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Government of Madras

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPAR MENT
(Education)

G.O. No. 846, 9th April 1948

Adult Education—Scheme—Sanctioned.

READ—the following papers :—

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 10th October and 17th November 1947,
No. 780-B-2/47.

Order—No. 846, Education, dated 9th April 1948.

The Government have had under consideration for some time past th question of framing a scheme f of adult education with the two-fold objects of illiteracy of adults and of improving the knowledg the education already possessed by adults, thro education centres, libraries, cinemas, etc. They have now drawn up a scheme of adult education as follows, which provides :—

(1) Adult literacy schools for liquidating illiteracy among adults ;

(2) Training of staff for adult literacy work ;

(3) Rural Colleges for giving higher educational training for persons who have had some school education already ;

(4) Training camps for social service workers ;

(5) Training camps for citizenship and youth workers ; and

(6) Visual instruction.

(1) *Adult literacy schools.*—One hundred schools may be opened in 1948–49. A teaching grant at the rate of Rs. 8 a month per teacher and an additional flat rate of Rs. 4 per month for lighting and other incidental charges will be paid for each school. During the first year, a teacher should be employed for an average attendance of 15 pupils. In subsequent years when pupils are taken to a second year course a teacher will be allowed for each class. There should not be more than three teachers in a school as the course is only for three years. For the first two years, for want of teachers trained in adult education, teachers without this training may be allowed to do adult literacy work. In that case the grant may be Rs. 5 plus Rs. 3.

ages of 13 and 40 will be , with a view to make them lit- read specially prepared books within a year. ill be continued for a further period of two ble them to read a newspaper. Special be adopted mainly on the lines of the uick Literacy Plan and all aids to quick lite- ies, pictures, charts and reading sheets should d.

urs of work.—Any part of the morning or evening for od of not less than an hour and a half should be ted as a school day and 200 such school days may be nsidered adequate for the year

Teachers.—Part-time teachers should be employed who should have the following qualifications :—

(i) A certificate of having passed Form III or VIII rd Public Examination ;

(ii) An Adult Education Teacher's Certificate granted training at one of the recognized centres.

school teachers and others who may be employed professions or trades will also be eligible to be in these schools, provided they have those two tions.

labus specially prepared and approved for the pur- ould be followed in these schools. A special set of prepared for use by adults should be followed in the ages.

ipment.—In course of time, a small library should t up in every school.

Any available building in the place should be utilized for the schools. No separate building or furniture of any kind need be provided.

Minimum attendance.—A minimum average attendance of pupils is required for every school. During the first o years the rule may be relaxed to permit schools with a m imum of 10 pupils to receive grant.

(2) *Training of the staff for Adult Literacy Work.*—Sanction is accorded for opening of six centres, i.e., two for each linguistic area of Tamilnad and Andhra, one in Malabar and one in South Kanara for this purpose in 1948–9, and for the employment of the following staff for each centre :—

(1) A school Assistant with an allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem ;

(2) A secondary grade teacher with an allowance of Rs. 15 per mensem ;

(3) A drawing-master on Rs. 45 in the scale of Rs. 45—3—90 and a mechanic on Rs. 50 ;

(4) A part-time music teacher on Rs. 30.

Sanction is also accorded for the expenditure of Rs. 100 a year for contingencies, stationery, etc., and also for the provision of the following equipment in each centre :—

	Maximum cost. RS.
(1) Three petromax lights	80 each.
(2) One magic lantern	150
(3) One gramophone	200
(4) Two Bagatolle boards	15 each.
(5) Ten sets of drawing materials ..	10 ,,
(6) Cut glass pieces for slide-making and other contingencies.	200

Aided managements will be given two-thirds grant for recurring expenditure and a half grant for the non-recurring expenditure.

The nature of training.—The candidates admitted to the course will be given instruction and training in adult psychology in methods of teaching adult literates on the Laubach's Quick Literacy Plan, in the preparation and use of slides, charts and reading sheets and in the methods of imparting general knowledge. They will also be given training in the use of magic lanterns, in singing und the principles of organizing village libraries and clubs. The period of training will be six weeks.

Qualifications for admission.—Any one who has passed III Form or VIII Standard Public Examination will be eligible for admission to the course. Teachers in Board Schools and aided schools may also be admitted to the course. They may be granted leave or deputed for the purpose.

During the training, trainees deputed by local bodies or by aided institutions will be paid a stipend of Rs. 15 a month or Rs. 22–8–0 for the entire course. Trainees not deputed by local bodies or by institutions will be paid a stipend of Rs. 22–8–0 a month or Rs. 33–12–0 for the entire course.

A batch of 30 candidates, of which 15 may be deputees and 15 non-deputees, will be trained in each centre in 1948–9. As the period of training is short, the candidates will be engaged throughout the day and, as such, it will be necessacy for them to live at the centre of training. It will be a great advantage if one of the villages where Basic Training School is proposed to be started next year is selected for this training.

In order that the Inspecting Officers may get acquainted with the methods of adult education, a few Deputy Inspectors, preferably the Personal Assistants to the District Educational Officers, should be asked to take the training for a period of ten days—a few with each batch. They will be paid no additional allowance, but they can draw the travelling and daily allowances admissible under the rules.

(3) *Rural Colleges for giving higher education to people who have had some education already.*—Sanction is accorded for the opening of three colleges under Government, one for each linguistic area and for the grant of recognition to 20 colleges if opened by private agencies or by local bodies. 22

Lecturers from colleges and graduate teachers from high schools and training schools may be selected to give lectures. The services of lawyers and doctors may also be utilized for the purpose. A remuneration of not more than Rs. 180 a term may be paid to each lecturer, three such lecturers being appointed for each college. To look after the permanent arrangements in connection with the Rural Colleges, a full time clerk or a higher grade elementary teacher may be appointed on the pay of Rs. 30 in the scale of Rs. 30—1—50.

Sanction is also accorded for the following items of expenditure :—

	Maximum expenditure
	RS.
Non-recurring.	
Library	300
Teaching aids	100
Petromax light	80
Magic Lantern	150
Lantern slides	50
Recurring.	
Lighting, Stationery, etc.	100 a year.

The aided colleges will be given a two-third grant on this basis on recurring expenditure and half grant for equipment. The fee income will be taken into account in deciding the amount of grant to be paid. An aided college may be given grants-in-aid if there is an average strength of not less than 15 students and if the prescribed syllabus is followed.

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Those who have had education up to a certain standard and who are anxious to improve their knowledge will be eligible for admission into these colleges. The course will consist of lectures, demonstration and discussions for a continuous period of two years. The syllabuses of study will include subjects like Literature, Politics, History, Economics, Co-operation, Sociology and some Science subjects. The colleges may also provide for a variety of subjects both of an academic and of a practical value, e.g. Agriculture and Engineering, etc. They can also provide for courses of study which are of special interest to women.

The two-year course will be divided into two terms and each term will consist of 30 lectures. For admission to the course, candidates should have a minimum qualification of a third form or eighth standard and should be able to attend all the lectures for a period of two years. The fee of Re. 1 per month should be levied from each candidate. The candidates should provide themselves with necessary books. Each College should have not less than an average attendance of 15 pupils for purposes of recognition and aid. The classes should be held at some convenient time either in the morning or evening—not less than an hour and 45 minutes. A portion of this should be spent on discussion and tutorial instructions.

Tests.—At the end of every term there will be a test and at the end of two years a comprehensive examination on the results of which certificates will be issued to the students.

(4) *Training camps for social service workers.*—Sanction is accorded for opening five camps for this purpose, two in Andhra, two in Tamilnad and one in the West Coast—attached to existing Social Service institutions. The training of adults for social service will be for 6 weeks and will deal with Social Service in Gandhian ideology. It will provide for rural social service workers who will take up voluntary work in the villages. The students, not exceeding 30, will be given a stipend of Rs. 15 per mensem, i.e., Rs. 22-8-0 for the course of 6 weeks. There should be three teachers and one attender for each camp. They will be paid an allowance of Rs. 50 and Rs. 25 per mensem respectively. Sanction is also accorded for expenditure of Rs. 100 on contingencies and equipment.

(5) *Training for citizenship and for leaders in Youth Movement.*—Sanction is accorded for opening a series of courses for this purpose as explained below. The first course will provide for the training of 120 persons for 15 days for the total number of 180 working hours Out of the 120 trained, about 40 should be selected to become trainers in their turns in future. These 40 should organize 8 training courses each to train 120 teachers in the same way as the first course preferably in the following places :

(1) Trichinopoly, (2) Coimbatore, (3) Salem, (4) Cuddapah, (5) Bellary, (6) Bezwada and (7) Calicut.

This cycle of training should be repeated thrice during the school year 1948–9 with the first of the central training during the term and decentralised training course during the mid-term, Christmas or Pongal and Summer holidays.

Sanction is accorded for the appointment of a Special Officer for three months on a consolidated pay of Rs. 300 per mensem (Rs. 250 plus Rs. 50), one Stenographer at Rs. 45 plus Rs. 35 special pay for three months, one peon at Rs. 16 per mensem for three months with the usual dearness allowances, to organize the course of training.

Sanction is also accorded for the following expenditure for each cycle of course :—

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Food for 120 trainees for 15 days at Re. 1.	1,800
Equipment	500
For 5 officers—food, travelling	300
Office expenses	100
Total ..	2,700

(6) *Visual instruction.*—Sanction is accorded for the purchase of 8 projectors and films for 8 districts at a cost of Rs. 5,000 per district and for the employment of one electrical mechanic on a pay of Rs. 40 plus Rs. 22 and one attender on Rs. 20 plus Rs. 16 for each district. The projectors and the set of films will be kept in the District Educational Officer's office in each district, so that they may be loaned out for rent to educational institutions for school or adult educational purposes. A reasonable amount of hire will be charged for the loan of these projectors. The Director of Public Instruction will fix the hire.

The expenditure will be debited to the head "37. Education—r. Miscellaneous—A. General—(i) Excluding Post-War Reconstruction—8. Other grants—Voted—Adult Education classes and night schools."

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

M. V. SUBRAMANIAN,
Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.
" Accountant-General (through Finance Department).
To the Finance Department.

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SECRETARIAT, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
10 MAY 1945
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

~~COMMISSIONER~~ Adviser
EDUCATIONAL ~~COMMISSIONER~~
to ~~WITH~~ THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
New Delhi,
5th May 1945.

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No. 2849-A.3

Dear Mr. Kudwa,

I am much obliged to you for your letter of 24th April and for your courtesy in sending me an advance copy of your official letter about post-war educational development. I will not attempt to deal with the issues raised until your official communication has been carefully examined and the attitude of the Govt. of India has been finally ascertained. I can only say that I have always regarded the Central Advisory Board's Report as an elastic framework within which it should be quite possible for all Provinces to work out plans suited to the needs of their areas and that my own personal object is to give any assistance in my power to promote this end and certainly not to raise unnecessary difficulties. I am sure that you or the D.P.I. will let me know if there is any way in which I can possibly be of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

John Sargent

V.N. Kudva, Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary to Government of Madras,
Madras.

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Admission of pupils in secondary schools – Restrictions – scheme for adult Edn. – Proposal

para 7, p 2 of (F)

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In ~~its~~ para 12 of its report on Post war educational development the Central Advisory Board of Edn. ~~suggested~~ recommended that ~~the~~ admissions to secondary schools shd. be made on a selective basis. The Post war Edn. Sub-committee, Madras, while considering the Board's report ~~expressed~~ ~~the view~~ thought that the ~~principle now followed~~ arrangements now in force in the matter of ~~to regulate~~ the admission of pupils from elementary to secondary schools ~~would be~~ were sufficient & that no further restriction need be imposed ~~in the matter~~. The Govt. consider that only such pupils shd. be admitted to secondary schools as are likely to take full advantage of secondary edn. The D.P.I. is requested to have the matter examined further & submit definite proposals for achieving the object in view.

2. In the matter of adult edn. the recommendation of the Sub committee is as follows :—

para 21, p 3 of (F)

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The Govt. consider that a scheme for adult edn. shd. be framed on the lines indi

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in the report of the Central Advisory Bd. The Director is requested to submit a scheme for the consideration of Govt. /A

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2/ ~~A copy of the~~ following ~~correspondence that has passed between this Govt. & the G. of I. is also forwarded to the D.P.I. for information.~~

~~(i) Memorandum of the Education, Health & Lands Depts & (ii) Letter from the Secy. to Govt., Ed. H. & L. Deptt. No. 636 Ed., of 24.6.45~~

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To the D.P.I.

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Edn. & Public Health DEPARTMENT.

REMINDER. Education Branch.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
18 OCT 1945
MADRAS

To The Director of Public Instruction

I ~~have the honour to invite~~ am directed to invite ~~invite~~ attention to Govt. Memo No. 2192 9/45, dated 11.9.45 and to request that the reply to it may be expedited. ~~request that this reminder may be returned at once with information as to—~~

(1) the stage at which the matter now is,
(2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
(3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

Office Secretariat
Station Fort St. George
Dated 11.10.45

Signature.
Asst. Secretary to Govt.
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11.10.45

SUBJECT.

Admission of pupils in secondary schools - Restrictions - Scheme for adult edn. - Proposal

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REPLY.

46707 To The Secretary to Govt.,
Edu. and P. H. Dept.

Resubmitted.

2) On the question of restriction of admission of pupils in Secondary Schools, the inspecting officers are being consulted and a reply will be submitted on receipt of their opinion.

3) Proposals re. adult Education referred to in para 2 of the Govt. Memo. are under Director's consideration.

for Director of Public Instruction
17.10.45

Edn. & P.H. Dept.

The D.P.I. may be reminded again on 20.11.45 if necessary.
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Edn. & Public Health DEPARTMENT.

Education Branch.

REMINDER.

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To The Director of Public Instruction

I ~~have the honour to invite~~ ~~am directed to invite~~ ~~invite~~ attention to Govt. Memo No. 2192 A1, dated 11. 9. 45 and

to request that the reply to it may be expedited.
~~request that this reminder may be returned at once with information as to—~~

(1) the stage at which the matter now is,
(2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
(3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

Office Secretariat
Signature. I. B. M.
Station Fort St. George
Designation. Asst. Secretary to Govt.
Dated 21.11.45

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To The Secretary to Govt.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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EDUCATION DEPT.

Resubmitted

2) The Inspecting Officers have been requested to offer their opinion in the matter. A reply to the Govt. Memo under reference will be submitted on receipt of the replies from the Inspecting Officers.

27/11/45

for Director of Public Instruction

This may be on [illegible] till 1.1.46.

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C. No. 21929 B2

Memo - 21929 B2/45-2 Edn dated 5/3/46

Sub:- Admission of pupils in Secondary Schools - Restrictions - Scheme for adult Education - proposals - Govt. Memo 21929 B1 dt 11.9.45

The D.P.I. is requested to expedite his ~~the~~ reply to the reference cited above, ~~as early as possible~~.

To
The D.P.I.

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R.C.No. 4624 B/45. Madras, dated 21--3--1946

From

Dr.S.R.U.Savoor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.,
Director of Public Instruction,MAD

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
28 MAR 1946
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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To

The Secretary to Government,
Edn & P.H. Department.

Sir,

Ref: Your Memo No. 21929 B2/45-2 Edn., dated 5-3-1946
Re: Scheme of Adult Edn. Restrictions on admission of pupils in Secondary schools.

The matter is under correspondence with the Divisional Inspector and District Edl.Officers and a reply will be submitted on receipt of necessary particulars from them.

For Director of Public Instruction.

P.R.K. 22/3/46

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Educational Department.

From
Dr. S. R. U. Savoor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.,
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
1 APR 1946
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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

No. 1822-E/45 Dated 27th March 1946.

Sir,

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Subject:- Admission of pupils in secondary schools - Restrictions.

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With reference to Government Memo No. 21929-A-1- Education dated 11th September 1945, I have the honour to submit the following views for the kind consideration and decision of Government: -

The present position in respect of admission to Secondary schools with reference to the selection principle may be summed up thus: admissions from elementary schools or private study are made by the heads of secondary schools on the application of parents at any stage up to and including 3rd form on the basis of tests, written or oral, the former predominating at the higher levels of admission. As in every other field of human effort, personalities of the teachers conducting the tests count much. The locality of the school, rural or urban; the position of the parent; the community to which the candidate for admission belongs; the views of the head, the objects of the management of the school - all these go a long way towards determining the value and the emphasis of the test.

2. The question raised by Government can be discussed with profit only against a back ground of facts, including the structure of the Secrotary, School Educational Organisation now existing. The first question that naturally comes up is, at what stage or stages admissions are to be permitted. The simple answer to this question will be that so long as there are parallel courses- one covering Standard I-VIII and the other starting with class I or IV(primary departments attached to Secondary schools)- the present practice of permitting transfers from the lower type ~~school~~ of school namely elementary schools, to the higher type of school namely the secondary school will have to be continued throughout the period. With reference to the principle of admission or selection, one has to appreciate clearly the various stages of development of the several communities in any one locality, the various stages of development of even the same community in the presidency as a whole, the relatively low efficiency level of the teachers in the lower grades, the backwardness both in quality and quantity of our secondary school education in comparison with the progress of even relatively backward communities of the west, the difficulty of evolving a standard test or standard tests capable of being applied in extensive areas with the agency available etc.,

3. The general opinion of the inspecting officers, who have been consulted in the matter, is that the stage has not come when a very definite scheme for selection could be drawn up. At present the heads of schools hold a test, though not a comprehensive one, and this acts, to a limited extent as a barrier to indiscriminate admissions. The suggestion has been made that the candidates for admission may go through examination similar to that gone through by promotees to the classes concerned in the preceding annual examination. Now, one of the handicaps of good school organisation is the fairly large amount of time taken up in admissions and the consequent postponement of the date of real commencement of work. The institution of an examination like this will only aggravate the difficulty and possibly postpone work further.

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4. I suggest that things may, for the time being, be left as they are for the following considerations: -

(i). The desire to change over to a Secondary School is due to the indifferent teaching in elementary schools. With the betterment of the qualifications of teachers in the latter, which is sure to come in the wake of better salaries proposed to be paid, the work in elementary schools will improve and the present desire will be less keen.

(ii). If boys go to secondary schools in large numbers, it is due to a certain extent to the absence of other ways in which they could equip themselves for life. Now that Government are more keenly conscious of the big gaps in Educational (Technical) organization and are thinking of setting right the defects, many who would otherwise have sought entrance to secondary schools would seek to take advantage of the new openings when they come.

(iii). Not all communities have been benefitted equally from the facilities, such as they are that are available to the youth of this Presidency. Any flat rule will hit the more backward communities badly.

