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Allowance - Conveyance - Assistant Supdt  
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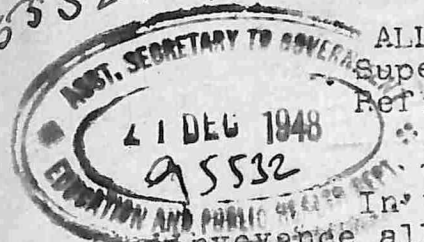
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From  
V.V. Subramaniam, Esq., OBE., ICS.,  
Superintendent of Stationery,  
Madras at Guindy, Madras 15.

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

No. ARC.13916/48 dated 14-12-48.

95532 Sir,



ALLOWANCE - Conveyance - Sri D. Subbarayasastrri - Assistant  
Superintendent of Stationery - increase - recommended.  
Ref: G.O. Ms. No.1900 Education dated 11-8-48.

In the G.O., referred to above, Government sanctioned a  
conveyance allowance of Rs.50/- per month to Sri D. Subbarayasastrri,  
Assistant Superintendent of Stationery to go to the Stationery Office  
at Guindy. After I took charge, I issued instructions to him to go  
to Guindy twice a week, every Wednesday forenoon and Saturday after  
noon and he has been going there regularly. There is a little  
improvement in the office on account of these visits but I feel  
that more frequent visits to the office at Guindy, by the Assistant  
Superintendent of Stationery are quite necessary in the interests  
of the efficiency. I have therefore instructed him to visit the  
Stationery Office thrice a week hereafter, on the forenoon of Tuesdays  
and Thursdays and the afternoon of Saturdays and the last working day  
of the month. I request that Government may please to increase his  
conveyance allowance from Rs.50/- to Rs.75/- per month from 15-12-48  
and till the Stationery Office is brought back to 1st Line Beach.

V.V. Subramaniam

17.12.48.  
Superintendent of Stationery.

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The original No. Sanctioning the Conveyance allowance to Mr. Duncan (A. Super of Stationery) has been called for from the MRO at Chittoor. This may be over till 4/1/1949.

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From  
The Superintendent of Stationery,  
Madras at Guindy,  
Madras 15

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



No. A.2.13916/48 dated 21-1-49.

Sir,

Conveyance allowance - Sri D. Subbaraya Sastri,  
Assistant Superintendent of Stationery - increase - requested.  
My letter ARC.13916-48 dated 14-12-48.

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I request the favour of early orders.

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D. Subbaraya Sastri  
for Superintendent of Stationery.  
21/1/49

(C.No. 95532)

Memo. No. 95532-3 C2 *8/12-2-49*

Sub: Allowance - Conveyance - Assistant  
Supdt. of Stationery - Increase -  
Negatived.

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From the Supdt. of Stationery,  
No. ARC.-13916/48 dated 14-12-48.

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*12 nf* The Government decline to <sup>accept the</sup> ~~sanction the~~  
grant of increased conveyance allowance ~~from~~  
Rs 50/- p.m. to Rs 75/- p.m. to the Assistant Supdt.  
of Stationery from 15-12-48. ~~to go to the Stationery~~  
~~Office at Guindy.~~

*1-1 nf* 2. The Supdt. of Stationery is  
informed that the conveyance <sup>allowance</sup> of Rs.50/- per mensem  
was fixed in 1942 in the case of Mr. S. Duncan, the  
then Assistant Supdt. of Stationery to cover the  
extra expenditure which he had to incur consequent  
on his ~~every day~~ <sup>daily</sup> visit to Guindy. As the Supdt. of  
Stationery has now instructed his Assistant to visit  
the office at Guindy only for 3 days in the week,  
it has been suggested that <sup>the</sup> rate of Rs.50/- p.m.  
now allowed to him will have to be reviewed, ~~on the~~  
<sup>allowance</sup> of 6 as. a mile / ~~per~~ <sup>on the</sup> days the Assistant  
Supdt. visits the Stationery Office at Guindy, the  
cost of conveyance should not be more than Rs 30/-  
p.m. The Supdt. of Stationery is requested to  
offer his remarks at an early date on the ~~above~~  
proposal.

