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[Despatch Abstract.]

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SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE.
ASSEMBLY SECTION.
19-7-1948.

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SRI P. KAKKAN, M.L.A.

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

*Q. No. 367:-

Will the Hon. the Minister for Education
be pleased to state:-

(a) whether it is a fact that some heads
of the ^{educational} institutions are getting the first
instalment ^{of fees from Harijan students though they}
~~even though the Harijan students~~
are exempted from paying ^{the} tuition fees; and

(b) if so, what action the Government
will take to instruct the heads of the ins-
titutions to refund the fees? and

~~(c) whether it is a fact that some of
the Harijan students are not able to study
for not paying the first instalment of
tuition fees?~~

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the fees?

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E. & P. H. Dept.

Draft Answer.

(a) Govt. received some
complaints from Harijans that
heads of certain educational
institutions were demanding
fees from them.

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(b) In May 1948, the D.P.I.
issued proceedings asking de-
partmental officers to draw the
attention of heads of institu-
tions to the rules relating to
the exemption of Harijan pupils
from payment of fees and to
warn them against the irregular
collection of fees. Last month
Govt. have also issued a Press
Note in the matter. If the
Hon'ble Member will cite speci-
fic instances of irregular col-
lection of fees the Govt. will
make necessary enquiries.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY QUESTION NO. 367-REVENUE.

SRI P. KAKKAN, M.L.A.
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Will the Hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state:-

(a) whether it is a fact that some heads of the educational institutions are getting the first instalment of fees from Harijan students though they are exempted from paying the tuition fees; and

(b) if so, what action the Government will take to instruct the heads of the institutions to refund the fees?

Education and Public Health
Department.

ANSWER.

(a) Government received some complaints from Harijans that heads of certain educational institutions were demanding fees from them.

(b) In May 1948, the Director of Public Instruction issued proceedings asking departmental officers to draw the attention of heads of institutions to the rules relating to the exemption of Harijan pupils from payment of fees and to warn them against the irregular collection of fees. Last month Government have also issued a Press Note in the matter.

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L. S. Chinn
for Secretary to Government.

The above answer has been approved by the Hon'ble the Minister/
Sri Mr T. S. Avinashalingam Chettiar.

P. S. P. N. U. O. No. 5642/48-1.21.34
Dated 6th August 1948.

SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE,

Fort St. George, dated the 27.7.1948.



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QUESTION No. 367

for the ^{next} meeting of the Legislative Assembly to be held on the 194.

Two copies of this question are forwarded to the E and P.H. Department.

The question has been admitted.

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The E and P.H. Department.

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E and P.H. Dept.
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Please see the L.A. question No. 367 ab p14. The D.P.I. has already issued proceedings asking departmental officers to draw the attention of heads of the institutions to the rules relating to the exemption of Marigan pupil from fees and to warn them against the irregular collection of

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fees - vide p16 of lodged paper no. 74309

Der PH/47 dated 7-7-48. Attention is

also invited to the recent Govt-

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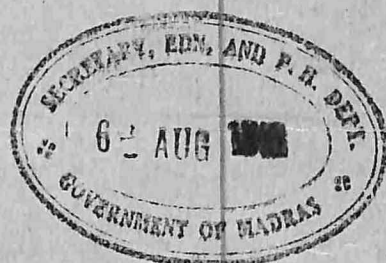
Press note on the subject. A draft answer to the question is submitted for approval. This may be circulated to HM (Edn.)

Mr. Kakkani made a similar complaint in July 47. Attention to the S.D.'s was made on p 12 and the letter to Mr. Kakkani on page 9 of the reply. Mr. Kakkani has not sent a reply.

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Fees for the Harijan Students.

* 223 Q.—SRI P. KAKKAN: Will the Hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that some heads of educational institutions are getting the first instalment of fees from Harijan students though they are exempted from paying the tuition fees; and

(b) if so, what action the Government will take to instruct the heads of the institutions to refund the fees?

THE HON. SRI T. S. AVINASHILINGAM CHETTIYAR:—

“(a) The Government received some complaints from Harijans that heads of certain educational institutions were demanding fees from them.

“(b) In May 1948, the Director of Public Instruction issued proceedings asking departmental officers to draw the attention of heads of institutions to the rules relating to the exemption of Harijan pupils from payment of fees and to warn them against the irregular collection of fees. Last month Government have also issued a Press Note in the matter.”

SRI S. NAGAPPA:—“As some students were rejected, as they did not pay the first instalment of fees, will the Government instruct heads of institutions to admit such students now?”

THE HON. SRI T. S. AVINASHILINGAM CHETTIYAR:— 11-30 a.m.
“Nothing can be done now when the seats are all filled up.”

SRI B. S. MURTHI:—“Will the Hon. Minister be pleased to give the names of heads of institutions who refused admission to Harijan students?”

THE HON. SRI T. S. AVINASHILINGAM CHETTIYAR:—
“We do not have any definite information. Certain representations were received from Harijans that fees were demanded and we have clarified of the rules by issuing a Press Note.”