(iv). The very idea of selection arises partly from the feeling that boys have not profitted from the Secondary Education. This is only a partially correct statement. The organisation of our Secondary Education itself is weak in some respects and the students are the products of the environment provided by the schools; and if the improvements contemplated are effected and the defects rectified, the boys should have, in view of the fact that our Secondary Education is not so wide spread as it should be, more access to it, instead of the other way round.

B 5. I have not got all the data required to enable me to submit my proposals regarding adult education. I shall address Government separately on this later.

FOR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS.

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Ed. H. Deptt.

The D.P.I.'s further report may be awaited. [The papers reqs. for dealing with the file ~~are~~ ~~be~~ ~~[illegible]~~ have been submitted to U.S. (Ed.) for perusal].

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The D.P.I. has not sent his proposals regarding adult Edn. as promised in his letter above. He may be reminded. The draft memo below is for approval.

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Edn. & P.H. Deptt.

Memo. No. 21929 B2/45-7 Edn. D/. 9-7-46.

Ref:- Letter from the D.P.I. Rc No. 1822-E/45 D/27-3-46

Sub:- Scheme for Adult Edn.

The attention of the D.P.I. is invited to para 5 of his letter read above and he is requested to ~~say~~ state when his proposals regarding "Adult Edn." may be expected.

To,
The D.P.I.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
24 JUL 1946
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

EDUCATIONAL **DEPARTMENT.**

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POSTWAR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT - Recommendations of the Central Advisory Board of Education - Scheme for Adult Education - Proposals:

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ENCLOSURES.
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R.C. No. 4614-B2/45

Station M A D R A S , *Dated the* 21st JULY 1946.

From (Name) DR.S.R.U. SAVOOR, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.,

(Designation) DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH Department.

Sir,

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REF:- Memorandum No. 21929-A.1. Education dated 11th September 1945 of the Education and Public Health Dept.,

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With reference to the above Memorandum, I have the honour to submit the following scheme of Adult Education for the consideration of Government. The scheme may be considered under two aspects:-

(1) Making illiterate adults literate and keep them literate.

(2) Adult education in the real sense to be developed through adult education centres, libraries, educational institutions, the radio and the cinema.

No. 1:- No. 1 is a problem by itself, vast and difficult to achieve effective results and the time - taken will have to be very long. Though the state and

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and the volunteer organizations may be eagar and give all facilities, the intrinsic problems that baffle the adult are many.

The adults come from various classes of society and from various trades and occupations. It is physically trying for them to take to any intellectual effort after a day's work. Anything by way of recreation will be most welcome to them. The major portion of the illiterate adults are women and with habits attached to home, attention to the household and children. The education that is given to such must be made worth the while for them. "How does it help me materially" is the question put by such ignorant but innocent people. Propaganda, persuasive talks and interest raised out of curiosity may bring some results; but whatever the practical difficulties, there is a lot of ~~Big talk~~ Plea about this and it is but fair and desirable that an honest attempt should be made. The following suggestions are made:

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(i) ORGANISATION:- The headmaster of the local High School, if any, with the help of the local Ad Hoc Committee may organize the grouping of such adults for one hour every evening of week days and 2 hours on Saturday or Sundays as the case may be. Teachers both men and women of local elementary schools will be chosen specially by the Headmaster in consultation with the local Deputy Inspector of Schools and given facilities to teach these children. Stationery, books etc., will be supplied by the school authorities or by Department if necessary.

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Lighting arrangements will be made by the teachers and cost thereof will be borne by the State.

There shall be a small library of story books and illustrated magazines of popular interest and humour. These shall be lent to pupils who show signs of reading ability and interest.

Monthly meetings of parents and local people shall be held where activities and play programme of the children will be demonstrated.

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For every group of 30 there shall be one male or one woman teacher as the group is of men or women. Individual attention will be paid only if classes are small.

For every secondary grade teacher an allowance of atleast Rs.12/- per mensem will have to be given. For every higher grade teacher, an allowance of Rs.8/- per mensem atleast will have to be given. (The Central Advisory Board has recommended one rupee per hour for each teacher and if the classes work for two hours for four days the amount comes to Rs.32/-).

School House	...	Free	
Lighting:	...	Capital cost - Petromax Rs.40/-	
		Recurring cost monthly Rs. 5/-	Rs.10/-
		Recurring cost stationery etc. Rs. 5/-	

Subjects of instruction.

Text	...	Mother tongue
Mathematics		Elementary Mathematics with reference to local conditions
Stories:		Historical and Mythological
General Knowledge:		Geography, Travel, Diet, Hygiene Civics.

Holidays shall be with reference to local conditions like Harvest, festivals etc.

2. REAL ADULT EDUCATION.

(a) The problem can best be tackled if the Government would release a few vans which were used by the National War Front organization. These were fitted with a radio and a projector. To these can be added a number of library books to be circulated among villagers. These vans will go round to each centre on three days in the week and 3 other days to another centre or at the rate of two days to three different centres. Young men and women with a gift for public-speaking may be attached to these and made to systematically organize their talks. Special 'talking points' may have to be prepared by a central organizationon various subjects like health, sanitation, education, agriculture, veterinary subjects, sociology etc.

(b) If these are not available, the picture houses or tents in the villages may be utilised for this. For this, pictures (35 m.m. standard) are available with Information Films of India and these can be had at library rates. The 16 m.m. films are available; but they are mostly ofwestern origin and may not have direct appeal to south Indian village conditions. But these pictures can be made here to suit and depict modern India with its own characteristics. Arrangements have to be made for the purchase of 16 m.m. projectors and projectors with electric generator self contained.

(c) In the first instance, a few places round about Madras in Chingleput, North Arcot and Nellore Districts may be selected.

On three days of the week, there will be classes for teaching the 3 Rs. and some general knowledge. On the other three days, pictures will be ~~seen.~~ shown.** This talk will be done by the Headmaster and Deputy Inspector. An honorarium of Rs.5/- per week may be given to each worker. The theatre may demand a rent of Rs.25/- for each show.

** Three reels for about 10 minutes each and a talk will follow on the picture seen. This talk will be a specially prepared one

It is desirable as already pointed out that a few centres are selected in districts round about Madras and the scheme worked out and after noting the effects and results of these measures, the scheme may be extended to other parts of the Province. If these tentative proposals are acceptable to Government, detailed cost of the scheme with selected centres will be worked out and submitted to Government.

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

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for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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Edn. & P. H. (B2) Deptt.

Letter No. 21929B2/45-9. Edn. D/ 12-9-46

To. Refer

The Secy. to the Govt. of India
(Edn. Deptt. of
New Delhi.

Sir,

Sub:- Admission to secondary schools on a Selective basis - Scheme for adult edn.

Kudewas

p. 11 cf. (A) [illegible]

In continuation of ~~my~~ letter No. 636 Edn., D/ 24-4-1945, I am directed to ~~say~~ state that the subjects (1) admission of students to secondary schools on a selective basis and (2) a scheme for adult edn. ~~were~~ have been further examined. ~~as stated in sub-paras (2) & (3) of para 3 of the letter.~~ The ~~Madras~~ Madras Govt. propose to convene a conference of educationists to discuss the various problems relating to edn. They are of the opinion.

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opinion that the two subjects ~~referred to above~~ shd. also be ~~examined~~ discussed ~~at~~ at the conference.
A final reply to the Govt. of India will be sent after the proposed ~~the~~ conference. ~~has concluded its discussion.~~

Y.o.S.

B.R.S.
10/9/46.

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10/9/46

11.9.46

Copy to the D.P.I.
(w.r.t. his letters
No. 1822 E/45
d. 29-3-46 &
No. 4614 B2/45
d. 26-7-46)

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Development Dept(G).

Extract from Note File C.No.38810-G.46. Re: Rural Development - Betterment of villages and Adult Education - Suggestions from Sri D.L.Ananda Rao.

To A.S.

Sri D.L.Ananda Rao of Allahabad forwarded in June last a synopsis of a scheme for the Betterment of Villages through scouting worked out by Hindusthan Association in the United Provinces. As only a synopsis was forwarded, it was considered desirable to obtain the details of the scheme~~for the consideration of the Govt.~~ Sri Ananda Rao was accordingly asked to furnish the details of the scheme for the consideration of the Govt. He has now forwarded two schemes --namely (1) Scheme for the use of village Scoutmasters and (2) Scheme for ~~the use of village scout masters~~ Adult Education.~~with~~

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(2) Scheme for Adult Education: E. and P.H. Dept ~~xx~~ are concerned with this. The Scheme may be sent to that Dept for consideration.

B.R.
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The Scheme relating to Adult Education may be forwarded to E and P.H. Dept. for consideration.

Y.S.
15.9.46

R.M.S.
17.9.46.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
19 SEP 1946
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Dev. W.O. No. 38810.G/46-3.
17/9/46

(True copy)

B. Rama Rao.
~~Superintendent~~ Supdt.
18/9/46.

To

The Education and Public Health Dept(with AdultEducation Scheme in original).

HIN DUSTAN SCOUT ASSOCIATION, U.P.

Scheme for Adult Education

AIM AND PURPOSE

The ultimate aim of the Hindustan Scout Association, Adult Education programme, like that of the Association itself, is to help adults irrespective of race, creed and caste to become good citizens of the Motherland, reverencing God, subordinating personal interests to the needs of the country and seeking to be useful to those around them.

This entails the development of the character of the youth and adults inculcating in them, patriotism. courage, self-respect, reliance, tolerance, leadership, discipline and kindred virtues, and encouraging growth of originality and observation.

For the attainment of this aim, it is our strong belief that the best method is that formation of Rover Scout Crews according to the schemes made out by the Association both for rural and urban area. The Association strongly recommends these schemes for real adult education.

But may be that there are many who may not be in a position to bind themselves to such an intensive training. So a scheme of a less intensive type may be useful and necessary. For this purpose we suggest this scheme of starting and conducting Adult Education centres. This may also provide avennue of service for our scouts and scouters.

ADULT EDUCATION CENTRES

Each District Association should attempt to start at least one Adult Education Centre either in the rural or urban area.

Location:-

These centres should be located in some building not far from the residence of the people for whom it is intended. Before starting such a centre great care should be taken to select a suitable location. The following points may be kept in mind in selecting the locality.

(a) Presence of sufficient number of people round about who can be persuaded to take advantage of the benefits of the activities of the centre.

(b) Availability of a suitable building and grounds. If one or two rooms are available entirely for this prupose well and good, but in these days of scarcity of housing accomodation it may not be possible. In such cases, permission may be obtained from the authorities of existing day-schools for the utilization of these buildings for the purpose of adult education.

(c) Easy reach of the volounteers who have to help in the running of the centre.

ACTIVITIES

Activities of the Adult Education centres must be varied nd catering for the needs and interests of the different types of people round about the centre and for whom the centre is intended. The following suggestions may be considered:-

(a) Adult Literacy classes:- Literacy is certainly a re-requisite for propoer adult education, and with 86% of our ountrymen illiterate, holding of Adult Literacy classes must be one of the chief item of the programme of our work. The short note appended with this will give some ideas about the different methods available for teaching reading and writing to adults. But care must be taken to see that our adult education programme does not swindle down to mere adult literacy classes. Other items also should be included to ake it a real Adult Education.

(b) Lectures on better living, particularly on ealth and hygine. These may be illustrated with lantern slides. In many District such slides available with the District Medical

Officer of Health and the help of the public health department can be very well utilised for this purpose.

(c) Periodic lactures on current topics.

(d) A Wall-News paper :- Wall News paper is a very common device in Soviet Russia for adult eudcation, and may be found very useful in Indiaas well. Articles, news, etc., in bold characters are pasted on a wall meant for this purpose and visitors to the centres will be able to benefit if the paper is properly edited and run.

(e) Classes for teaching English and such other subjects also may be held at the centre if there is demand for them. Classes connected with the professions of the adults attending the centre will be very useful and welcomed.

(f) A lending library must certainly be found in every centre.

(g) Recreational items :- One of the greatest needs of working class communities either in the rural or urban area is the need for healthy means of recreation and relaxation and every adult education centre must cater for this.

Activities like camp fires, amatheur the atricales, Bhajan, Mandalis, fold-dances, must be organised at the centres. If a centre can manage to acquire a radio set it will be a very great asset, as the radio is certainly going to be one of the chief means of adult education in the near future.

The above are some suggestions for activities at the centre. But, it is not expected that all these can be found or started in a particular centre. Suitable items must be selected suiting to the people for whom the centre is catering. It will be a mistake to start too many things in the beginning, these activities must be allowed to grow slowly and steadly.

Personel:-

For this satisfactory working of an adult education centre of this sort, it is very desirable to have a paid worker who will be able to help in the organisation and keep the activities going on even when it may not be possible for volunteers to be present due to one reason or the other. But to maintain the right spirit of service as well as to have a variety of activities it is very necessary to secure the volountry services of a number of workers. The paid workers may be a wholetime worker or part-time as the extent of work require.

Organisation and Management:-

The organisation and management of the centre be made the responsibility of a sub-committee of the District Scout Association. It will be very necessary to get into this committee the services of influential men who will be prepared to give of their time and means for the furtherance of work. Scouters who are prepared to help with their personnel services must certainly find a place in the sub-committee.

The centre can also be affiliated to the All India Adult Education Association(772, East Park Road, Delhi Karolbagh. They publish a monthly journal "The Indian Journal of Adult Education"(₨ 2/8/- p.m.) which will be found ~~xxxxxx~~ to be very useful to all adult education workers.

FINANCE

(a) Adult education unit comprising of 15 adult education centres.

	In cities.	Rural areas.
1. Adult education teacher scout.	20 20 15=3600/-	25 12 15=4500/-
2. Adult education organiser.	50 12 1 = 600/-	50 12 1= 600/-
3. Travelling allowance to no 2	nil	15 12= 180/-
4. Books and equipment at ₨ 50/- per school..................	50 15= 750/-	50 15= 750/-
	₨ 4950/-	₨ 6030/

Education expenditures for one unit of 15 adult education centres in cities works out ₨ 4950/- while those of the rural areas at ₨ 6030/-

(b) ADULT EDUCATION INSTITUTE

1. Principal......................	100 12 =	1200/-	
2. Assistant......................	60 12 =	720/-	
3. Miscellaneous expension........	50 12 =	600/-	including a servant.
4. Library and books..............		600/-	
		₨ 2120/-	

It is evident from the figures that a fairly good amount of money wil have to be found to carry on a centre working in its different aspects. But the work will have to be increased or decreased as the financial resources permit.

All the amounts necessary will have to be realised by the committee in charge of the work, by donations, grants from Municipal boards, District Boards, Education Expansion Department, Co-operative Societies and various other sources. A small fee may be charged from those who want to learn English and such other subjects. But no substantial income can be expected from the sources. But we fully believe that money for this purpose will be forthcoming provided there are men to work for this.

1. Edu. & P. H(B2) Dept

17/24/9 D.O. No. 54753 B2/46 – Edu. Dt. 23-9-46

Dear Dr. Savoor,

Sub:- Adult edu – Inclusion as a subject of study ~~course~~ in training ~~colleges and~~ schools.

I am to forward a copy of a ~~note~~ minute from H.M. (Edn) on the subject noted above and to request you to offer your remarks on the suggestion ~~contained~~ made in the note.

Yours sincerely

Rao Bahadur
Dr. S. R. U. Savoor M.A.,
D.Sc., I.E.S.,
D.P.I.
(with ~~note~~ copy of note)

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Edn. P.H. B.2.

D.O. No. ~~54753~~ B2/46. Edn. dated ~~22.9.46~~.

Sub:- Adult Education. Inclusion as a Subject of Study in training Colleges and Schools.

Dear Dr. Savoor,

I am to invite a reference to ~~Mr.~~ Viswanathan's d.o. of 54753 B-1, d 22.9.46 on the subject mentioned above, and to enquire when a reply to it ~~is~~ ~~might~~ may be expected.

Yours sincerely,

To
Rao. Bahadur
Dr S R U Savoor M.A,
D.Sc. I.E.S.
D.P.I.

25.10.46

26/10/46

D.O.No.7846-E.4/46.

Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, 16th November 1 9 4 6.

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My dear Subramanian,

Ref: Your D.O.No.54753-B-2/46 dated 29-10-46 regarding inclusion of Adult Education as a subject of study in training schools and colleges.

The Principals of Government Training Colleges and the Chairman of the T.S.L.C. Board, Madras, have been requested to offer their remarks on the subject. So far, the Principals of training colleges have sent their remarks. A reply is still due from the Chairman of the T.S.L.C. Board and he has been reminded to expedite his reply.

Yours sincerely,

S R U Savoor.

M.V. Subramanian Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Dept.,
FORT ST. GEORGE.

The file may be seen till 20.12.46.

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SECRETARIAT, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
11 DEC 1946
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

D.O.No.7846-E4/46.

Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, 9th December 1946.

My dear Subramanian,

REF:-Your D.O.No.54753-B2/46-1, Education, dated 23-9-46 and 29-10-1946 re: inclusion of Adult Education as a subject of study in Training Colleges and Schools.

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For Adult Education, Higher elementary grade trained teachers will not be suitable. The emergency training course will be for 18 months next year, if the Government accept my proposal. The Hon'ble Minister desires our Training schools to be converted into Basic Training schools, which means that considerable time will have to be given to a craft and the fundamental principles of basic education. Hence it is not possible to introduce Adult Education in the curriculum of our Training schools.

2. Teachers for Adult Education should have special training and this may be given at special centres by specialists who have experience in this work and the extent to which training should be given depends a great deal on the programme of Government. So there is no need to make it a part of the general Training school course.

3. Also, this is a subject in which we are at the very initial stage. Having determined the number of persons necessary for the approved programme, we can have special centres where people with experience either in theory or in practice might give some helpful hints. Probably, one month's training will be enough for the time being and this can be given in the holidays when we could use the training school or other school buildings. It is only in due course that we can build up the machinery and create the literature.

4. As regards inclusion of the subject in the B.T. or B.Ed. courses, the Universities of Madras and Andhra are being addressed in the matter.

Yours sincerely,

SRU Savoor

P.T.O.

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To

M.V. Subramanian, Esq., I.C.S.
Secretary to Government,
Edn. & Pub. Health Department,
Fort St. George.

E & P.H. Dept. [B2]

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Memo. no 21929 B2/47-9 Edn. Dated 26.2.47

Sub: Adult education - Opening of night ~~high~~ schools.

