

Education

(1944) Department.

No. SERIES.

G.O. NO. ~~250~~ 251 EDN

Dated 2. 2. 49

[Despatch Abstract.]

Subsidy - O.T. Bds. - Payment of enhanced dearness allowance to teachers in elementary schools - Advance - Sanctioned.

Back Papers.

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Further Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

No.G.1.28899/48.

Tinnevely District Board Office,
Dated the 11th August, 1948.

From

K. Ghulam Mahmood Sahib Bahadur, B.A.,
Collector & Special Officer,
District Board, Tinnevely.

To
61403

The Secretary to Government of Madras,
Education & Public Health Department,
M A D R A S.

Sir,

Subject :- Education - Elementary - Tinnevely District Board -
Payment of Dearness Allowance sanctioned in
G.O. No.1347 dated 8-7-48 to Elementary School
Teachers - Additional subsidy requested.



Ref:- G.O. No.1347, dated 8-7-48.

The Government in G.O. No.1347 dated 8-7-48 have sanctioned the grant of additional Dearness allowance and ordered that the District Board shall pay the same to the employees including the staff in Elementary and Secondary Schools at the rate admissible to the Government servants of corresponding grades. This is to be paid from 1-1-48. The amount that will have to be paid on this account comes to Rs.60,300/- roughly as shown below.

	No.	Amount.	Monthly rate.
		Rs.	Rs. As. Ps.
Teachers on Rs.20/- and below	36	2/-	72 0 0
-do- above Rs.20/- below Rs.40/-	1222	13/-	3666 0 0
-do- on Rs.40/-	111	3/-	333 0 0
-do- above Rs.40/- and below Rs.60/-	59	4/-	236 0 0
Total.			4307 0 0

The total amount that will be required for payment during the year 48-49 for 14 months is Rs.60,298 or Rs.60,300/-

2. I have to point out that the Elementary Education fund account of this District Board is working with a deficit balance of Rs.77,023/- during the year 47-48 for the following reasons:-

(1) The Education Tax at 17 pies in the rupee ordered to be levied for Fasli 1357, Education dated 15-7-47 has not been adjusted and the deficit in the budget provision on this account.

Rs.3,41,110 - 3,01,392 = Rs. 42,718.

(2) Marava Education and Midday Meals grant not adjusted.
Rs. 17,762 + 28,552 = 46,314.

Against a credit of Rs.14,400 taken in the budget.

(3) Excess expenditure on account of Compulsory Education.

Rs.1,15,263 - 66,205 = 49,058

Total. 1,18,090

Deduct minus balance in the account for 47-48 77,023

Surplus. 41,067

3. But as per Government Memorandum No.1798732/48-2, Education dated 14-7-48, the Government have ordered the refund of a sum of Rs.51,835/- out of the compulsory Education grant sanctioned for 46-47 and the same was remitted in Chalan No.162 dated 12-5-48. The net deficit will be Rs.10,768. In addition, a sum of Rs.60,300 is to be incurred for the grant of excess Dearness Allowance to the teachers in Elementary Schools.

4. In these circumstances, I request that the Government may be pleased to sanction a subsidy of Rs.60,300/- to grant the increased Dearness allowance to the Elementary Schools teachers under this District Board. A formal resolution of the District Board will be obtained and communicated soon.

For Special Officer.

T.G.A. 13.8.

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E.T.P. 11(33)

The question of raising the existing rate of edn. has been in each St. Bd. to provide funds for meeting the cost of payment of enhanced D. A. is separately under consideration. The connected file is now in circulation. This may lie over till 20.9.48.

30.9.48.
31/9/48

Final decision with regard to A above has not yet been reached. This may further lie over till

20.10.48

23.9.48.

24/9/48

Final decision with regard to A above has not yet been reached. This may further lie over till 30.11.48. (The matter is to be discussed at a meeting of the Cabinet.)

25.10.48

26/10/48

25/9/48

27/10/48

C.F. 32.

