.10.48)



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In view of the Committee appointed to enquire into the matters of the Govt. Press and to reorganise its business side, if necessary, this proposal need not be considered just now.

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The draft may issue.

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