2/5/47
2/7/47
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The Govt consider that special provisions should be made, for educating adults by opening night schools for them. The Director is requested to ~~furnish~~ submit proposals for the opening of night schools particularly for labourers. ~~areas~~

18/2/47

To
The D.P.I.
Madras

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EDUCATION AND. PUB. HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

REMINDER. EDUCATION. Branch.

To The DIRECTOR.
OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. MADRAS.

I ~~have the honour to invite~~ am directed to invite ~~invite~~ attention to Govt memo

No. 21929B2/47-9 dated 26. 2. 47. and to request that the reply to it may be expedited ~~request that this reminder may be returned at once~~ with information ~~as to—~~

(1) the stage at which the matter now is,
(2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
(3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

Office SECRETARIAT

Signature.

Station FORT ST. GEORGE for ASST SECY for to Govt E&P.H. Designation. Dept

Dated 2. 5. 1947.

SUBJECT.

ADULT EDUCATION - OPENING OF NIGHT SCHOOLS.

2.5.47

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Re. 280 B2/47.
12-5-47

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REPLY.

To The Secretary to Government,
Edn. and P. H. Dept.,
Madras.

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

Resubmitted.

The matter is under correspondence with my subordinate officers.

A reply will be submitted to Government, shortly.

R. Narasimhan
12/5/47

For Director of Public Instn.

E&P.H. Dept [B2]

This may lie over. 30.6.47.

16.5.47 17.5.47 19-5-47

THE SOUTH INDIAN ADULT EDUCATION ASSOCIATION.

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

MINISTER FOR EDUCATION
GOVT. OF MADRAS

22 Cathedral Road, Madras 6.

Camp: Patamata.

Date: 16-7-1947.

26 AUG 1947

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Dear Mr. Avinasalingam Chettiar,

Thanks you for your letter of the 4th July, 1947. I am glad 1) that you recognise that immediate removal of illiteracy cannot be brought about merely through schools for children, 2) that you are in touch with Mr. A.G. Vilvaroy and that you desire to evolve a good scheme in this direction.

Almost immediately on the heels of your letter I had the final reply from the D.P.I to my last letter of a series over six months of interviews and letters. I am sending you a copy of the same. I am afraid the department is not sufficiently aware of your views in the matter and they think that you stick to the old regime's view that compulsory education of children solves the literacy question. May I request you that in addition to making your view clear to the department and asking them to prepare a scheme for immediate removal of Adult Illiteracy, you may be so good as to pass orders loaning the service of Sri A.G. Vilvaroy for one year sanctioning his pay and allowances for that period, to our Association to work out a literacy scheme for the jail population in the first instance or in the alternative ask the Educational Department to depute him specially for that work. I may assure you that our association is prepared to co-operate with you to the utmost if you but start Adult Literacy work.

Thanking you.

Yours Sincerely,

G. Harisarvottama Rao
President

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From

Sri D.S. Reddi M.A. (oxon) M.B.E.
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

Sri G. Harisarvottama Rao, M.A.,
President, South Indian Adult Education Asson.,
22 Cathedral Road, Madras 6.

Dis C. No. 3374/47 dated 5th July, 1947.

Sir,

Ref:- Your letter dated 7-6-47 regarding the deputation of Sri A.G. Vilvaroy, Deputy Inspector of Schools to the Central ~~Jil~~ Jail, Vellore for Adult Education work.

I may inform you that ~~pmx~~ your suggestion to lend the services of Sri A.G. Vilvaroy will be considered only if the Inspector ~~Genral~~ General of Prisons makes a request to that effect. In the alternative the Association may take the loan of services of the Deputy Inspector for a period of one or two years for work in the prison Vellore or/and elsewhere. For this also the association should obtain the sanction of the Inspector General of Prisons or Government.

I request you, therefore, to address Government in the matter.

Signature illegible.

For Director of Public Instruction.

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D.O. no. 21929 B2/47-1   Edn. Dt 1. 10. 47

~~Dr~~ Dear
Dr Savoor.

Sub: Adult Education

I am to forward a copy of the note on the subject mentioned above and to request you to submit concrete proposals ~~on the subject as desired by HM (Edn)~~ for the introduction of Adult Education as desired by HM. (Edn)

Yours sincerely.

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Office of the
R.C. No. 780 B.2/47 Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, dated 10th October 1947.

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From
Dr. S.R.U. Savoor, M.A., D.Sc.(Lond), I.E.S.,
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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

Sir,

SUB:- Adult Education = Opening of Night Schools = Proposals = Submitting:

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p. 35. ante

REF:- Government Memorandum No.21929 B.2/47-9 Edn. dated the 26th February 1947.

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With reference to the Government Memorandum cited above, that/ I have the honour to submit/the following points have to be considered in regard to the proposal for the opening of Night Schools for Adult labourers:-

(1) The scheme should include both literary and education:
(2) The Agency which should take up the opening and maintenance of these schools:
(3) How a beginning could be made:
(4) Staff to be employed in these night schools:
(5) Syllabuses and courses of study to be followed:
(6) Provision of accommodation, equipment, etc.

Taking the first, mere literary may not be of much use and such acquisition will never be permanent. Any scheme of adult education should provide facilities for continuation education and self education.

M In regard to the agency which can open and run these Night schools though they are primarily intended for labourers, it is considered that to ask the Labour Department to open such schools is not neither feasible nor desirable. At the outset, I consider it desirable and sufficient that the scheme is tried in a few selected centres where there are factories or mills and where a sufficient strength can be expected for such schools.

It does not seem worth while running a night school, if there is not atleast a strength of 25 adults.

R1 2. Though most of the inspecting officers say that the day school teachers after their hard days' work, will not be able to evince sufficient interest in handling these night classes, I do not suggest a different set of teachers for this work for two reasons. It will be expensive and there is difficulty in getting trained teachers at present. The day school teachers may be engaged for these schools and may be paid remuneration. Secondary Grade trained teachers only should be employed and they may be given a remuneration of Rs.20/- a mont

3. As regards the subjects to be taught to the Adult labourers, all the officers are of the opinion that it is psychologically unsound and impossible to try to teach them the "3 Rs" in the usual manner. As the labourers come home after a day's hard work, the instruction that it imparted should be interesting to them.

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The scope of work in these schools should be mainly to teach reading and writing and simple figure work to those who are inclined to learn. The aim of these schools is to enable the adults to read and understand a newspaper, to read and write letters and understand current events of general interest. With this end in view, the syllabuses need not therefore be confined to the "3 Rs" but may include also general knowledge subjects such as Agriculture, Dairy Farming, Sanitation, etc. and the lessons may be in the form of short talks. The public library, may be made use of in this connection. Bhajanas, Kalashapams, telling stories (Puranic and Historic) etc., may prove alternatives.

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In places where rural radios have been installed, the radio programmes may also be made use of, especially the rural programmes.

4. As for accommodation and equipment necessary for the schools, the accommodation and equipment available in the day schools can be used for the purpose of these Night Schools. However, expenditure has to be incurred in respect of each Night School for the provision of lighting and purchase of other sundry articles.

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5. Under the circumstances stated above, the Adult Education Scheme may be tried in a few selected centres in each District where there is a large labour population. In selecting centres, the object should be that the scheme should prove fruitful and areas where labourers predominate and which are definitely backward in education should be given the priority. It should alsobe kept in view that the availability of willing band of enthusiastic and social workers can be one of the reasons for selecting a particular centre.

6. Definite and detailed proposals will be worked out and submitted to Government after the receipt of their approval in general to the proposals now made.

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7. I have to invite the attention of Government in this connection to this office letter RC.No.4614 B.2/45 dated the 21st July 1946 and to request Government to lay down a general policy and issue instructions about adult schools in general, as at present, there appears to be no definite scheme.

VRR 20/10

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Ed & P.H. (Dr.) Dept.

V. E.

D. O. No. 21929 Br/45-10. Edn. S. 30-10-47

Dear Dr. Savoor,

Subject - Scheme for Adult Education.

P.P. 45-47 cf

Ref. Correspondence ending with your letter no. 780. Br/47 d/10-10-47.

I am to ~~forward~~ enclose a copy of a ~~note~~ minute dated 30-10-47 of ~~the~~ H. M. (Edn) on the subject ~~mentioned~~ indicated above and to request you to send up proposals for ~~the~~ starting ~~of~~ adult education classes and night schools as indicated in the H. M.'s ~~note~~ minute. As the matter is very urgent, a reply ~~should~~ may very kindly be sent before the 10th of November ~~next~~.

Yours Sincerely,

Z at P.P. 12-13

Clean copy on the card

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To

Dr. S. R. U. Savoor, M.A.; D.Sc., I.E.S.,
D.P.I.,
Madras
(with a copy of note).

Ag. 30.10.47

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In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

Education DEPARTMENT.

Received ______ *Registered* ______

From (Name) Dr. S. R. U. Savoor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.,
(Designation) Director of Public Instruction,
Post Box ______, (Station) Madras.
Telegraphic Address 'INSTRUCTION'.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St.George, Madras.
R. C.No. 780-B2/47. *dated* 17th November 1947.

1.49. ante

Sir,

SUBJECT:- SCHEME FOR ADULT EDUCATION -- SUBMITTING.
Reference: Your D.O.No.21929-B2/45-10 Edn., dated 30th October, 1947.

Enclosures ______

Spare Copies ______

With reference to the D.O. referred to above, I have the honour to submit herewith a scheme on Adult Education prepared on the lines of the Minister's note.

As regards making Adults literate, as mentioned in the note, this type of education may be left to the ordinary night schools. These night schools which are now aided with reference to the Rules relating to aid of Elementary schools and which generally admits only pupils of school age who are unable to study in day-schools, may admit adults also and no age limit need be fixed for admission in these schools. These schools may be continued to be governed by the present rules for grants. If necessary the minimum number of hours may be reduced from 2½ Hours to 2 hours which will be adequate for adults.

If, however, Government feel that separate night schools should be opened for Adults alone a separate set of rules will have to be framed in regard to the basis on which grants have to be paid to these schools on the lines of the Honourable Minister's note.

P.T.O.

2. The scheme enclosed is meant to provide further education to those who have had ~~seme~~ some education already.

3. Action will be taken to instruct all educational institutions ~~and~~ to provide necessary facilities on receipt of the orders of Government on the scheme submitted now.

4. A list of subject, and ~~types~~ topics will be submitted in a day or two.

VKR 17/4

FOR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

ks. 1711.

SCHEME OF ADULT EDUCATION.

SCOPE.

The following scheme of Adult Education is prepared on the lines of the Education Minister's note.

Adult Education may be understood in three ways:

(1) Aimed at making adults literat~~ure~~e;

(2) Giving further education to those who have already received some kind of education;

(3) In the form of extension lectures to those who have already received a High School Education.

As pointed out by the Minister, the first type of education may be left to the ordinary night schools conducted with or without Government aid. While encouragement should be given to schools started by agencies whose main object is service, schools started by teacher-managers with a view to profit may be discouraged, as past experience has shown that schools of this type ~~was~~ were very ill-conducted and their contribution to literacy was very little.

The third type of education usually known as Extension Lectures may be safely left to the Universities. It is understood that the Madras University is planning this work.

The present scheme is, therefore, limited to the second type of Adult Education, viz., provision of further study to those who have had education up to a certain standard and who are anxious to improve their knowledge.

The scope for these lectures may be defined as providing for instruction up to a High School standard or Intermediate standard in a variety of subjects, not necessarily those usually studied in schools and colleges. The persons who are expected to attend ~~at~~ these classes should be assumed to have studied at least up to III Form of a Secondary school or 8th standard of a Higher Elementary School. These people should be assumed to possess sufficient knowledge to read a newspaper in their mother tongue. The courses will have to be planned on this assumption.

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AGENCIES.

While the scheme will have to be directed by Government, the actual agencies may be Government institutions, Local Bodies, aided educational institutions, libraries and voluntary non-official agencies interested in this kind of work. The centres selected for the classes must always be an educational institution, unless there is a suitable library in the place providing the neeessary facilities. While the District Educational Officer of each district may be entrusted with the work of organizing these classes, there may be a committee for each district consisting of the District Educational Officer, the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, the District Health - Officer and two other non-officials interested in Education and social work. It will be their duty to select the centres, the subjects and the lecturers.

DETAILS OF THE SCHEME.

In each district, 20 centres may be selected every year and at each centre, instruction or lectures may be arranged in six subjects for the year. There may be not more than 10 lectures on each subject. There will thus be about 60 lectures for the year at each centre. The main thing in any Adult Education is the provision for discussion and reading. It is, therefore, suggested that in each subject, in addition to the 10 lectures there may be 5 discussionx classes. During these classes the lecturer should be able to answer questions, clear doubts and to guide the adults in the matter of further study. It is thus seen 15 classes or meetings will be held for each subject. This will mean that the adults will be engaged for 90 evenings in a year. I think thisx ought to be sufficient. Though the duration of the classes may be left to be decided by the lecturer and the students the actual lecture should be planned for only an hour each evening, though there may be questions and discussions after this. It is also suggested that the classes be held on alternate days.

A list of subjects or topics which should be considered strictly provisional, is attached to this note. Subjects and topics may be added to from time to time in the light of experience gained.

The main thing is to provide for these adults instruction in subjects which they are anxious to learn. I suggest that the topics that may be selected each year may be selected one from each group of subjects and they may be varied in the succeeding year.

It will be useful to prescribe a minimum strength for these classes and I suggest 15, though 20 will be a decent numbe It will be very necessary to ensure regular attendance if the students are to derive any benefit from these courses. The perso in charge of the classes should maintain an attendance register an submit a report at the close of every course as to the number of adults who attended the course from the beginning to the end. The same set of people may not attend all the courses, but it will be a waste of effort if they do not attend a particular course completely. Though no restriction should be placed on the type of person who may be permitted to attend, general instructions may be given: (1) pupils of High Schools and students of colleges should not be permitted to take these courses, unless the subjects happen to be those not provided for in their schools and colleges. This safeguard is necessary as otherwise they will be merely converted into supplemental school teaching or college lectures. (2) Those who attend the classes should possess a certain amoung of general knowlege to follow the lectures. They might have at least completed III Form of a Secondary School or 8th standard of a Higher Elementary School.

All these lectures should undoubtedly be given in the local language.

Detailed syllabus and points for the lectures will be got prepared with the help of experts and submitted to Government in due course.The synopsis for these courses ~~fr~~ should be translated, printed and provided free to the adults taking the courses.

LIBRARY.

Books for consultation and for further reading in [illegible] subjects are es[illegible]ial for any successful scheme [illegible]

Education. Such books are not usually found in the scho college libraries. It will, therefore, be necessary to a library in each centre. The institution which arrange classes may be entrusted with the proper maintenance of

COST OF THE SCHEME.

As suggested by the Education Minister, Rs.40/- fo course of lectures may be considered adequate, but the numb lectures may be 10 followed by 5 discussion and reading cla In addition, a sum of Rs.10/- to meet contingent expenditure as lighting, preparation of charts and diagrams and other expe in connection with the classes may be sanctioned for each cour making Rs.50/- maximum for a course. According to the above s gestion, if each centre will provide for 6 lectures the cost fo each centre will ~~prm~~ work out at Rs.300/- for the year. In addi tion to this , a sum of Rs.100/- may be provided for the purcha of books and charts to form the nucleus of an Adult Education library. So the expenses for each centre may be taken as Rs.400/ and for the 20 centres in a district, it will be about Rs.8,000/-. An equipment in the shape of a projector ~~of~~ or a lantern may be necessary, but instead of providing this for every centre, one or two may be provided for the whole district and may be taken to the centres whenever necessary. Rs.1,500/- for the purchase of a projector and a lantern may be provided during 1948-49. Though this should not be considered a recurring expenditure it will be necessary to spend This amount for a few years till each centre is provided with a lantern or a projector, A sum of Rs.500/- will be required for printing and distribution of the syllabuses.

The Minister's suggestion that ~~while~~ where aided agencies conduct these classes, half the amount of remuneration alone need be paid by way of grant may not work satisfactorily. Aided agencies, unless they have sufficient resources, or a sufficiently interested in this type of work, may not care incur any expenditure. It may lead to their paying only the grant as remuneration to the Lecturer without contrib anything from their own funds. It is, therefore, for co whether the remuneration suggested by the Minis

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paid in full whatever the agency under whose auspices the classes are organised. If the Government still feel that aided agencies should be given a chance to make their own contribution, 5 more centres may be added raising the total number of centres to 25. And 10 of the centres may be worked under a grant scheme, Government contributing half the expenses of running the course.

CONTROL.

Though the work in the districts will be entrusted to the District Educational Officers, it is necessary that there should be an officer in charge of this work for the whole Province. It will be his duty to prepare schemes, to allocate funds, to guide the District Educational Officer and to co-ordinate the work of the various agencies engaged in this work. He should be an officer in the grade of D.E.O. attached to the Office of the Director of Public Instruction. This officer may also be given the work of organizing libraries under the new Library Act. It may perhaps be desirable to have a small committee to select subjects and prepare instructions to the Lecturers on the manner in which the subject should be presented.

A MONTHLY JOURNAL.

The publication of a journal may also be considered. It is not for giving news about Adult Education, but for providing reading matter suitable for Adults. Articles on subjects of interest may be got written by experts in a manner that will appeal to the general reader and published in the various languages in the Province. Ordinary text-books are not likely to be useful for the type of persons whom the schemes will attempt to instruct.

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

R.C.No.780-B2/47. Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
Cathedral P.O., Madras, 26th December 1947.

From

Dr.S.R.U.Savoor, M.A., D.Sc., I.E.S.,
Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To

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

MINISTER FOR EDUCATION
23 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MADRAS

JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
23 JAN 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Sir,

SUBJECT: Scheme for Adult Education -
REF: Your D.O.No.21929-B2/45-10 Edn., dated 30-10-47. p.51. ante.

In continuation of my letter dated 17th November 1947, I am enclosing a provisional list of subjects suitable for Adult Education classes. pp.65-66. infra.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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for Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Copy to the Hon'ble Minister for Education, Fort St.George,
Madras.

LIST OF SUBJECTS AND TOPICS SUITABLE FOR ADULT EDUCATION LECTURES.

LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE (Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam and Kannada)

On particular authors and on particular subjects.

Appreciation of Literature.

Books by modern authors.

Ballads and Folk Songs.

HISTORY:

Special periods of Indian History.

South Indian History.

Local History.

Ancient seats of civilization.

GEOGRAPHY:

Physical Geography

The Earth

Mountains and Rivers.

The Sun, Moon and Stars.

How man has conquered the environment.

HEALTH:

Physiology.

The working of the human body.

Health of the individual and of the community.

Food and Nutrition.