To

The Supdt. of Stationery,  
Madras.

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Stock file)

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From: V.V. Subramaniam Esq., I.C.S. To  
SUPERINTENDENT OF STATIONERY,  
(MADRAS) AT GUINDY,  
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The Secretary to Government,  
Education and Public Health  
Department, Madras.

No.A.2.13916/48. Dated: 22/3/49.

SUB: Allowance - Conveyance - Assistant Superintendent  
of Stationery - Increase.

REF: Government memorandum No. 95532-3-C2-Edn.,  
dated 12-2-49. p 5 crite

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With reference to para 2 of the memorandum quoted above I submit  
that at the time of recommending a conveyance allowance of Rs.50/- to  
Mr. S. Duncan in 1942, the distance between Beach and Guindy was taken  
as 7 miles. But this does not appear to be accurate. The distance  
between Wallajah Gate (Fort) and Guindy is 7 miles. The distance bet-  
ween Beach and Guindy is 9 miles. On this basis the Assistant  
Superintendent will have to perform a journey of 18 miles extra on  
each of the days he visits Guindy as he has to indispensably attend  
the Madras Office on those days in connection with the Stamp Office.  
At the rate of 3 visits a week in the minimum prescribed by me now,  
the Assistant Superintendent will have to pay a minimum of 12 visits  
per month covering a distance of 216 miles. At the rate of 6 annas a  
mile, the rate suggested in the Government memorandum the total  
conveyance charge will work out to Rs.81/- per month. But the prevail-  
ing rate of mileage allowed for journeys in city for purposes of T.A  
is 9 annas per mile and at this rate the T.A amounts to Rs.120/8/-.  
When Mr. S. Duncan applied for the conveyance allowance of Rs.50/- he  
took into consideration only the cost of extra petrol used by him for  
the journeys to Guindy. He did not consider the cost of mobile oil,  
and the wear and tear of his car. The allowance of Rs.50/- paid to  
him was far less than the minimum expenditure involved.

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The cost of living in the city is higher than in any Mofussil  
Station. So long as a Deputy Collector is posted as Assistant  
Superintendent of Stationery and has to work in the city, it is  
quite necessary to see that he is not out of pocket on account of  
extra expenditure through conveyance charges and the higher cost of  
living. The Stationery office requires close supervision and improve-  
ment and a Deputy Collector who is posted as Assistant Superintendent,  
should be able to stay in the post for an appreciable period and give  
of his best. In view of the fact that Government incur a large  
expenditure every year in the purchase of stationery and inefficiency  
in the Stationery office causes inconvenience to all the Government  
offices in the Province, close supervision is required. A small  
reduction in the grant of conveyance allowance to the Assistant  
Superintendent of Stationery will not be a real economy. I therefore  
strongly urge that Government may be pleased to sanction my proposal.

V.V. Subramaniam

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~~23~~ SUPERINTENDENT OF STATIONERY.

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Sub:- Allowance - Conveyance - Asst. Supdt. of Stationery - Request for increase - Refused.

Read:- From the Supdt. of Stationery,  
No A2/13916/48 dated 22.3.49

Pl. issue 194.49 399 w/4

Order No. 1179 rdn dated 19.4.49 (MS)

The Govt. decline to reconsider the orders passed in Memo. No. 95532-3 C2 rdn dated 12.2.49 that the Conveyance allowance drawn by the Assistant Supdt. of Stationery may be enhanced from Rs 50 to Rs 75/- per month from 1.12.1948.

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To the Supdt. of Stationery  
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CR 12/4/49 rdn that the conveyance allowance for the Asst Supdt of Stationery

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to be at the same rate,  
viz. Rs 50/- a month.

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COPY OF G.O. MS. NO. 1179 EDUCATION DATED 19-4-49.  
ABSTRACT

ALLOWANCE - Conveyance - Assistant Superintendent of  
Stationery - Request for increase - Refused.

ORDER.

The Government have decided that the  
conveyance allowance for the Assistant Superintendent of  
Stationery may continue to be at the same rate, viz. Rs.50/-  
a month.

J.M. LOBO PRABHU,  
Secretary to Government.