SRI S. NAGAPPA:—“Since quite a large number of Harijan students could not pay the first instalment, they have been sent out of schools. Will the Government therefore consider the desirability of granting scholarships to them next year? Will the Government take into consideration each case and give scholarships to them next year?”

THE HON. SRI T. S. AVINASHILINGAM CHETTIYAR:—
“I do not think that such cases will be many. It will not be possible for us to do anything now, as we are in September.”

SRI B. S. MURTHI:—“Is it not a fact that complaints have been made both by students and their parents and by Harijan Sevak Sanghs and they have given the names of the heads of institutions who did not obey the orders of the Government?”

THE HON. SRI T. S. AVINASHILINGAM CHETTIYAR:—
“Quite possible. Those institutions have been informed that the students must be admitted.”

SRI S. NAGAPPA:—“What action will the Government take against those who acted against the orders of the Government and did not admit students in time?”

THE HON. SRI T. S. AVINASHILINGAM CHETTIYAR:—
“If it is bona fide ignorance of the rules, there is nothing that we can do. If it is shown that it is wanton, the Government will certainly take action in the matter.”

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Please see LA question at p 14.
The question has been answered
Verde extracts from the printed
proceedings above. No more action
seems called for. The papers may
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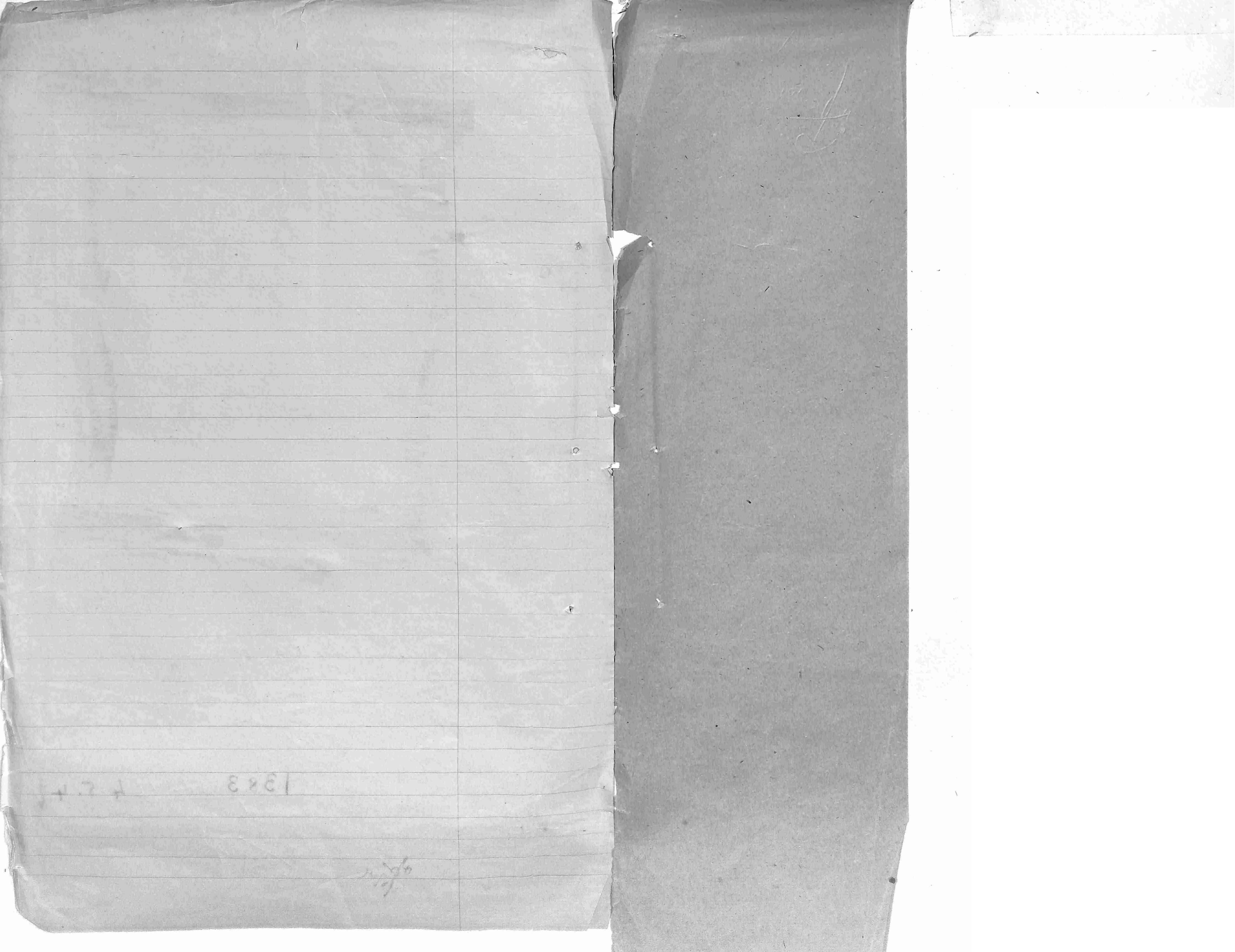
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Only LA question -
Largely answered from
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