Common diseases and how to prevent them.

The requirements of a good house.

The health of the child.

Nursing the sick.

First Aid.

ECONOMICS:

Value of things.

Money

Banks

Rural Economy.

Industrial Progress.

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CIVICS:

How we are governed.

The meaning of Law and Justice.

Co-operative Societies.

The Village Administration.

The tax and its meaning.

AGRICULTURE AND GARDENING:

Agriculture - its ~~exer~~ several aspects. Care of Cattle Poultry, Bee-keeping etc.

Irrigation.

Gardening - for profit and pleasure.

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE:

Composition of things (Chemistry)

Forces in Nature

Electricity

Steam

Cotton, Iron, Coal, Rubber.

Radio.

Plant Life.

Animal Life.

HOW WE ARE DEFENDED:

The modern Army and its equipment.

The Navy

Air Force.

MODES OF TRAVEL:

Railway, Steamship, Air travel.

Roads and Bridges.

BIOGRAPHIES:

Lifes of great men who have contributed to human progress - Thinkers, Scientists, Reformers, Statesmen etc.

Edn.& P.H.Dept. ~~(B2)~~.

Part II Scheme for 1948-49.

copies sent to Finance on 22/12/47.

Subj:- Opening of adult education classes and night schools.

Summary.

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Head of account.	Item of expenditure.	Ultimate cost.		Cost in 1948-49.	
		Recurring.	Non-recurring.	Recurring.	Non-recurring.
(1)	(2)	(3) Rs.	(4) Rs.	(5) Rs. (9 months)	(6) Rs.
37. Education - r. General - Miscellaneous - 8 - Other grants.	Opening of adult education classes and night schools.	3,64,000 ~~3.64 lakhs~~	36000	2,73,000 ~~2.73 lakhs~~	36000

1500×24

24×1500 = 36000.

A.E.
24×20×400 = 1.92 lks

N.S.
50×24×144 : 1.72

3,64

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1.92 lakhs

400×20×24

50×24×12×12

Explanatory note.

The D.P.I. has submitted proposals for the opening of adult education classes in 20 centres in each district. In each centre, instruction ~~or lectures~~ or lectures will be given to adults in 6 subjects chosen for the purpose at the rate of 10 lectures on each subject. The lectures will ~~gather~~ cover various topics providing instruction up to a high school standard or Intermediate standard, not necessarily those usually undergone in schools and colleges. Adults who have received education up to a certain standard and who are anxious to improve their knowledge will be admitted for the course. The expenditure calculated for each centre has been estimated at Rs.300 per year, besides a sum of Rs.100/- required for the purchase of books and charts to form the nucleus of ~~the~~ an adult education library. A sum of Rs.1,500/- will be required for the purchase of a projector and a lantern for each ~~centre~~. dt.

2. H.M.(Edn.) has suggested that night schools should be opened in 50 centres in each district. The teachers employed in night schools will be allowed grants at Rs.12/- a month.

3. The Finance Dept. has suggested that the scheme may

be tried as an experimental measure in a few districts to begin with and extended later on to other districts with reference to the results achieved. H.M. (Education) has ~~ordered~~ minuted that the scheme suggested by the D.P.I. should be accepted as a whole.

The ~~orders in circulation on the subject~~ minutes of H.M. (Edn) and H.M. (Fin) are extracted below ~~for facility of discussion at the meeting of the Standing Finance Committee.~~

" Adult Education is very important. Just now, there is a lot of communist propaganda done on people who know nothing and so simply swallow whatever is said to them. Unless we educate the public by proper classes about the idealogy of Government and the basic economy principle, the people will be easily misled. This has become an imperative and immediate duty on us especially because of the coming adult suffrage. I would like the scheme suggested by the D.P.I. to be accepted as a whole and also provide for a few night schools at least about 50 per district. The payment for these night schools may be only about Rs.12 a month. That will mean Rs.15,000. I do not know whether it ~~was~~ will be necessary to run an adult education journal. The D.P.I. may be asked to send his detailed suggestions about it later on and it may be considered separately when the details are received. For the present, the provision for adult education and for night schools may be as mentioned above. "

T.S.A.,
12-12-47.

" I do not think we can open a night school with Rs.12/- per mensem. I doubt very much whether these can counteract communist propaganda either. Let us take 10 to 15 schools a district for the present."

B.G.R.,
16-12-47.

" I am afraid I have not (been) made understood the full implications of the scheme. I regard this matter of adult education very important. Adult education refers not only to night schools but also adult education classes in a regular recognised form in politics, economics and in many other professions also. I would like to have this matter considered properly by the Standing Finance Committee and the Cabinet. This may please go before the Standing Finance Committee."

T.S.A.,
17-12-47.

May go before Standing Finance Committee.

B.G.R.,
18-12-47. "

The total cost of the scheme on opening adult education classes as proposed by the D.P.I. (and) night schools as ordered by H.M. (Edn) has been indicated in the summary at the top. This Dept. may recommend that the provision

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~~asked for~~ required may be included in the Budget Estimate for 1948-49.

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E & P.H (B/2) Dept.

D.O. No. 21929 B/2 -15/45 Edn. 9 19.2.48

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Subject – Opening of adult education classes and night schools.

I am to inform you that the Govt. have provisionally made provision for opening adult education classes. You are requested to submit detailed proposals for these classes as soon as possible.

Vide H.M's minute at p. 21 of

Yours Sincerely,

To
The D.P.I
(by name)

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ADULT EDUCATION.

Our Adult Education programme may consist of the following:-

(1) Adult Literacy Schools for eradicating illiteracy among adults;

(2) Training of the staff for the Adult Literacy work;

(3) Rural Colleges for giving higher educational training for people who have had some school education already; ~~and~~

(4) Training Camps for social service workers;

(5) Training Camps for Citizenship and Youth workers; and

(6) Visual Instruction - Purchase of Eight Projectors and a set of educational films and the necessary staff to show them round.

(1) Adult Literacy Schools.

Aim.

The aim is to enable adults between the ages of 13 and 40 to become literate and to read specially prepared books within a year. To help them to retain what they have learnt and to give them as much general knowledge as will enable them to read a newspaper, it will be necessary to continue instruction for a further period of 2 years.

Special methods will be adopted mainly on the lines of the Laubauch Quick Literacy Plan. All the aids to quick literacy like slides, pictures, charts and reading sheets willbe employed.

Hours of work.

Any part of the morning or evening for a period of not less than an hour and a half will be counted as a School Day and 200 such School Days may be considered adequate for the year.

Teachers.

Part-time teachers will be employed, who will have the ~~[illegible]~~ following qualifications:

(1) A certificate of having passed III form or VIII Standard Public Examination.

(ii) An Adult Education Teacher's Certificate granted after training at one of the recognised centres.

Day School teachers and others who may be employed in other profession or trade will also be eligible to be teachers in these schools provide they have the above two qualifications.

A syllabus specially prepared and approved for the purpose will be followed in these schools. A special set of books prepared for use by Adults will be followed in the later stages.

Equipment.

In course of time, a small library should be built up in every school.

Any available building in the place will be utilised for the purpose. No separate building or furniture of any kind will be insisted upon.

Minimum Attendance.

A minimum average attendance of 15 pupils will be required for every school. During the first 2 years, the rule may be relaxed to permit schools with a minimumof 10 pupils to receive grant.

Grants.

Grants may be paid to the teachers at a uniform rate of Rs.8/- a month and an additional flat rate of Rs.4/- may be paid for each teacher to cover lighting and other incidental charges. During the first year, a school need have only one teacher for 20 pupils. In subsequent years, when pupils are taken to a second year, a teacher may be allowed for each class, but no school need have more than 3 teachers, as the scheme is intended to cover only a period of 3 years.

Estimate of the Cost.

Grants - Teaching. Provision may be made for grant for 100 schools with one teacher each. The total cost will be:

(Rs.8 + 4) x 12 x 100 or Rs.14,400

For the first two years, for want of adult education trained teachers, teachers without this training may be allowed to do adult literacy work. In that case, the grant may be Rs.5 + 3.

(2) Training of the Staff for the Adult Literacy Work.

This is the basis for our running our adult literacy schools. Till now, our adult literacy work has been a failure because we do not have a trained staff for the purpose. We used merely the Day School teachers for this work also. Psychologically, they are unfit because they have been dealing only with children and are not trained to teach adults. This training for adult education can be done within a period of six weeks. The existing school teachers who have the Prescribed qualification

under the scheme can get themselves trained for adult education also. Only those who have undergone the course of adult education training will be allowed to handle the adult literacy work classes. The object of the training is to give teachers and others a course of intensive training in the principles and practice of Adult Education for a period of 6 weeks.

To start with, six centres may be opened, two for each linguistic area of Tamil Nad and Andhra and one in Malabar and one in South Kanara, during the next year. If the centres grow popular, more centres may be opened in subsequent years.

The Nature of training.

The prospective Adult Education teacher will be given instruction and training in Adult Psychology in methods of teaching adult literates on the Laubauch's Quick Literacy Plan, in the preparation and use of slides, charts, and reading sheets and in the methods of imparting general knowledge. They will also be given training in the use of lanterns, in singing and the principles of organising village libraries and clubs.

Qualifications for admission.

Any one who has passed III form or VIII standard Public Examination will be eligible for admission to the course. Teachers in Board and Aided School service may take leave or get deputed after for training.

During the training, which will extend over a period of 6 weeks, trainees will be paid a stipend of Rs.15/- a month or Rs.22-8-0 for the entire course. Rs.15/- will be paid by way of grant when trainees are deputed by institutions or local boards.

As the period of training is short, they will be engaged throughout the day and, as such, it will be necessary for them to live at the centre of training. It will be a great advantage if one of the villages where Basic Training School is proposed to be started next year is selected for this training.

In order that the Inspecting Officers may get acquainted with the method, a few Deputy Inspectors preferably the P.As. to the D.E.Os. may be asked to take the training for a period of 10 days - a few with each batch. No extra expenditure need be incurred on this account as they will draw their usual T.A.

Staff.

Each training centre will require the following staff.

1. A School Assistant, who may be appointed to be in charge of the training centre, may be granted an allowance of Rs.25/-.
2. A secondary grade assistant with an allowance of Rs.15/-.
3. A Drawing Master on Rs.45/- in the scale of Rs.45-3-90.
4. A Mechanic on Rs.50/-.
5. A Part-time Music Teacher on Rs.30/-.

A batch of 30 teachers may be trained during the next year.

Equipment.

The following will be necessary:

A Library of select books.
Maps, pictures, charts and lantern slides.
3 Petromax lights.
1 Magic Lantern.
1 Gramaphone.
2 Begatalle boards.
10 sets of Drawing materials.
Stationery, pencil, ink, paint box etc.
Glass pieces for slides and other contingencies.

Cost of the Scheme.

(1) Staff for each centre.

A School Assistant at Rs.137/- (average) plus Rs.25/- for 2 months ..	Rs.324-0-0
A Secondary Grade assistant at Rs.67-8-0 plus Rs.15/- for 2 months ..	" 165-0-0
A Drawing Master at Rs.45 for 2 months	" 90-0-0
A Mechanic at Rs.50 for 2 months	" 100-0-0
A Part time Music teacher at Rs.30/- for 2 months	" 60-0-0
Stipends for trainees (30 trainees):	
15 at Rs.22-8-0 (non-deputees) and 15 at Rs.15-0-0 (deputees) ..	"562-8-0
Contingencies, stationery, etc. ..	"100-0-0
Total for one centre ..	Rs.1,401-8-0

Total for six centres ..	Rs.8,409-0-0

(2) Equipment for each centre.

3 Petromax lights at Rs.80 each ..	Rs.240
1 Magic Lantern at Rs.150 ..	" 150
1 Gramaphone at Rs.200 ..	" 200
2 Begatalle boards at Rs.15 each ..	" 30
10 sets of Drawing materials ..	" 100
Cut glass pieces for slide making, stationery, etc. ..	" 200
Total for one centre ..	Rs.920/-
Total for six centres..	" 5,520/-

Grand total:	
Staff ..	Rs.8,409
Equipment..	" 5,520
	Rs.13,929

In case aided managements take up the training of adult education workers, they may be given two-thirds grant on recurring expenditure and half grant for equipment.

(3) Rural Colleges for giving higher educational Training for people who have had some school education already.

Aim.

The aim of these adult rural colleges, is to give a further education for those who have had education up to a certain standard and who are anxious to improve their knowledge. The course will consist of lectures, demonstrations and discussions and it will be a continuous course for a period of 2 years. Subjects like Literature, Politics, History, Economics, Co-operation, Sociology and some Science subjects will be included in the syllabus of study. The two year course may be divided into 6 terms and each term may consist of 30 lectures or lessons. Each of these 30 lectures may be given to one or where necessary two subjects.

Those who are admitted to the course should have a minimum qualification of III form or VIII standard and they should be able to attend regularly all the lectures for a period of 2 years. To show their earnestness, it will be desirable to fix a nominal fee of Re.1/- per month. They should also be able to provide themselves with the necessary books. Each college should have not less than an average attendance of 15 pupils for purposes of recognition and grant.

The classes will be held at some convenient time either in the morning or evening and will last for a period of not less than an hour andthree quarters. A portion of this time will be given to discussion and tutorial instruction.

Staff.

These institutions can be worked with part-time teachers. Lecturers from colleges and graduate teachers from high schools and training schools may be selected to give lectures. The service of lawyers, doctors and others who are not actually in the teaching profession may be also utilised for the purpose.

A remuneration of not more than Rs.180/- a term may be paid to the lecturers. Where these institutions are conducted by non-official agencies or by local bodies, two-thirds of this amount may be paid as grant.

An institution may be recognised andgiven grant-in-aid if the prescribed syllabus is followed, if the staff is qualified and if there is an average strength of not less than 15 students.

Equipment.

A properly selected library is an important equipment for an institution of this kind. It will, therefore, be necessary to provide for a library or pay a half grant for it. A few maps, and charts will also be required. In addition to these, there will be recurring charges like lighting, stationery, etc.

For the present, Government may start three colleges, one for each linguistic area and may recognise a few others, say about 20, if started by private agencies or by local bodies.

Cost of the scheme. (contd.)

Cost of the scheme.

Staff.

Remuneration for the lecturers.	Rs. 540/-
1 Full time worker of the grade of Higher Ele. Grade teachers on a scale of Rs.30-50 average 40.	Rs. 480/-
	1,020/-

Equipment.

Non-recurring:	
Library.	Rs. 300
Teaching aids	100
Petromax light	80
Magic lantern	150
Lantern slides	50
	Rs. 680/-
Recurring: Lighting stationery etc.	Rs. 100/-

Total for each college.

Recurring.	Rs.1,020
LESS amount of fee income expected	270
	750
Non-recurring.	680
Total for each college.	1,430/-
Total for 3 colleges to be started by Government.	4,290/-

Grant for aided colleges:

The estimated of expenses for an aided college may be taken to be roughly two-thirds of Rs.1,430 or Rs.950. Aid for these colleges will be on two-thirds basis on recurring expenses and half basis for equipment. The fee income will be taken into account in deciding the amount of grant to be paid to the aided institutions.

Test:

At the end of every term, there may be a test and at the end of two years, a comprehensive examination on the result of which certificates may be issued to the students.

These adult education classes otherwise called Rural Colleges may cater for a variety of subjects such as the academic ones and those of a practical nature such as agriculture, civil engineering, etc., when instruction in such subjects can be made possible. They can also be such as can educate women in subjects which will be necessary for them.

The financial effect of this scheme will be:

3 Govt. rural colleges at Rs.1,430/- each.	Rs.4,290
20 aided rural colleges at 1430 x 2/3.	Rs.19,060
... ... Total.	Rs. 23,350

(4) Training Camps for Social Service Workers.

The Training/of adults for Social Service ~~may be of two kinds~~ will last for six weeks and will deal with social service under the ~~Gandhi~~ Gandhian idealogy. It will provide for training rural service workers who will take up voluntary work in the villages. Such services have been found useful in the past. In training the workers for rural service, the idea is these people will be found to be useful. It is proposed to open five colleges two in Andhra, two in Tamilnad and one in West coast attached to existing social service institutions where there will be an atmosphere of devotion to social service. A stipend of Rs.15/- p.m. i.e., Rs.27/8/0 for the camp of six weeks will be given to each student. For teachers, an allowance of Rs.50 may be provided for each of the three teachers and one attender. It is intended to try this work as an experiment this year and extend it further on getting the experience. The financial effect of this scheme will be:

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For each camp

Stipends for 30 students at Rs.27-8-0 each.	Rs. 825 0 0
Staff 3 teachers with an allowance of Rs.50/- each p.m. & one attender at Rs.25 p.m. for six weeks.(150 plus 25) x 1½)	Rs. 262 8 0
Contingencies and equipment.	Rs. 100 0 0
	1,187--8--0
Total for ten camps. (five)	Rs. 11,875--0--0
	5937-8-0

(5) Training camps for citizenship and for leaders in youth movement.

In these days when youth is restless, it is absolutely necessary that they must be guided properly and for this purpose, we must train a large number of workers in citizenship training and equip them with special knowledge to work among the youth. A scheme has been prepared for giving that training. A Committee was appointed to draw up the scheme and the relevant portion of the report is as follows:-

It was agreed by the Committee that the subject should be introduced in forms I and IV in all schools in the school year 1948-49 and left tothe option of the schools to be introduced in forms II and III according to the availability of trained teachers for the purpose.

This course provides for the training of 120 persons for 15 days for the total number of 180 working hours. Out of the 120 trained, about 40 will be selected to become trainers in their turn in future. These 40 will organise 80 training courses each to train 120 teachers in the same way as the first course in the following places:

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Trichinopoly
Coimbatore
Salem
Cuddapah
Bezwada
Bellary
Calicut

This will give 960 trained teachers in the course of one month, before the schools are reopened for the school year 1948-49.

It was agreed that the above cycle of training 960 teachers may be repeated thrice during the school year 1948-49 with the first or central training during the term and the decentralised training course during the mid-term, Christmas or Pongal, and Summer holidays. Thus, at the end of the year 1948-49, there will be 3,840 trained teachers.

The Committee also agreed that in addition to the above course, provision may be made for approved training courses of the same kind. The Committee agreed that a Special Officer who is an expert in Scout Training may be appointed for the purpose, not necessarily from the existing Departmental officers.

One Special Officer at Rs.250/- plus an allowance of Rs.50 or a consolidated pay of Rs.300 p.m. with a stenographer and a peon. A contingent expenditure of Rs.50/- for three months for stationery, etc.