To The Superintendent of Stationery.

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COPY OF G.O. NO. 1170 DATED 10-1-49.  
STATIONERY - Request for increase - Refused.  
ALLOWANCE - Conveyance - Assistant Superintendent of

ORDER

The Government have decided that the conveyance allowance for the Assistant Superintendent of Stationery may continue to be at the same rate, viz. Rs. 50/- a month.

J.M. MOBO PRASAD,  
Secretary to Government,  
To The Superintendent of Stationery.

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E & P.H. Department (C.2)

Sub:- Conveyance allowance - Asst. Supdt. of Stationery - Sri D. Subbaraya Sastri - Increase.

C.No. 95532, from the Supdt. of Stationery, No. ARC.-13916/48 dated 14-12-48.

The Supdt. of Stationery <sup>recommends</sup> ~~requests~~ that the conveyance allowance granted to the Asst. Supdt. of Stationery to go to the Stationery Office at Guindy may be increased from Rs 50/- to Rs 75/- per mensem, from 15-12-48 <sup>and</sup> ~~or~~ till the Stationery Office is brought back to the First Line Beach. He states in this connection that after he took charge that he issued instructions to the Assistant Supdt. of Stationery to go to Guindy twice a week, every Wednesday forenoon and Saturday afternoon and as this system does not work well, he has instructed <sup>him</sup> in the interests of the efficiency of the office to visit the Stationery Office thrice a week hereafter on the forenoon of Tuesdays and Thursdays and the afternoon of Saturdays and the last working day of the month.

2. The conveyance allowance to the Asst. Supdt. of Stationery was first sanctioned in 1942 when the office of the Stationery Stores was removed to Guindy as a measure of evacuation. The allowance was fixed at only Rs. 50 per mensem in the case of Mr. Duncan, the then Asst. Supdt. of Stationery, to cover the extra expenditure which he has to incur consequent on his every day visit to Guindy. It is ~~not clear~~ <sup>does not seem</sup> therefore that ~~the conveyance allowance can be increased~~ <sup>there is a case for increasing</sup> from Rs 50/- to Rs 75/- when the Asst. Supdt. of Stationery is expected to visit the Stores at Guindy thrice a week only. <sup>He has to run only about 168 miles</sup> ~~At the same time it may be noted that the~~ <sup>a month and use about 89 gallons of petrol</sup> price of petrol per gallon will not be so high as was <sup>at the best</sup> ~~in 1942~~ <sup>as he has to spend about</sup>

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The file may be sent to Finance for remarks

~~From the Supdt. of Stationery,  
No A2-13916/48 of 22/3/49~~

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C.No. 23181, from the Supdt. of Stationery,  
No. A.2.13916/48, d/ 22-3-49.

Please see the reply from the Supdt. of Stationery on page 7 c.f. In the circumstances explained in ~~our~~ <sup>the</sup> Memo. on page 5 c.f., the Supdt. of Stationery was ~~requested~~ <sup>asked</sup> to consider why the present conveyance allowance allowed to the Supdt. of Stationery should not be reduced to Rs. 30/- p.m. The Supdt. of Stationery states that with reference to the calculations worked out in para: 1 of his letter at the prevailing rate of mileage allowed for journeys in the City for purposes of t.a., it works out to Rs ~~120/8/-~~ <sup>120/8/-</sup> p.m. and at the rate of Re 0-6-0 a mile, the rate suggested in our Memo. on page 7 c.f. the total conveyance charge will work out to Rs 81 p.m. The Supdt. of Stationery further contends that when Mr. Duncan applied for the conveyance allowance of Rs 50/- he took into consideration only the <sup>cost of</sup> extra petrol used by him for the journeys to Guindy. But he did not consider the cost of his mobile oil and the wear and tear of his car and that the allowance of Rs 50 paid to him was far less than the minimum expenditure involved.

2. The Supdt. of Stationery strongly urges that his proposal to enhance the conveyance allowance from Rs 50 to Rs 75 may be sanctioned ~~because of the high cost of living in the City~~ and so long as a Deputy Collector is posted as Asst. Superintendent of Stationery and has to work in the City, it is quite necessary to see that he is not out of pocket on account of extra expenditure through conveyance charges and the higher cost of living.