One Special Officer for 3 months at Rs.300 p.m.	Rs.900
One Stenographer at Rs.45 plus 35 special pay for 3 months.	240
One peon at Rs.16 p.m. for three months.	48
	1,188

The cost of each cycle of course was estimated as below:

Food for 120 for 15 days at Re.1/-	Rs.1,800
Equipment	500
5 Officers - food, travelling -	300
Office expenses.	100
Total.	Rs. 2,700

Total cost for eight courses. Rs.2700 x 8 :: Rs.21,600

Additional for first camp:	
2 Stenographers.	200
Stationery, etc.	300
	Rs.500

Total cost of the scheme Rs.21,600 plus 500 plus 1,188 :: Rs.23,288 ~~plus 1,188~~.

VISUAL INSTRUCTION.

6. **Purchase of 8 Projectors and film and the necessary staff to show them round.** Already orders have been issued that secondary schools can levy a fee for visual instruction and arrange for visual instruction shows in schools. Visual education is also a potent agency for adult education. But unfortunately agencies which can give visual education are absent in this country and so it is necessary that we must provide for a projector and a set of films in the D.E.O's Office in each district so that they may be loaned for rent to educational institutions for school or adult education purposes. For that purpose it is proposed in this scheme to purchase 8 projectors to be supplied to 8 districts in this year and in the succeeding years provision will be made to purchase in other districts also.

It is proposed to charge a reasonable amount of hire for the loan of these projectors. The D.P.I. will fix the hire. It is expected that this hire amount will meet the expenses of the Mechanic and the Attender and the recurring expenses in connection with it and also work at a small profit so that it will meet the depreciation of the Projector on the use of films.

ABSTRACT.

(1) Cost under Literacy Schools.				
Teaching grants at the rate of Rs.8 plus 4 per teacher for 12 months for 100 teachers.				14,400
(2) Cost under Training of staff for Adult Literacy.				168
(a) Staff, stipends for trainees, contingencies etc. at Rs.1,401-8-0 per centre for 6 centres.			8,409	
(b) Equipment at Rs.920 per centre for 6 centres.			5,520 -----	13,929
(3) Cost under Rural Colleges for higher educational training for those who have had some education already.				
(a) Cost of maintenance of 3 Govt. Rural Colleges at Rs.1,430 each.			4,290	
(b) Grant to 20 aided Rural Colleges at Rs.9,530 each.			19,060 ------	23,350
(4) Cost under Training Camps for Social Service workers.				
Cost of ten Camps for training adults for social service at Rs.1,187-8-0 each			11,875	
(5) Cost of training the youth in Citizenship:				
(i) Eight Camps at 2,700 each		21,600		
(ii) One Spl. Officer, stenographer & peon for 3 months.		1,188		
(iii) Addl. staff for 1st Camp for 2 stenographers and stationery		500 -------	23,288	35,163
(6) Cost under visual instruction				
Eight projectors and films for visual instruction for 8 dts. this year - Non-recurring 8 x 5000				40,000
Recurring - One electrical mechanic for each (40 plus 22) x 12 x 8				5,952 49,408
One attender for each (20 plus 16) x 12 x 8				3,456 ----------
Total cost under the scheme of Adult Education in all aspects.			....	1,36,250 ----------

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What we have provided for in the Budget is Rs. 1,54500/-

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS.
C.No.922 C4/48 dated 8th March 1948.

Subject: Adult Education Scheme - Expansion - Special Officer - Appointment ordered.

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In anticipation of approval of Government, the Director is pleased to place Sri A.G. Vilvaroy, Permanent Deputy Inspector of Schools and Officiating Headmaster, Government Training School Arcot on special duty in connection with the Adult Education Scheme for a period of three months with effect from the date of taking charge. Sri A.G. Vilvaroy is requested to hand over charge immediately to the School Assistant and proceed on Special duty at once.

2) The Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet will be requested to provide necessary facilities in his college to enable the Special Officer to carry on ~~with~~ and complete his work expeditiously.

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

To The Divisional Inspector of schools, Coimbatore.
Copy to the Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet.
Copy to District Educational Officer, North Arcot.
Copy to Headmaster, Government Training school, Arcot.
Copy to Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department.
Copy to A, B2, K and L Sections.

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Subj:- Adult Education - Scheme - Sanctioned.

Read:- From the D.P.I., No.780 B.2/47 dated 10-10-47.
-do- -do- " 17-11-47.

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Order Ms. No. 846 Edn. dated 9-4-48.

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(1) Adult literacy schools for liquidating illiteracy ~~of~~ among adults;

(2) Training of staff for adult literacy work;

(3) Rural Colleges for giving higher educational trainin for ~~people~~ persons who have had some school education already;

(4) Training camps for social service workers;

(5) Training camps for citizenship and youth workers: an

(6) Visual instruction.

(1) Adult literacy schools: One hundred schools ~~will~~ may be opened in 1948-49. A teaching grant at the rate of Rs.8/- a month per teacher and an additional flat rate of Rs.4/ per month for lighting and other incidental charges will be paid for each school. During the first year, a teacher ~~for 20 pupils~~ should be employed for ~~20 pupils~~ an average attendance of 15 pupils. In subsequent years when pupils are taken to a second year course a teacher will be allowed for each class. There should not be more than three teachers in a school as the ~~scheme~~ course is only for three years. For the first two years, for want of teachers trained in adult education ~~trained teachers~~, teachers without this training may be allowed to do adult literacy work. In that case, the grant may be Rs. 5 plus 3. Adults between the ages of 13 and 40 will be admitted into the schools, with a view to make them literates ~~and~~ able to read specially prepared books within a year. Instruction will be continued for a furth

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Hours of work.- Any part of the morning or evening or a period of not less than an hour and a half should be ounted as a school day and 200 such school days may be onsidered adequate for the year.

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Teachers.- Part-time teachers should be employed who should have the following qualifications:

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(i) A certificate of having passed Form III or VIII Standard Public Examination.

(ii) An Adult Education Teacher's Certificate granted after training at one of the recognised centres.

Day school teachers and others who may be employed in other professions or trades will also be eligible to be teachers in these schools provided they have these two qualifications.

A syllabus specially prepared and approved for the purpose should be followed in these schools. A special set of books prepared for use by adults should be followed in the later stages.

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Equipment.- In course of time, a small library should be built up in every school.

Any available building in the place should be utilised for the ~~purpose~~ schools. No separate building or furniture of any kind need be provided.

Minimum attendance.- A minimum average attendance of 15 pupils is required for every school. During the first 2 years, the rule may be relaxed to permit schools with a minimum of 10 pupils to receive grant.

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(2) Training of the staff for Adult Literacy work:

Sanction is accorded for opening of six centres, i.e. two for each linguistic area of Tamilnad and Andhra, one in Malabar and one in South Kanara for this purpose in

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in 1948-49, and for the employment of the following staff for each centre:

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1) A school Assistant with an allowance of Rs.25 per mensem.
2) A secondary grade teacher with an allowance of 15/- per mensem.
3) A drawing-master on Rs.45 in the scale of Rs.45-3-90 and a mechanic on Rs.50/-.
4) A part-time music teacher on Rs.30/-.

Sanction is also accorded for the expenditure of Rs.100/- a year for contingencies, stationery, etc. and also for the provision of the following ~~equipments~~ equipment ~~at~~ in each centre:

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		Maximum cost.
1) Three petromax lights.	..	Rs. 80 each.
2) One Magic Lantern.	..	" 150
3) One Gramophone .	..	" 200
4) Two Bagatelle boards.	..	" 15 each.
5) Ten sets of Drawing materials.	..	" 10 "
6) Cut glass pieces for slide-making and other contingencies.	..	" 200

Aided managements will be given 2/3 grant for recurring expenditure and a half grant for the non-recurring expre.

The nature of training.- The candidates admitted to the course will be given instruction and training in adult psychology, in methods of teaching adult literates on the Laubach's Quick Literacy Plan, in the preparation and use of slides, charts, and reading sheets and in the methods of imparting general knowledge. They will also be given training in the use of magic lanterns, in singing and the principles of organising village libraries and clubs. The period of training will be six weeks.

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Qualifications for admission.- Any one who has passed III Form or VIII standard Public Examination will be eligible for admission to the course. Teachers in Board Schools and aided schools may also be admitted to the course. They may be granted leave or deputed for the purpose.

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During the training, trainees deputed by local bodies or by aided institutions will be paid a stipend of Rs.15/- a month or Rs. 22-8-0 for the entire course.

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Trainees not deputed by local bodies ~~or by~~ institutions will be paid a stipend of Rs. 22-8-0 a month or Rs. 33-12-0 for the entire course. p76 f.

~~Rs. 15/- will be paid by way of grant when trainees are deputed by institutions or local~~ boards.

A batch of 30 candidates, of which 15 may be deputees and 15 non-deputees, will be trained in each centre in 1948-49. As the period of training is short, the candidates will be engaged throughout the day and, as such, it will be necessary for them to live at the centre of training. It will be a great advantage if one of the villages where Basic Training School is proposed to be started next year is selected for this training.

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In order that the Inspecting Officers may get acquainted with the methods of adult education a few Deputy Inspectors preferably the P.As. to the D.E.Os. should be asked to take the training for a period of 10 days - a few with each batch. They will be paid no addl. allowance, but they can draw the travelling and daily allowances admissible under the rules.

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(3) Rural Colleges for giving higher Education to people who have had some education already:

Sanction is accorded for the opening of three Colleges under Government, one for each linguistic area and for the grant of recognition to 20 Colleges if opened by private agencies or by local bodies.

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The Colleges will be started with a Higher Elementary ...ensem in the scale of pay of ...colleges and graduate teachers ...schools may be selected to ...of lawyers and doctors may also be utilized for the purpose. A remuneration of not more than Rs.180/- a term may be paid to each lecturer, three such lecturers being appointed for each College.

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Non- recurring		Maximum expenditure. Rs.
Library.	..	300
Teaching aids.	..	100
Potromax light.	..	80
Magic Lantern.	..	150
Lantern slides.	..	50
		680

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Recurring.

Lighting, Stationery etc. 100. a year

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The aided Colleges will be given a 2/3 grant on this basis on recurring expenditure and half-grant for equipment. The fee income will be taken into account in deciding the amount of grant to be paid. An aided College may be given grants-in-aid if there is an average strength of not less than 15 students and if the prescribed syllabus is followed.

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Those who have had education up to a certain standard and who are anxious to improve their knowledge will be eligible for admission into these Colleges. The course will consist of lectures, demonstration and discussions for a continuous period of ~~tow~~ two years. The syllabuses of study will include subjects like ~~lectures~~ Literature, Politics, History, Economics, Co-operation, Sociology and some Science subjects. The Colleges may also provide for a variety of subjects both of an academic and of a practical value, e.g. Agriculture and Engineering, etc. They can also provide for courses of study which are of special interest to women. // The ~~tow~~ two year course will be divided into two terms and each term will consist of 30 lectures. For admission to the course, candidates should have a minimum qualification of a Third Form or VIII Standard and should be able to attend all the lectures for a period of two years. The fee of Re.1/- per month should be levied from each candidate. The candidates should provide themselves with necessary books. Each College should have not less than an average attendance of 15 pupils for purposes of recognition and aid. The classes should be held at some convenient time either in the morning or evening - not less than an hour and 45 minutes. A portion of this should be spent on discussion and tutorial instructions.

Tests: At the end of every term there will be a test and at the end of two years a comprehensive examination on the results of which certificates will be issued to the students.

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Sanction is accorded for opening a series of courses ~~8 camps~~ for this purpose~~s~~ as explained below. The ~~first~~ course ~~xx~~ will provide for the training of 120 persons for 15 days for the total number of 180 working hours. Out of the 120 trained, about 40 should be selected to become trainers in their turns in future. These forty should organise ~~30~~ 8 Training courses each to train 120 teachers in the same way as the first course preferably in the following places:-

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(4) Cuddapah, (5) Bellary, (6) Bezwada and (7) Calicut.

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This cycle of training should be repeated thrice during the school year 1948-49 with the first or central training during the term and decentralised training course during the mid-term, Christmas or Pongal and Summer holidays.

Sanction is accorded for the appointment of a Special Officer for three months on a consolidated pay of Rs.300/- (Rs 250 plus Rs 50/- per mensem, one Stenographer at Rs.45 plus Rs.35/- ~~for~~ Special pay for 3 months, one peon at Rs.16/- per mensem for 3 months, with the usual Dearness allowances, to organise the course of training.

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Sanction is also accorded for the following expenditure for each cycle of course:

	Rs.
Food for 120 trainees for 15 days at Re.1/-.	1,800
Equipment.	500
For 5 Officers - food, travelling. ..	300
Office expenses.	100
Total..	2,700

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(6). Visual instruction:-

Sanction is accorded for the purchase of 8 projectors and films for 8 districts at a cost of Rs. 5,000 per district and for the employment of one electrical mechanic on a pay of Rs.40/- plus 22 and one attender on Rs. 20/- plus 16 for each district. The projectors and the set of films will be kept in the D.E.O's office in each district, so that they may be loaned out for rent to educational institutions for schools or adult educational purposes. A reasonable amount of hire will be charged for the loan of these projectors. The D.P.I. will fix the hire.

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The expenditure will be debited to the head "37. Education - A General - ~~A~~ Miscellaneous (i) Excluding Post War Reconstruction - 8 - Other grants - Voted - Adult Education classes and night schools." ~~Adult Education. 8. Other Grants.~~

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The question of altering the nomenclature of the [illegible] appropriation [illegible]

Copy of Education & Public Health Department, G.O.Ms. No.846, Education, dated 9th April 1948.

Subj:- Adult Education - Scheme - Sanctioned.

Read the following:-

From the Director of Public Instruction,
No. 780 B.2/47 dated 10-10-1947.
-do- -do- " 17-11-1947.

ORDER:

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The two-year course will be divided into two terms and each term will consist of 30 lectures. For admission to the course, candidates should have a minimum qualification of a Third Form or VIII Standard and should be able to attend all the lectures for a period of two years. The fee of Re.1/- per month should be levied from each candidate. The candidates should provide themselves with necessary books. Each College should have not less than an average attendance of 15 pupils for purposes of recognition and aid. The classes should be held at some convenient time either in the morning or evening - not less than an hour and 45 minutes. A portion of this should be spent on discussion and tutorial instructions.

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Sanction is accorded for the appointment of a Special Officer for three months on a consolidated pay of Rs.300/- per mensem (Rs.250 plus Rs.50/-), one Stenographer at Rs.45/- plus Rs.35/- Special pay for 3 months, one peon at Rs.16/- per mensem for 3 months, with the usual Dearness allowances, to organise the course of training.

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(By order of His Excellency the Governor.)

M.V. Subramanian,
Secretary to Government.

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Government of Madras.
Education & Public Health Department.
Memorandum No.31501-B2/48-1, Edn. dated 29-4-1948.

Subj:- Adult Education - Scheme.
Read:- G.O.No.846, Education, dated 9-4-46 above.

Communicated to

M.V. Subramanian,
Secretary to Government.

To
The Director of Information and Publicity.
The Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards.
" Examiner of Local Fund Accounts.
" Special Officers of District Boards.
" Executive Authorities of all Municipal Councils through the Chairmen.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT. 1 JUN 1948

Teachers' College,
Saidapet,
Dated 8th June 1948.

Sir,

The 2nd Training Course for Citizenship Teachers was started on 5.6.48. It is being held in the Teachers' College, Saidapet. 85 teachers are taking the Training. 21 of them are women.

I consulted Mr. P.M. Joseph. His programme did not allow of his remaining here though he said he would have been very glad if he could.

I consulted Dr. Andrews. He said he was going to Delhi and that on his return he would join in and help from about the 7th instant. But he fell ill and has been unable to go to Delhi or join me in this work. I have requested him to join me when he feels well enough.

4300

Regarding selection of members for Training, the waiting list had over 130 Teachers recommended by the Dt. Educational Officers and Inspectresses. District and Circles which had not taken advantage of the Course last were written to- and they have now sent in Teachers. Selection was made from available waiting list. No publication in the News papers was made, as the necessary number was available in the list, already received from the Dt. Educational Officers and Inspectresses.

I remain,

Yours obediently,

T. Nilakantam
8.6.48

CITIZENSHIP SPECIAL OFFICER.

To

The Hon'ble Sri T.S. Avanashilingam Chettiar M.L.A
Minister for Education,
Government of Madras.

P.T.O.

W2

E & P. H. Dept.
B2

Submitted for perusal.

May be added to [illegible]

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R.C.NO.275-M/48

ASST. SECRETARY EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
16 OCT 1948

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 13-10-1948.

From
The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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

Sir,

Sub: Adult Education - Social Service Workers Training camps.

76128

The Government in G.O.No.Ms.846 Edn dated 9-4-48 has accorded sanction for opening of 5 training camps for social service workers. I request Government to let me know whether the trainees should give any guarantee that they would do social work for any stipulated period after training. If such an undertaking is expected, it may also be kindly stated by whom their work has to be supervised. I request the favour of specific instructions in the matter. (A)

Yours faithfully,

VRR
18/10

for Director of Public Instruction.

RVR 13/10/-

Edn. H Dept (B2)

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Memo no. 76128B2/48-2 Edn dated 18.11.48.

Sub: Adult Education - Social Service Workers Training Camps.

Ref: From the D.P.I. R.C. no. 275M/48 dated 13.10.48

The D.P.I. is informed that ~~the~~ candidates trained in social service need not be asked to give any guarantee that they would do any social work for any stipulated period after ~~of~~ training. It may be ~~noted that the matter may be~~ left to the free-will of the candidates to do social work after the period of training. ~~with refer. to their capacity and circumstances~~.

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25/11

To

The D.P.I.

RSM
16.11.48

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E&P.H Dept-CB2

No. 76128 B2/48

Please see the D.P.I's letter ~~in the current file~~ on page 1 ante

It does not appear that the trainees need ~~not~~ be asked to give a guarantee that they ~~should~~ would do social work after training. Generally candidates who volunteer to receive training in social service will be willing to do social service even of their own accord. If the trainees should give a guarantee, a bond should be taken from them. The question of enforcing ~~the~~ ~~items~~ terms of the bond will also have to be considered. To avoid these complications, the matter may be left to the free will of the candidates to do social work after the period of training. It may be noted that the stipend payable is only a small sum of Rs 22-8-0. for the whole course

2. Finance may see ~~for~~ remarks before circulation.

RSN
26.10.48

27.10.48

28/10/48

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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NOV 1948
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

E&P.H No. 76128 B2/48-1
3.11.48

Fin (Exp. I)

Finance may agree with the views of E&P.H above.

5.11.48
E&P.H

8.11.48

EPH

Fin No. 95738 Exp. I
9.11.48

May be circulated to H.M. (Edn)

9/11/48

TSA
15.11.48

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

A draft memo is submitted for approval.

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16.11.48

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R.C.NO.498-M/48

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 1-10-1948.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
6 OCT 1948
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

From

The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.

Sir,

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Opening of Training Schools for training teachers by private agencies.

74192

In their order No.846 Education dated 9-4-48 the Government have accorded sanction for the opening of six centres for the training of staff for adult literacy work. Accordingly six trg. schools were opened and teachers trained. Subsequently in G.O. No.1948 Edn dated 6-8-48 the Government have approved to train teachers in 3 batches in each of the six centres trg. schools for the 2nd batch in six centres have also been ordered to be opened. In G.O.No.846 Edn dated 9-4-48 it is stated that aided managements will be given 2/3 grant for recurring expenditure and 1/2 grant for the non-recurring expenditure if schools are opened by the private managements. It is therefore not clear whether it is the intention of the Government that the private managements may be permitted to open training schools in addition to the six centres mentioned in the G.O. Intheir Memo. No.43020 B.2/48-1 Edn dated 10-7-48 the Government have accepted my recommendation to permit Srimathi Soundaram Ramachandran to open a training School at Chinnalapatti. Accordingly permission has been given for opening the school.

2. I consider that if private agencies are permitted to open training schools for adult school teachers, ~~if~~ it will be difficult to ensure that the training given is on proper lines and the requisite standard is reached especially as no examination is conducted at the end of the course. Hence I recommend that for some time to come teachers for adult literacy work are training only in Government institutions and request Government to be good enough to issue necessary modifications to G.O.No. 846 Edn dated 9-4-48 so that private agencies may not open training schools for adult school teachers.

Yours faithfully,

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for Director of Public Instruction.

RVR 4/10/-

B 4/X.

C. No. 74192 B2/48

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Edn. & H. Dept. (B2)

Memo No. 74192 B2/48-1 Edn. dated 28-10-48

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Opening of Training Schools for training teachers by private agencies - proposals - ~~accepted~~.

Ref: From the D.P.I. ~~R.C. No.~~ 498 M/48 dated 1-10-48.

In the circumstances explained by the D.P.I., the Govt. accept ~~the~~ his proposals that for the present private managements need not ~~for the present~~ be permitted to open training schools for training teachers in Adult Education. ~~No modification to~~ The orders in [illegible] G.O. No. 846. Edn dated 9-4-1948 ~~is necessary~~ are modified to the extent indicated above

as the bar on the opening of such schools by private agencies is only temporary

Ty. on DPI

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18-10-48

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TSA
18-10-48

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
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RC.NO.275 M/48.

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 4th October 1948.

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
MADRAS.

74884

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
MADRAS.

Sir,

4 OCT 1948

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Social Service Workers - Training Camps.

In their Order No.846 Education dated 9-4-48 the Government while sanctioning the Training Camps for Social Service Workers - vide paragraph 4 of the G.O - have stated as follows: "The students not exceeding 30 will be given a stipend of Rs.15/- p.m. (i.e.) 27-8-0 for the course of six weeks." At the rate of Rs.15/- p.m. for 6 weeks it will only work out to Rs.22-8-0. I presume Rs.27-8-0 mentioned in the said G.O. is a printing mistake.

Yours faithfully,

VRR 6/10

for Director of Public Instruction.

Ram.5/10

VRR 5/10

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Edn. P.H. Dept (B2)

Memo No. 74884 B2/48-1 Edn dated 22-10-48

Sub: Adult-Education - Scheme - Training camps for Social service workers.

Ref: From the D.P.I. Rc No. 275M/48 dated 4-10-48

The D.P.I. is informed that the amount Rs 27-8-0 ~~occurring~~ specified in subpara (4) of G.O. 846 Edn dated 9-4-48 may be corrected as Rs 22-8-0.

To
~~The D.P.I.~~
The A.G.

25/10/48

28/10/48

RSM
21.10.48

21.10.48

OSM
22/10/48

Note

The figure (Rs 27-8-0) seems to be a mistake.

21/10/48

OSM
22/10/48

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

8 DEC 1949

Sir,

Rc.No.2022-B1/49 dated 28-11-1949.

Sub: Adult Education - Opening of Training Schools for training teachers in Adult Education by private agencies

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94458

Government in their Memorandum No.74192-B2/48-1 Education, dated 28-10-1948 have ordered that for the present private managements need not be permitted to open training schools for training teachers in adult education. The order in G.O.No.846 Education dated 9-4-1948 has also been modified to the extent indicated above.

Now that the expenditure on adult education has been cut down appreciably I consider ~~that~~ it is desirable to encourage private ~~managements~~ agencies that are willing to run training schools. Such training schools may be recognised by the Department so that the Department may be relieved partly of the burden of training staff for adult literacy work.

In this connection I wish to submit a copy of the letter received from the Acting Adult Literacy Organiser of the Madras Representation Christian Council Palamcottah applying for the recognition of the training course which the Madras Representation Christian Council proposes to conduct. Since the management requests only recognition to run the Training Schools on the lines set forth in the G.O.No.846 Education dated 9-4-1948, I request Government to be good enough to reconsider the orders passed already in the Government Memorandum cited and issue necessary orders.

The granting of such a permission would relieve Government of a certain amount of responsibility, in that the work of traini teachers for Adult Education work would be partly shared by aided agencies. We could ensure the required standard of efficiency in such schools by guiding them properly.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

BR,30-11-

Copy to B1 Section.

30/11/49

E&PH B2.

May lie ovr. Since the G.O is put up in some othe file which is under circulation.

RK
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Copy of Letter dated 2-11-1949 from John Samuel, Rural Works & Water Diviner, Tinnevelly Diocese, Edward & Co.Lane, Palamcottah to the Adult Educational Officer, Director of Public Instruction, office Madras.

Sub: Organising Training Course for Adult Literacy Workers - Under the Auspices of the Madras Representative Christian Council - Submission of minutes of the committee for arrangement,- Recognition of the course by the Government - Requested for.

The Tinnevelly Diocese is maintaining about 40 Adult Night schools in various villages. Other missions too are running some. We wish to give them and others a training according to the Government syllabus.

We request that the course may be recognised and the delegates or workers be issued a certificate as to their fitness for teaching adults as you do in Virudunagar centre.

I wish to meet you on 7th Monday in your office.

Minutes of the Sub-Committee, appointed by the Diocesan Rural Work Committee to consider the arrangements to organise the annual Training course for Adult Literacy workers under the auspices of the M.R.C.C., that met on 27-10-49 at 9 A.M. in the Diocesan Office buildings.

Members present:
1. Miss Mc.Mannes.
2. Mr. A.J. Baulish
3. Mr. John Samuel.
4. Mr. Jorome Jebamoney (Mukupery (as a visitor)

Dr. A.J. Appasamy was absent and Mrs. Chandran intimated that she could not be present. Mr. John Samuel was proposed to the chair.

i. The Committee coopted the following two persons.

1. Miss Annie Lindsey or her deputy S.T. Training School
2. Mrs. E.D. Anbudayan, Government Training School for Women, Palamcottah.

ii) The Committee considered the following points and resolved as follows:--

(a) Place: It would be better to choose a place of easy ~~reception~~ reach for the delegates and of Christian adults for practical teaching during the course by the delegates and hence one of the following centres was suggested, Palamcottah, Nazareth, Courtallam, Sankarankoil, Tuckerammalpuram, Puthiamputhur, Puliangudi, Valliyoor or Magiapandipuram.

(b) Time and Duration. December 1 to 15 or 21 as Government directs, was fixed.

(c) Number of students and allotments to various missions; Churches and institutions.

One delegate to each circle and mission and one to each high school, training institution and college were allotted.

4. Selection of subjects to be taught.

It was agreed to follow the Government syllabus shown in G.O Ms. No.1774 Edn. dated 13-7-48 and D.P.I's proceedings R.C.No.275/48 Madras with additions as below:

(a) Ideas of Indian Geography and recent History.
(b) Economics and Agriculture
(c) Village sanitation and child maternity welfare.
(d) Animal Husbandry.
(e) Adult education.
(f) Religious life and social service.
(g) Village administration.
(h) Handicrafts - Tooth powder making, soap making, Poultry farming, Bee keeping, Palmyra leaf making, Rope making, Jaggery candy preparation etc.

(5) Selection of leaders:- It was resolved to invite the following to lead the course.

(1) Sri S. Devanesan (Tiruppattur)
(2) " P.M. Gopalakrishnan (Katpadi)
(3) " A.C. Satya (Viruthampet)
(4) " A leader from Marthandam.
(5) Rev. G.P. Williams (Palamcottah)
(6) Mrs. E.D. Anbudayan (Palamcottah).
(7) Sri A.J. Bauliah (Palamcottah)
(8) " John Samuel. (Palamcottah)
(9) Specialists for each cottage industry.

Further it was resolved to request a minister or the Adult education officer to open the course.

(6) Financial aspects. Each circle, institution or ~~miss~~ mission/sending a delegate was asked to contribute Rs.15/- for his food only for the whole course.

(7) Government recognition of the course:- Sri John Samuel was asked to interview the Director of Public Instruction, Madras and the Adult Education Officer, Madras through the local education officers Tinnevelly.

(8) Test of the Literates:- The Government Adult Education Officer may be invited to test the work done by the delegates and issue certificates to them.

(9) Any other matters.

Follow up literature:- The committee members were asked to prepare follow up literature in story method on various subjects.

The meeting closed with prayer.

Copy of Letter dated 7-11-1949 of the Acting Adult Literacy Organiser for Tinnevelly, Ramnad and Madura Districts, M.R.C.C., Adult Literacy Committee to the Joint Director of Public Instruction.

Sub: Recognition of Training Course for Adult Literacy workers in Tinnevelly.

In continuation of my letter to the Adult Education Officer and my interview with you~~r~~ and the Adult Literacy officer along with Rev. Rao Saheb J.D. Asirvatham, Retired Professor, Madras Christian College and now a member of the National Christian Council of India and ~~the~~ of the Executive Committee of the M.R.C.C., I wish to make a further representation in support of my request.

The Adult Literacy Committee of the M.R.C.C., at its Meeting dated 10-10-1949 resolved to start an Adult Literacy Training Centre at Ambur with Government recognition and suggested that a similiar centre be started for the southern Districts of Tinnevelly, Ramnad and Madura, both under the auspicious of the M.R.C. C. Similar proposals are to be implemented by the Andhra and other Provincial Christian Councils.

It is learnt that Government does not wish to encourage non-official agencies to undertake the training of Adult Literacy workers. This seems to be a policy which will greatly retard the progress of Adult Literacy in which the National Christian Council was responsible to arrange for Dr. Laubach's visit to India and all its Provincial Councils are greatly interested. Christian agencies feel that this is a sphere of National Service in which large number of Christian Teachers men and women could be efficiently used. I beg to submit that the people stand to gain by not eliminating non-official agencies from making their contributions in regard to giving adequate Training for Adult Literacy workers.

Recognition of these non-official Training Centres is necessary to enable non-official agencies [illegible] to invite adequate

adequate Training for Adult Literacy Workers.

Recognition of these non-official Training Centres is necessary to enable nonofficial agencies such as ours to invite adequate personnel to undergo this Training. It would be very disappointing for efficient enthusiastic workers to be told at the end of six weeks that they are no better than untrained workers. That will not be a fair deal with this poorly paid teachers who undergo the training and are able to tender efficient enthusiastic service.

We shall be ~~paid~~ glad to accept any reasonable conditions to be specified by Government to ensure that our staff is as efficient as any ~~other~~ Government is able to provide and welcome cooperation and supervision from your officers.

Tamil Nad with its millions certainly needs more than one or two centres that Government wishes to establish.

We, therefore, request that the M.R.C.C. be allowed to run two centres next summer, one at Ambur and the other at Tinnevelly for Six weeks.

Earnestly soliciting favourable consideration and early orders.

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Memo 94458 B2/49-2 Edn dated 11/1

Sub: Opening of training schools for adults by private agencies.

Ref: Letter from the D.P.I No. 2022-B1/49 of 28.11.49

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In the circumstances explained by the D.P.I, the Govt authorize him to encourage the conduct of schools by private agencies for the training of teachers in Adult Edn. The courses and syllabus prescribed for Adult Training Schools under Govt management should be followed in the schools established by private agencies. Any extra expenditure on the grants to schools conducted by private agencies c~~ould~~an be met by reappropriation.

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T.J.V. 12.1

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To The D.P.I.

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E. & P. H. Dept. (B2)

Letter from the D.P.I., Rc.No.2022-B1/49, dated 28-11-49

Sub:- Opening of training schools for adults by private agency.

In 1948 the Govt. approved a scheme of adult education. One of the items included in it was the training of staff for adult literacy work. It was considered that the training might be given both in schools opened by Govt. and in those conducted by private agencies. In October 1948 the Director reported that the private agencies need not be permitted to conduct schools for training teachers for adult literacy work in the initial stages of the scheme. His recommendation was accepted and orders were issued accordingly.

Y/109 CF

Y/111 CF

2. The Director now reports that private agencies may be permitted to open training schools for adults. There seems to be no objection to permitting this as it is the intention of the Govt. that private agencies should help as much as possible in the spread of adult education.

CF

It is for orders whether instructions in the Memo of October 1948 may be cancelled.

Y/111 CF

SS.
12-12-49.

12/12/49 S

May agree, provided the course prescribed now for govt training centres is followed, and funds are available by reappropriation

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E&PH WO No
94458 B2/49-1
13.12.49.

Fin
Finance 84840 EA-1
25.12.49.

Finance ExpA.

The proposal to permit private agencies to open training school for adults, and to cancel the memo on p 111 cf of Go 846 Edn dt 9.4.48 may be agreed to subject to the conditions ~~laid down~~ proposed by EPH Secretary above. H.M (Fin) may see.

25.12.49

E&PH.

KB
24.12.49.

23.12.49

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
84840 EA
14 DEC 1949
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Edn B2

A draft memo is submitted for approval.
The file may be circulated to H.M's (Edn) & (Fin)

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H.M (Fin)

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SECRETARIAT, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
11 JAN 1950
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Edn. & P.H. Dept.

Post War Educational Development - Adult Education - Admission of Pupils in Secondary Schools-

para 2, p19 & para 3, p20 NF of (A)

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para 7, p24 & para 21, p3

In the notes to G.O. No.636 Edn., dated 24-4-'45, the view has been recorded that the D.P.I., should be asked to re-examine the question of imposing restrictions on the admission of pupils in secondary schools and to submit a scheme for promoting adult education. The Education sub-committee have discussed these points besides others and have made their recommendations. Orders of the Government have to be obtained on the recommendations of the Committee. The issue of a reference to the D.P.I. in regard to A above amy perhaps be held over till orders are passed on the recommendations of the Sub-committee. The main file will be put up for orders as soon as the booklet on Post-War Plans becomes available. For orders.

When was this specifically mooted?
M.V.S.

Why, when specific orders have been taken on these two points?
M.V.S.

S.S.
8-5-45.

E.A.V.
12-5-45.

M.V.S.
15-5-45.

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B above.

Attention is invited to the Secretary's note at page 13 and on page 19 n.f. of G.O. No. 636 Edn d. 24-4-45

(A)

I knew orders have to be taken. What I thought was that you had already arranged to put up the points for orders - and I asked when. Apparently the matter is still to be taken up.
M.V.S.

C above.

There is no objection to a reference being made to the D.P.I. even now if desired.

S.S.
15-5-45.

E.A.V.
15/17-5-45.

"Do so. (This may be referred to when the other recommendations are put for orders)".

M.V.S.
18-5-45.

A draft memo is submitted for approval. The letter since received from the Educational Adviser to the Government of India is also for perusal.

p 1 CF

S.S.
22-5-45.

E.A.V.
8-9-45.

pp 3-4 CF (Memo No.21929 A-1 Edn., dated 11-9-45).

pp 13 & 14 + 17 & 18 CF

From the D.P.I. No.1822 E/45 dated 27-4-1946 and No.4614 B2/45 dated 21-7-1946.

In the report on Post War Educational Development it has been suggested that admission to secondary schools should be made on a selective basis, i.e., only such pupils as are likely to derive ~~take~~ full benefit from a high school ~~advantage of secondary~~ education should be admitted to these schools. A suggestion has been made in the report that a test may be held or other suitable device prescribed for this purpose.

p 15 of Report

para 2, p16 of the Report

2. The Education Sub-committee of the Post-War Reconstruction of the Government of Madras recommended that no further restrictions need be imposed on the admission of pupils into secondary schools. In March, 1945, the then Adviser Sir Thomas Austin had a personal discussion with Dr. John Sargent, Educational Adviser to the Government of India, on the subject of Post-War Educational Plans. On Dr. Sargent's suggestion, it was decided to examine again the question of admission into secondary schools on selective basis and a reference was sent to the Director in September, 1945 on the subject. The Director's reply is on pages 13-14 c.f. It will be observed from the Director's reply that no further action is now necessary. It may be noted in this connection that the question of the re-organisation of education is under consideration and this matter will again be re-considered. Meanwhile a copy of the Director's letter may be sent to the Government of India and they may be informed that the Government agree with the views expressed in it.

para 7, p 2 of ... removed from the file

A/15-16 NF

pp 3-4 CF

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we can tell them a reply will be sent after the conference convened by us discusses the matter.

3 The Director has also sent up proposals for a scheme of adult education. He suggests that adults in a locality should be asked to assemble in a common place and that they may be given instruction for an hour in the evening ~~xxx~~ on school days and for two hours on holidays by teachers in the local schools. He proposes the grant of a small remuneration to the teachers. The Director also recommends the use of propaganda vans, radio and films for educating the adults. He suggests that the scheme may be tried as an experimental measure in a few districts roundabout Madras.

pp17-18 CF
B
9.sec

H.M. (Edn) proposes to convene a conference of educationists to discuss problems relating to education. A questionnaire has been drawn up for the purpose ~~of~~ and adult education and eradication of illiteracy is one of the subjects included in the questionnaire. It appears that the Director's proposals may be discussed at this conference.

B
9.sec

4 Finance Secretary may see with reference to para 2 above - vide his notes on pages 11-12 and 21 N.F. of G.O. No.636 Edn., dated 24-4-1945.