3. In the circumstances now explained by the Supdt. of Stationery, it is for consideration whether this Department may press for the increase of

conveyance allowance to Rs 75/- p.m. to the Asst. Supdt. of Stationery.

The remarks of Finance Dept. may be invited u.o.

Finance (E.I.) Dept.

previous Finance note on pp.2-3 above and the further notes may be perused.

2. The question for consideration is whether the conveyance allowance of Rs.50 p.m. fixed in 1942 for the Assistant Superintendent of Stationery, to pay daily visit to the stationery office at Guindy may be reduced in view of the restriction since imposed by the Collector for inspection visits of 3 days in a week. After consulting the Collector, E. & P.H. recommend that the matter be ~~dropped~~.

It is a fact that Rs.50 p.m. was deemed as sufficient recompense for the Assistant Superintendent to pay daily visits to the office at Guindy. The Govt. do not sanction the grant of a separate conveyance allowance for its officers stationed in the City, and the conditions in rules 19-21 on pp.11-12 of the M.T.A. Rules, Vol.I, should be satisfied before sanction is accorded for such a concession. The reasons urged by the Collector in para 2 of his letter on p.7 C.F. do not seem sufficient for the drawal of a separate conveyance allowance at enhanced rates even when there is diminution in duties attached to the post. For meeting the high cost of living in Madras the officer draws D.A. ~~which is~~. In fact the duties of the Asst.



Superintendent should be deemed to cover such visits to the main office at Guindy. Whatever might have been the reason during the evacuation days, i.e. 1942 it stands to reason that the conveyance allowance should be reduced when the number of visits is curtailed. ~~The~~ The payment of a separate conveyance allowance is in itself a concession and this Department may urge that the amount should be susceptible of reduction when there is reduction in the number of trips to the Guindy office. ~~reduced~~.

3. The present rate of the allowance is Rs.50 p.m. This Department suggested that the extra cost the officer is likely to be put to is about Rs.27 ~~xxx~~ or Rs.30, ~~xx~~ <sup>colr</sup> ~~xx~~ adopting Rs.0-6-0 a mile, proposed by D.S. The points out that the prevailing rate is Rs.0-9-0. Even adopting the latter, the rate of conveyance allowance works out to about Rs.41. Finance may advise that the amount be reduced to Rs.40 p.m.

4. With the above remarks the case may be returned to E. & P.H.

RR 1.4.49 <sup>52</sup> ~~1.4.49~~ All things considered, I think ~~in~~ allowance may be left as it is.

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E. & P.H.

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E. & P.H. Dept.  
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The file relates to the conveyance allowance drawn by the Asst. Supdt. of Stationery. The Supdt. of Stationery recommended an increase in the existing conveyance allowance paid to the Assistant Supdt. of Stationery from Rs 50 to Rs 75 from 15-12-48 and till the Stationery Stores is brought back to the First Line Beach. This Department in consultation with Finance informed the Supdt. of Stationery that no increase of conveyance allowance would be granted from 15-12-48 as desired by him. But <sup>he was asked</sup> ~~it was suggested to him~~ why the cost of conveyance should be more than Rs 30/- per mensem.



A draft <sup>under</sup> ~~memo~~ to the Supdt. of Stationery is sub<sup>d</sup> for approval

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JD 12/4/49

DM 18/4/49

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3 The file may be circulated to H.M. (Edn.) for orders as to "M" above.

2 The Supdt. of Stationery <sup>has</sup> reiterated his request and strongly urged that in the circumstances stated in his letter on page 7 c.f., his request for the increase of allowance may be sanctioned. Again this Department considered the question in consultation with Finance and are inclined to leave the allowance as it is without reduction.

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The audit of Stationery registered his request and strongly urged that in the circumstances stated in his letter on page 7-6.2, his request for the increase of allowance may be sanctioned. Again this Department considered the question in consultation with Finance and are inclined to leave the allowance as it is without reduction.

The rate may be circulated to M.M. (H.M.) for orders as to "W" above.

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