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OBM
17/8/46 $ B
29.sec

E&P.H.100.21929 B2/45-8
19-8-46

Secy, Finance

Seen, thanks.
DWD
20.8.46

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ASST. SECRETARY
22 AUG 1946
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The file may be circulated to H.M. (Edn) for orders on 'A' & B above.

OBM
22/8/46 $ B
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31/8/46

... may await the questionnaire... H.M. (Edn)
TSA
7-9-46

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
7 - SEP 1946
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

A draft letter is submitted for approval with ref. to 'A' on p. 2 ante. After issue the file may lie over

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10.9.46

OBM
10/9/46 $ B
11.9.46

[Letter No. 21929 B2/45-9 d. 12.9.46]

TSA
15.9.46

pp21-22
CF

Please see ... of the notes. The suggestions of Sri Ananta ... may be considered by the conference to be held shortly.

SECY. EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
30 SEP 1946
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23.9.46.

OBM
24/9/46 $ B
28.9.46

TSA
25/9/46
H.M. (Edn)

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To the Secretary, E.&.P.H.

I understand that schemes for adult education have been submitted by the D.P.I. They may be put for orders as soon as possible.

TSA
30-10-46
H.M.Edn.

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
0 OCT 1946
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

The proposals of the D.P.I. are on pages 17-19 c.f. Attention is solicited to the note on pages 1-3 ante and the letter on pp 21-22 c.f.

BSM
2/11/46 S

4-11-46

4/11/46 H.M.(Edn)

This is I think a very meagre scheme for adult Education. This may await the Questionnaire where we may have better suggestions.

TSA
28-11-46

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29 NOV 1946
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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
18 SEP 1946
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
17 SEP 1946
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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To the Secretary, E.&.P.H.

Just now I have had the benefit of a talk with Mr. Roche Victoria and Sri Harishothma Rao connected with the adult education in the Madras Presidency. They have given me a suggestion which I think we can take ~~it~~ up with benefit. They say that adult education requires special training and it is difficult to give the training separately. They suggest that our existing training schools and training colleges must give instruction also on methods of adult education. I think this is a matter to be considered. The D.P.I.'s opinion may be invited on the matter.

TSA
17-9-46
H.M.Education.

Edn. & P.H. (B2) Dept.

A draft d.o. is submitted for approval w.r.t. H.M.'s orders above.

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BSM
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23-9-46

[Issued as D.O. No 54753 B2/46-1 Edn. 23-9-46]

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133 c The D.P.I. has sent his report, on the question raised by H.M.(Edn) in his ~~note~~ minute on page 1 ante regarding the inclusion of Adult Education as a subject of study in Training Schools and Colleges. He is of the view that it is not possible to include Adult Education in the curriculum of Training Schools. As regards the inclusion of the subject in the course prescribed for Training Colleges, the Director has addressed the universities.

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2. The whole question of ~~Education~~ reorganisation of Education is to be discussed ~~convened shortly~~ at a conference to be held ~~convened~~ shortly.

This subject may also be discussed at the conference.

For

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For orders. The file may be circulated to H.M.(Edn).

11.12.46

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16.12.46

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This may be over

16.12.46

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To the Secretary, E.&.P.H.

I see from the statistics that only about Rs 500 is ~~are~~ spent for adult education. It is absolutely a poor sum. I think we should ~~make a liberal contribution and~~ start more night schools especially in the labour areas. Necessary steps may be taken in this direction.

TSA
9.2.47
H.M.Education.

11 FEB 1947

E&P.H. Dept [B2]

The question of framing ~~the~~ a scheme for Adult Education is under consideration. In the circumstances, it is for consideration, whether a start should now be made for opening night schools as ordered by H.M.(Edn). Night schools have generally been considered ~~as~~ a failure in the past. The Edn dept is even now encouraging well conducted night schools, under private managements.

The draft memo below is for approval.

Please see note in previous pages

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Night schools are the only effort

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134 that can be made for education of adults in labour centres, & it is a very recognised method. Any scheme of adult education must contain a liberal provision for night schools. And so he need not wait for that report, but may go ahead with this

TSA
23-2-47

The draft memo may be issued.

24 FEB 1947

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[Memo no. 21929 B2/47-9 d. 26-2-47] p 35
CF

From the President, the South Indian Adult Education Association no. nil dated 16.7.1947 p 29

The D.P.I. has already been asked to submit proposals for the opening of night schools. His proposals are awaited. He has been reminded. The D.P.I. has submitted ~~his~~ a scheme for the education of adults. The scheme has been allowed to lie over pending the re-organisation of education in this province. p 35 p 17-19

For orders whether any action should be taken on the letter from Sri Harisarvothama Rao. The file may be circulated to HM (Edn) p 31

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Nothing. TSA
15-9-47

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Secretary. E. & P.H.

It is unfortunate that till now there is no scheme of adult education work by Government. Even the few night schools that existed before were rounded up through the Advisers' Government. There is a demand for night schools and I believe the D.P.I. has been asked to provide for running of more night schools. But this alone wont do. We must have a drive for adult education.

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The matter has become more important with the birth of a Free India. The Constituent Assembly has made adult sufferage as the basis of all our political institutions. Hereafter all our elections, local boards, provincial or all-India, will be on adult sufferage and unless we educate the adult population of the country, unscrupulous elements are liable to misuse them for their own advantage and so, in the interest of a good future for this country, the Government must take upon themselves the responsibility of adult education.

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I have had a talk with the Commissioner of the Corporation and the Deputy Commissioner who was the Education Officer of the Corporation till sometime back. I have impressed upon them the necessity for starting an adult education drive within the Corporation limits in the city. I have also arranged for drawing up a syllabus of adult education. The Mayor of the Corporation as well as the Chairman of the Education Committee of the Corporation are meeting me shortly and I hope it will be possible to launch a big adult education drive in the Corporation with their help.

A

There are two things in a scheme of adult education - one, the adult literacy campaign and the other, the adult education campaign. The adult literacy campaign is well understood, but for adult education, we must draw up well thought out syllabuses which must be followed so that definite items may be imparted and grasped. I have asked Professor K.Swaminathan of the Presidency College to evolve a scheme and syllabus for adult education in the subjects of politics, economics and the languages. He has promised to do it in consultation with the various professors in the College.

B

Putting into action, these adult education proposals will cost us some money. It can be made very much cheaper by using the existing school buildings and their furniture and if necessary even their teaching

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materials. In many cases, it may be sufficient to have part-time workers among the teachers already employed in the schools and colleges. But yet we will have to pay these part-time lecturers some amount for their labours. Some amount will also be necessary for the purchase of certain equipments and for lights, books and note-books, etc. I would like that roughly Rs.10,000 be provided for a district in the Part II Scheme for ~~1947-48~~ 48-49.

C

I do not think it is necessary for this to be referred to the D.P.I. for we have referred it to him many times in the past and nothing much has been achieved. This scheme may be examined and put through to Finance and in the meantime, a copy may be sent to the D.P.I. and he may be asked to give any definite schemes possible in this direction. We need not however wait for the opinion of the D.P.I. before we proceed in the matter.

D

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22-9-47
H.M. Education.

The ~~deliberations~~ discussion referred to at 'A' above and the proposals called for at 'B' may be awaited. As regards 'C' it is not clear whether H.M (Edn) intends that a single district for be selected for Adult Education Campaign, and for that a sum of Rs 1000 ~~should be~~ provided ~~with Rs 10,000~~ in the budget for 1948-49 for the scheme ~~or~~ whether the scheme of Adult Education should be introduced in all Dts at a cost of Rs 10,000 for each district the cost will then be ~~of~~ Rs 20.40 lakhs for the presidency. ~~Or~~ Generally proposals which are to be treated as part II schemes should be sent to Finance dept before the 31st October. No immediate action seems necessary. By that time, details of the discussion regarding the big Adult Education ~~Drive~~ "Drive" referred to at 'A' ~~may~~ have been settled and the proposals referred to at 'B' ~~may~~ have also been received.

E

I think H.M's intention is this; he may kindly confirm.

As regards 'D' above, it may be noted that the D.P.I. has already submitted a report on Adult Edn Drive (pp 17 to 19 cf)

A draft D.O. is submitted for approval.

LPG
29.9.47

29.9.47

30.9.47

H.M. may kindly say whether these may be awaited, or alternatively whether we proceed on the outlines indicated by him in his note. The outline, however, is not in sufficient detail to forward as a Part II scheme.

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H.M. (Edn) - arising D.O.

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11.10.47

D.O. appd.

SECRETARY, EDN. AND ... DEPT. 11 OCT 1947 GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

The file may lie over pending receipt of the D.P.I.'s reply to the d.o. on page 43 cf.

remind on 20/10/47

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p.p. 45-47 cf. L.No. 81078 B2/47 from the D.P.I.; ~~R.~~ No. 780 B2/47 d/10-10-47.

The D.P.I. has submitted proposals for the opening of night schools with reference to orders of H.M. (Edn) on p.7 ante. The Director has ~~outlined~~ enunciated the general principles that should be adopted in the matter. He has promised to submit concrete proposals after the general principles are accepted by Govt.

para 6 at p. 47 cf.

Under orders of H.M. a reference has been recently made to the Director in regard to proposals for adult education. Please see the ~~memo~~ D.O. of p. 43 of the current file. Perhaps the D.P.I.'s reply to this D.O. may be awaited.

I do not think we will be able to send anything further in time for Part II.

15.10.47

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If we decide on the principles now put forward by DPI

As for the fixing the number of centres to be opened, I think this must depend on finance for examination as a Part II scheme.

Although the note at p. 47 allows of a rural interpretation, the 'M' at p. 45 makes it clear that it is industrial (labour) mainly urban, that the D.P.I. is thinking of. I do not think that can be accepted — for it is really in the rural areas that there is more urgent need for a scheme like this. I consider that the D.P.I. should be asked to select in due course suitable rural centres.

The other principles may be accepted.

For remuneration we may take 'I' at p. [illegible] for the other costs we may take 'P' at p. 18 cf. The Commission may similarly be as at 'Sat' p. 18 cf. (subject to the modifications made in the present proposals). D.P.I. may be asked to ~~[illegible]~~ [illegible] in due course arrangements for supervision, inspection, and payment of the grants.

If HM agrees, the fixing the number of centres to be opened in ~~each~~ district, we may examine in finance in consultation with him, as for a Part II scheme.

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HM (Ed.)

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30 OCT [illegible]
[illegible]CRETARIAT OF MADRAS

I am afraid the D.P.I. has not properly understood the meaning of adult education. It is not mere night schools. We may provide for the opening of few night schools in each district. That may be on the aided basis. The cases of Govt. taking up the opening of night schools must be small and may be left to the Labour Dept. We need not restrict the teaching in night schools only to secondary grade teachers. Higher

grade teachers of more than 10 years standing may also be allowed to take night schools. Remuneration to these teachers need not be as high as suggested by the D.P.I. I think it may be sufficient if we give a remuneration of Rs.8 and 12 according to the qualification of the teacher mentioned above and Rs.15/- to a graduate or an L.T. The grant for aided night schools may 1/2 of this + Rs 5 for lighting + other expenses.

Adult education must also imply courses in lecturers in sciences, economics, politics and also, if possible, in civil engineering and other subjects. I have already had a talk with the Deputy Director in charge over this matter and I have asked him to submit a scheme for adult education. The syllabuses for all these must be drawn up and published. In fact I have already got the syllabuses ~~from him~~ drawn and given to the Corporation. The qualification for these subjects must certainly be graduates or Vidwans as may be necessary for these various subjects. The syllabus and the number of lecturers to be ~~fixed~~ arranged, the number of students that must attend - these must all be prescribed. A remuneration of about Rs.40/- may be given for a course of about 12 lecturers. For aided schools half the amount may be given.

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General Circulars may be issued that our school and college buildings may be available for the use of these lecturers. The D.P.I. may be asked to draw a scheme on these lines and submit a detailed report. Rs.10,000/- that I have referred must be for these night schools as well as for the adult ~~xxxx~~ education centres. Action must be taken so that this must be included in the Part II Schemex.

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30/10/47

P.T.O

please see the H.M's note at p.p. 12-13. ante. The D.P.I. may be asked to submit proposals for the starting of adult education classes on the lines mentioned in the H.M's note. A draft D.O. is subd. below for approval.

The question of issuing circulars referred to at 'A' at p.13 ante may be taken up after the scheme is ~~sanctioned~~ approved and funds provided. Finance may see, after the draft d.o. below is issued, regarding the inclusion of the scheme in the Part II Estimates.

20.10.47

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
20 OCT 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

(Issued as D.O. No. 21929 Br/47-10 Edn. d. 20-10-47)

E&P.H. D.O. No. 21929 Br/47-11 d. 31-10-47

Finance (B.E.II)

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Part II Scheme for 1948-9.

Scheme of adult Education.

In view of the urgent importance of adult education in the context of adult sufrage, H.M.(Education) has formulated a broad outline of a scheme for an adult education drive and the D.P.I. has been asked to send up detailed proposals for starting the scheme - please see H.M.'s minutes on pp. 9-10 & 12-13 above and the D.O. on p.49 C.F. Pending receipt of the D.P.I.'s report in the matter, it has been suggested that a sum of Rs 10,000/- for a district may be provided for in Part II of the Budget for 1948-9. It does not appear that the intention is that the scheme should be introduced in all the districts simultaneously as presumed by E.& P.H. at 'E' on p.10 above. If introduced in all dts, the cost will be about Rs 2½ lakhs p.a. In any case, Finance may suggest that to begin with, the scheme may be introduced in ~~one~~ a few ⊗ districts only ~~as an experiment~~ during next year and extended ~~gradually~~ later to ~~more~~ ~~a~~ other districts, ~~if the result of the experiment justify it~~ having due regard to the experience that may be gained next year. E.& P.H. may be requested to take orders of H.M.(Finance) on the question whether the proposal will be admitted for consideration as a Part II scheme for 1948-9.

⊗ or in a selected centre only in all dts

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As the proposals have not been worked out in sufficient detail, the provision proposed is really in the nature of a lumpsum provision which will ordinarily be open to ~~criticism~~ objection ⊗. H.M. Finance has observed in connection with the lump sum provision proposed for irrigation schemes that departure from the ordinary procedure is inevitable under present circumstances. This deptt may therefore agree ~~to some provision being~~ that the ~~question of~~ proposal to make ~~making~~ some provision ~~in P.~~ for this scheme may be admitted for consideration along with other Part II Schemes for 1948-49.

⊗ para 27 of the Budget Manual

H.M. Finance may see as to the extent of the provision that may be proposed - cf. A on p 14 above

21.11.47

~~ADS~~

In his minute on Page 10 above (portion marked 'C') H.M.Edn said that he would like that Rs 10,000 roughly might be provided for a dist. in the Part II scheme for 1948-9. In his subsequent minute on P 13 above, he has suggested that we may provide for the opening of a few night schools in each dist. but has not said anything specifically about other adult education centres. E&P.H. may take orders in circulation including HM Fin on the point whether it will not be sufficient to make a beginning next year with the opening of adult education centres (including night schools) in a few dists.

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If the reply of the DPI to the D.O. on P.49 CF is not received ~~[illegible]~~ before the preparation of the Note for the Fin committee on the Part II Scheme a supplementary note may be prepared for the information of the Committee regarding the full financial implications of the proposed Adult Education Scheme as a whole. It is necessary that the Fin Committee of the cabinet should have full details of the scheme and its financial implications when the question of provision of funds for it is

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considered by them in connection with the Budget for 1948-9

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E&P.H

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25-11-47

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25 NOV 1947
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Secy., E.& P.H.

Please see herewith a copy of the note already submitted to Government by the D.P.I. for Adult education. The ~~file~~ matter may be gone into and put up.

ISA
19.11.47

H.M.Education.

Edn.& P.H.Dept.(B2).

The minutes on pages 12-13 ante and the subsequent notes and the D.P.I's letter on pp.51-61 c.f. may be perused. H.M.(Edn.) wanted more night schools to be opened on aided basis. He also wanted adult education centres to be started in all the districts in the Province. He has minuted that a provision of Rs. 10,000/- for each district may be made for both these items together. The Finance Department has noted that it will be sufficient if provision is made for making a beginning next year in a few districts instead of in all the districts.

p 13 ante

p 15 ante

The D.P.I. to whom the H.M.'s minute was sent has now offered his remarks - pp.51-61 c.f.

As regards night schools, please see the Director's letter on page 51 c.f. As the object is to make adults literate, separate night schools for them should be opened and rules framed for payment of grants on the basis of H.M.'s minute. The Director may be asked to send proposals in this behalf with an estimate of the cost involved.

K

X

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Perhaps a limited number of schools may be opened in each district to begin with.

The Director has submitted a scheme for giving further education to those who have already received some kind of education. The main principles of the scheme are explained in the ~~scheme~~ letter on pages 53-61 c.f. The cost of introducing the scheme throughout the Province at the rate of 20 centres in each district will be Rs. 1.92 lakhs recurring and Rs. 48,000/- non-recurring. The scheme proposed by the Director seems acceptable. But, instead of opening 20 centres in each district ~~in all districts~~, it seems that a few centres, say, two or three at the most, may be opened in each district to begin with. After the results of the working of the scheme are known, more centres may be opened. // The file may be sent to Finance for remarks before circulation, as that Department has not seen the latest proposals of the D.P.I.

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E & P.H U.O. No. 21929 B2/–/45
8.12.47

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Finance (B.E.II) Deptt.

(Previous Finance note on pp.14-16 above).

The proposals of the D.P.I. on pp.51-61 C.F. and the note of E.& P.H on pp.16-17 above may be perused. The D.P.I. has not furnished the estimate of cost for opening separate night schools for adults; E.& P.H. propose to call for the same. The detailed cost of the scheme of opening adult education centres is given on p.59 C.F. The estimated cost for a district works out to about Rs 10,000/- (Non-recurring) for these centres ~~above~~ alone, against Rs 10,000/- proposed by H.M.(Education) including the cost of opening a few night schools also. Besides, the D.P.I. has pointed out the desirability of publishing a monthly journal for providing reading matters suitable for adults and also of the appointment of an officer in the grade of a D.E.O for co-ordinating the work in the districts. No provision has been included for these two items in the estimated cost.

X on p.16 above.

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X The D.P.I does not consider the opening of separate night schools necessary - p.51 c.f. But see E&P.H's remarks at K on page 16 above.
p 61 c.f.
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2. E.& P.H. consider that to begin with , instead of open

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20 centres in each district as proposed by the D.P.I., two or three centres at the most may be opened in each district. As already suggested by Finance, E.& P.H. may be requested to take orders in circulation including H.M.(Finance) whether it will not be sufficient to make a beginning in 1948-9 with the opening of adult education centres (including night schools) in a few districts with two or three centres in each of the selected districts. (The Part II Scheme Note has to be prepared with refer to the orders in circulation on this point.)

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10.12.47.

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E&PH

(Secy has left for Wallace)

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The file may be circulated for orders w.r.t. the proposal of Finance at 'A' above.

11/12/47 S

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H.M. (Edn.)

H.M. (Fin.)

Adult Education is very important. Just now, there is a lot of Communist propaganda done on people who know nothing and so simply swallow whatever is said to them. Unless we educate the public by proper classes about the idealogy of Government and the basic economy principles, the people will be easily misled. This has become an imperative and immediate duty xxxxxx on us especially because of the coming adult sufferage. I would like the scheme suggested by the D.P.I. to be accepted as a whole and also provide for a few night schools at least about 50 per district. The payment for these night schools may be onlyabout Rs.12 a ~~for a month each~~ month. That will mean Rs.15,000. I do not know whether it will be necessary to run an adult education journal. The D.P.I. may be asked to send his detailed suggestions about it later on and it may xx be considered separately when the details are received. For the present, the provision for adult education and for night schools may be as mentioned above.

TSA

12-12-47

11 DEC 1947

I do not think we can run a night school with Rs 12/ P.M. I doubt very much whether these can counteract Communist propaganda either. Let us take 10 to 15 schools a district for the present.

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The file may be re-circulated to H.M. (Edn.)

17/12/47

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17/12/47

H.M. (Fin.)

I am afraid I have not been made understood the full implications of the scheme. I regard this matter of adult education very important. Adult education refers not only to night schools but also adult education classes in a regular recognised form in politics, economics and in many other professions also. I would like to have this matter considered properly by the Standing Finance Committee and the Cabinet. This may please go before the Standing Finance Committee.

TSA

17.12.47

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May be re-circulated to H.M. (Fin.)

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May go before S.F.C.

H.M. (Fin.)

B.G.A

18.12

18 DEC 1947

A draft Part II note is put up for approval. The Finance may see before issue.

E&P.H. W.O. No. 21929 B2/47-14.

19.12.47

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Fin. (B.E. II)

[Finance last saw on pp. 17-18 above
Orders in circulation on pp. 18-19 above]

The draft note may be accepted.

19.12.47.

19.12.47 E&PH

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Fin. W.O. No. 77301 BE II-1

19-12-47

Recommendations of the Standing Finance Committee on Part II Schemes:--

Item 81:- Provision may be reduced by ½ (The number of centres and night schools in each district may be reduced to half of what was proposed. The scheme ~~shou~~ should be further examined and detail~~ed~~ worked out and the orders of the Government taken before orders are issued sanctioning it).

Please see the recommendations of the Standing Finance Committee above. For orders whether the recommendations may be accepted.

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SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
26 JAN 1948
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Secretary, E.& P.H.

With regard to No.81 of the Part II Schemes for opening of adult education classes and night schools, the Standing Finance Committee has sanctioned half the amount that we have asked for. The scheme will have to be revised in view of this grant and no orders may be issued without further reference to me.

R. 1,54,500.

TSA
23-1-48

H.M.Education.

JOINT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
28 JAN 1943
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

A draft D.O. is subd. H.M. (Edn) may see.

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28/1/48 M. (Cw.)

OS 29/28/1

The D.O. letter may be as follows:

" I am to inform you that the Government have provisionally made ~~some~~ provision for opening adult education classes. You are requested to submit detailed proposals for these classes as soon as possible".

TSA
16.2.48

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P. H. DEPT.
17 FEB 1948
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

A revised draft ~~D.O.~~ is subd.

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Secretary, E.& P.H.

In the Part II schemes an amount of Rs.1,54,500 has been provided for adult education classes and night schools. This covers adult education classes, night schools, purchase of projectors for adult education etc., as may be seen from the explanatory memorandum submitted along with the Part II schemes. I wanted to make some alterations in the scheme itself and so it was suggested in the Cabinet order that the D.P.I. may obtain orders from Govt. before putting into action that scheme. I am herewith sending you my detailed scheme with regard to adult education.

The scheme provides for aided institutions in the many of the types of adult education classes intended to be opened by Govt. This makes the scheme much cheaper for Govt. and enables us to run more adult education classes with the same amount. Since there is an element of grant-in-aid, I think it is necessary that H.M. (Fin.) should see it also. Since the grant-in-aid Code is cheaper for Govt. in the long run and helps private enterprises to help us in this great work, it is good for us to evolve such a scheme. H.M. (Fin.) may kindly see and approve it.

The demand for grants comes about 8th of this month and Education may come on or about 11th and so I shall be glad if H.M. (Fin.) may kindly send his approval as soon as possible.

T.S.A
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H.M. Education.

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H.P. also may kindly approve

yes
All these schemes should be
effecientally managed or else
they are a waste
G.P.R
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8-3-68

A draft order is submitted.
Finance may see for acceptance before issue.

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17/3/48 S

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17-3-48

Finance (BE II)

[Previous Finance note on p.19 above]

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
17966
17 MAR 1948
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Please see the recommendation of S.F.C. on ~~orders in~~ p. 20 above and the orders in circulation on p. 23 above. The draft order may be accepted. (The budget has been voted by the Legislature ~~(It will be issued only after the Budget is voted by the Legislature)~~ For cost of the final scheme please see page 85 C(7).)

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C.S.R.

25.3.48

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Rd 30.3.48

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30.3.48

27.3.48

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

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Fin. U.O. No. 17966 BE II-1
1.4.48

Hm. (Edn) may see the draft order before issue.

Rd 2/4/48.

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Hm. (Edn.)

Routine
(H.M. suggests the appointing a Spl. officer for Citizenship) which has gone to Finance after [illegible] of this order, a draft will be put up for appointing the Spl. officer)

2/4/48

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Draft approved. Orders may be issued immediately. Orders appointing Mr. Nilakantam as Special Officer for Citizenship training may also be issued immediately. Many of these training schools may have to be organised during the holidays and hence the urgency.

TSA
8-4-48

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

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

FROM
THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS.
To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department.

R.C.NO. 79 S.E. 2/51 dated21.2.51.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
23 FEB 1951
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Sub:-Adult Education--Adult Literacy Schools run by Local Bodies--electric charges met from their funds--payment of contingent allowance to teachers--orders requested.

Ref:-Endt.Rc.56- D/51 dt. 28.1.51 of the Divisional Inspector of Schools, Mathurai.

In G.O. No. 846 Edn. dt. 9.4.48 adult school teachers trained as well as untrained are to be paid Rs.4/- or Rs.3/- respectively for lighting and other incidental charges. Some of these adult schools under the control of Local Bodies are held in buildings which are electrified and the electric charges are being met by the authorities.

An issue has now been raised as to whether teachers working in adult schools which are electrified and the lighting charges met by the Local Bodies shouldbe paid the full amount of Rs.4/- or Rs.3/- as the case may be for lighting and other incidential charges.

As the allowance of Rs.4/- or Rs.3/- is intended to meet not only the lighting charges but also other incidental charges, I recommend that teachers working in adult literacy schools which are electrified and where the electric charges are met by the authorities may be paid Rs.2/- in the case of trained teachers or Rs.1/8/0 in the case of untrained teachers.

Yours faithfully,

22.2.51
For Director of Public Instruction.

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Memo No. 7295C/51.2 Edn. dated 17.3.51

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Adult Education - Adult literacy schools run by local bodies - Electric charges met from their funds- Payment of contingent allowance to teachers.

Letter from the D.P.I. No.79 Se2/51 dated 21-2-51.

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ADDITIONAL DEPUTY SECRETARY
10 MAR 1951
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT

The Govt. approve of the proposal of the D.P.I. that teachers working in adult literacy schools which are electrified and ~~when~~ where the electric charges are met by ~~the~~ local bodies may be paid a contingent allowance of Rs.2/- in the case of trained teachers and Rs.1-8-0 in the case of untrained teachers. in lieu of the rates of Rs 4/- and Rs 3/- respectively sanctioned in G.O. 846 Edn. [illegible]

To the D.P.I.

the A.G. thro' Fin.

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Note: Finance may see for acceptance.

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Fin

Lw 7295C/51-1
9/3/51

Fin (Exp B)

The draft memo above may be accepted subject to the addition suggested in pencil.

12.3.51

13/3/51 Edn.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
15 MAR 1951
9971
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

The draft order may issue with the addition suggested by Fin

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[illegible] 7295/51-2 [illegible] 17.3.51

Adult Education - Adult literacy schools [illegible] - eligible charges [illegible] payment of contingent allowance to teachers.

Letter from the D.P.I., Rc.79 SE2/51 dated 13-6-51.

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The Govt. [illegible] view of the proposal of the [illegible] teachers working in adult literacy schools which are electrified and where the electric charges are met by the local bodies [illegible] be paid a contingent allowance of Rs.2/- in the case of trained teachers and Rs.1-8-0 in the case of untrained teachers.

5/8/51

Note: [illegible] for the [illegible].

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EDUCATION DEPARRMENT.

FROM

THE DIRECTOROF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
M A D R A S.

TO

THE Secretary to Government,
Education Department.

Rc. No. 79 SE2/51 dated 13--6--51.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
23364
10 JUN 1951
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

ADULT EDUCATION--Adult Literacy schools working during the day--payment of contingent allowance to teachers instructions--requested.

Ref: Endorsement Rc. No. 356 E/51 dated 30--5--1951 of the Divisional Inspector of schools, Ananthapur.

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1. In Government Memo No. 7295 C/51-2 Education dated 17-3-51 Government have passed orders that teachers working in adult literacy schools which are electrified and where the electric charges are met by local bodies may be paid a half the contingent allowance i. e. Rs. 2/- in the case of trained teachers and Rs. 1/8/- in the case of untrained teachers.

2. A question has now been raised as to whether adult school teachers who conduct them during the daytime can be allowed payment of contingent charges of Rs. 4/- or Rs..3/- as the case may be, even though they do not incur any expenditure on lighting purposes. ~~and~~ I request to be informed if teachers working in Adult Literacy schools which work in the afternoons and do not incur any expenditure on ~~the~~ lighting may also be paid half the

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the contingent charges just like teachers in schools which are electrified and where the electric charges are met by local bodies.

Yours faithfully,

16.6.51

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Memo. No. 23364-H/51-2 Edn. dated 10-6-51.

Sub: Adult edn. - Adult literacy schools conducted during the daytime - Payment contingent allowance to teachers.

From the D.P.I. No. 79 SE2/51 d. 13-6-51

The Govt. approve the proposal of the D.P.I. that teachers working in adult literacy schools which are conducted during the daytime and where no expre. is incurred on lighting, may be paid a contingent allowance of Rs2/- p.m. in the case of trained teachers and Rs1-8-0 p.m. in the case of untrained teachers, in lieu of the rates of Rs4/- p.m. and Rs3/- p.m. respectively sanctioned in G.O. No. 846 Edn. d. 9.4.48.

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Pl. despatch substitute copies of the memo to the D.P.I. & to the A.G. thro Fin. Dpd.

14/7/51

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To the D.P.I.
" A.G. thro Fin.
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Note: ~~Fin. u.o. for acceptance of the draft overleaf.~~ The allowance of Rs 4/- or Rs 3/- is insufficient to meet not only the lighting charges but also other incidental charges. The proposal of the D.P.I. may be accepted.

May be sent to Fin. u.o. for acceptance of the draft overleaf.

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Finance

Edn. u.o. 23364-H/51-1
d. 28-6-51

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The draft memo overleaf may be accepted.

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u.o. 48235/Exp B/51-1
9.7.51

Issue
10/7/51

SENIOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY, FINANCE DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
29 JUN 1951
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
10 JUL 1951
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TELEPHONIC MESSAGE.

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From D.P.I.

To Secretary
Edn. Department

Sub: Adult education – Adult literacy school – conduct during the day time payment of contingency allowance to teachers.

H 3 Ref: Memo No. 23364-H/51-2 edn. dated 10.7.51

In the memo ~~stated~~ cited above it is stated that in adult literacy school where no expenditure is incurred on lighting a contingency Allowance

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of Rs 62/ per month may be allotted I presume that the amount sanctioned is Rs 2/ and not Rs. 62/ per month. please confirm.

17/7/51

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Substitute copies of the memo at (H)/3 have already been sent to the D.P.I. & the A.G. This may be lodged.

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SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
29 APL 1952
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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POST COPY OF TELEPHONIC MESSAGE NO.RC.98-SE.2/52, dated 26th April 1952

From
The Director of Public
Instruction,
Madras.

To
The Assistant Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Madras.

Sub: Adult Education - Adult Literacy Schools - conducted during the daytime - Payment of contingent allowance to teachers -

Ref: Government Memo.No.23364 H/51-2 Education, dated, 10th July 1951.

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G.O. 846 Edn. 9-4-48

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I presume that due to the increased rate of contingent allowance in respect of untrained teachers from Rs.3/- to Rs.4/- p.m. sanctioned in G.O.Ms.No.448 Education dated 5th March 1952, such teachers working in daytime adult schools may be paid at Rs.2 p.m. as per the Government memorandum cited above.

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for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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7/6/52

Memo. No. 16578/H/52-2 dated 7/6/~~5~~-52

Sub: Adult edn. - Adult literacy schools conducted during the daytime - Payment of contingent allowance to teachers.

Read: Memo. No. 23364-H/51-2 Edn. d. 10-7-51.

From the D.P.I., P.c. of T.M. No. Rc. 98-S.E.2/52 d. 26-4-52

The D.P.I. is informed that the presumption contained in his p.c. of T.M. cited above is correct.

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To the D.P.I.
✓ " A.G. thro. Fin.
(with copy of p/c f.)

Approved
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT (H).

Sub:- Adult Education - Adult literacy schools conducted during the daytime - Payment of contingent allowance to teachers.

Read:-Memorandum No.23364-H/51-2 Education, dated 10-7-'51.

From the D.P.I., P.C. of T.M.No.Rc.98-S.E.2/52 dated 26-4-'52.

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According to G.O.No.846 Education, dated 9-4-'48, the contingent allowance (towards lighting and other incidental charges) payable to adult literacy school teachers was Rs.4/- p.m. in the case of those trained in adult education methods and Rs.3/- p.m. in the case of those not trained in adult education methods. In Memorandum No.23364-H/51-2 Education, dated 10-7-'51, the Government approved the proposal of the Director of Public Instruction that teachers in adult litercy schools which were conducted during the daytime and where no expenditure was incurred on lighting, might be paid a contingent ~~xx~~ allowance of Rs.2/- p.m. in the case of teachers trained in adult education methods and Rs.1-8-0/- p.m. in the case of thos not trained in adult education methods, i.e. at lf the rates sanctioned in G.O.No.846 Education, ted 9-4-'48.

2. Recently, in G.O.Ms. No.44 Education, dated 5-3-'52 increasing the rates of gr ts payable to adult literacy school teachers, the contingent allowa (towards lighting and other incidental charges) payabl to both trained and untrained (in adult education methods) teachers has been fixed at Rs.4/- p.m. The Director of Public Instruction now enquires whether teachers untrained in adult education methods working in adult literacy schools conducted during the daytime and where no expenditure is incurred on lighting may be paid a contingent allowance of Rs.2/- p.m., i.e. at half rate sanctioned to such teachers in G.O.Ms.No.448 Education, dated 5-3-'52. He may, it seems, be answered

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in the affirmative. A draft memo. is submitted for approval. Finance may see for acceptance.

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SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
4 JUN 1952
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Edu-u-o.16578-H/52-1
dated 23-5-52

Fin (Exp B)

The notes of Edu on pp 1-2 above may be perused and the draft memo below may be accepted

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ADDITIONAL DEPUTY SECRETARY
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
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Fin no. 39140 Edn-1
3.6.52

The draft memo below may now issue.

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Education Department.

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department, Madras.

SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
10 JUN 1952
22863

Rc.93 SE2/52 dated 6-6-1952.

Sir,

Sub: ADULT EDUCATION - Adult Literacy Schools - Payment of contingent allowances to teachers working in day time adult schools and electrified night adult schools.

Ref: My Telephonic Message Rc.98 SE2/52 dated 26-4-52.

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As per the orders contained in Government Memo No.7295 C/51-2 Edn., dated 2-3-1952 and Memo No.23364 H/51-2 Edn., dated 10-7-51 teachers who are working in adult schools which are electrified and those who are working in adult schools conducted during the day-time are paid Rs.2/- p.m. if they are trained and Rs.1-8-0 if they are untrained. I presume that such teachers may be paid Rs.2/- p.m. irrespective of the fact that they are trained or not in view of the revised rates of allowances now sanctionedin G.O.Ms.No.448 Edn., dated 5-3-1952.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Orders in the matter have since issued in Memo. 16578/H/52-2 Edu. d 7/6/52. No action seems called for. May be lodged and filed with papers at (R)

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From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department.

SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
28/7
14 JUL 1952
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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R.C. 98 S.E.2/52 Dated 8--7--52.

Sir,

Sub:- ADULT EDUCATION - Adult Literacy Schools - payment of contingent allowances to teachers working in electrified night schools.

Ref:- My letter Rc. 98 S.E. 2/52 dated 6-6-52.

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I invite your kind attention to my letter quoted above and request the favour of orders on the subject.

Yours faithfully,

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for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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Sub: Adult Education - adult literacy Schools - payment of Contingent allowances to teachers working in electrified night schools.

Ref: Read again Memo. 16578/H/52-2 Edn d 7/6/52
From the D.P.I. Rc. 98 S.E. 2/52 d 6/6/52 and 8/7/52

Memo. No. 28914 - H/52-2 Edn. ~~Edn~~ d 2.8.52

The attention of the D.P.I is invited to the orders issued in Memo Cited and he is informed that his presumption that all teachers working in day time adult schools as well as electrified night adult Schools may be paid Rs. 2/- p.m. as Contingent allowance irrespective of the fact they are trained or not, is Correct.

To
the D.P.I
the A.G. thro Fin
S/c.

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Note: Please See the letter from the D.P.I. on p1 cf. The Director's presumption that in view of the revised rates of allowances Sanctioned in the G.O. 448 Edn d 5/3/52, all teachers working in day time adult schools as well as electrified night adult Schools, whether trained or not, may be paid Rs 2 p.m. as Contingent allowance is Correct. The allowance is paid not only for lighting but also for other Contingencies etc. The draft above is for approval.

Finance may See before issue.

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SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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ADDITIONAL DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
53823
21 JUL 1952
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

The draft memo above may be accepted.

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The draft memo overleaf may now be issued.

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