Local Administration Department
From (Name) N. Subrahmanyam, Esq., I.C.S., To
Designation Special Officer,
Station District Board, Chittoor.
Received
Registered
The Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education and Public Health Department, Fort St. George, Madras.

Enclosures: Roc.No. C1--14942 of 48 dated 25th August 1948.

Sir,

Sub:- Allowances - Dearness Allowance at enhanced rates from 1-1-48 - subsidy - requested.

Ref:- G.O. No. 1347 L.A., dated 8--7--1948.



The Board Elementary Schoolmasters of this

District are being paid the enhanced Dearness allowance at the rates sanctioned in the G.O. read above from 1-7-48 regularly. Supplemental bills have been called for for the period from 1-1-48 to 30-6-1948 and the bills are being received for payment.

I, therefore, request that orders may be communicated early sanctioning the subsidy of Rs. 88,050/- as reported already in this office reference Rc. A1--3905/48 dated 24-2-1948 for the payment of the enhanced dearness allowance to Elementary school-masters in view of the heavy deficit in the Elementary Education Fund account for 1948--49 --(vide G.O.No. 1371 Education dated 28-5-1948 approving the Budget Estimate of Elementary Education Funds for 1948--49)

Early orders are solicited.

A.R. 25/8.

For Special Officer,

No. G.1.28899/48.
Enc:- ONE.
From

Tinnevelly District Board Office,
Dated the 4th September, 1948.

K. Ghulam Mahmood Sahib Bahadur, B.A.,
Collector & Special Officer,
District Board, Tinnevelly.

To

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

Sir,

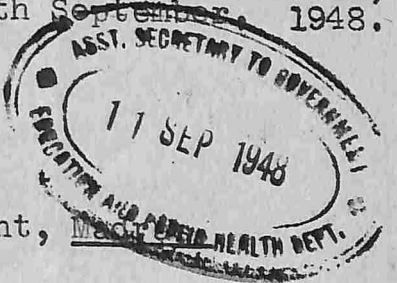
Subject:- Education - Elementary - Tinnevelly District Board - Payment
of Dearness allowance sanctioned in G.O. No.1347 dated
8-7-48 to Elementary School Teachers - Additional subsidy
requested.

Ref:- This office letter G.1.28899/48 dated 11-8-48.

In continuation of my letter No.G.1.28899/48 dated
11-8-48, I submit herewith a copy of District Board Resolution No.238
dated 31-8-48.

T.G.A. 7.9.

For Special Officer.



Proceedings of the Special Officer, District Board, Tinnevely,
Dated 31-8-48.

Resolution No.238.

Read G.O. No.1347 dated 8-7-48 sanctioning payment of additional dearness allowance to the District Board employees including Elementary School teachers.

And Special Officer's note dated 5-8-48 bringing to notice that the Elementary Education fund account of the District Board is working with a deficit balance of Rs.77,023/- and that the excess expenditure on this account will come to Rs.60,300/- and that the Government may be addressed to sanction additional subsidy on this account.

(G.1.28899/48).

GOVERNMENT TO BE ADDRESSED.

(True extract)

K. GHULAM MAHMOOD,
Special Officer.

only
For Special Officer.

T.G.A.7.9.

No. G.1.39503/48.

Tinnevely District Board Office,
Dated 1st December 1948.

From

K. Ghulam Mahmood Sahib Bahadur, B.A.,
Collector & Special Officer,
District Board, Tinnevely.

To



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

Sir

Sub:- Education - Elementary - Tinnevely District
Board - Budget - 1949-50 - Deficit - Additional
subsidy requested.

In my letter No.G.1.28899/48 dated 11-8-48, I had requested sanction of a subsidy of Rs.60,300/- to make up the deficit in the Elementary Education account, on account of payment of enhanced dearness allowance sanctioned in G.O.No.1347 dated 8-7-48 with effect from 1-1-48. The above sum is required for 14 months from 1-1-48 to 31-3-49 at the rate of Rs.4307/- per mensem.

For 1949-50, a sum of Rs.51700/- is required as subsidy from Government for the payment of enhanced dearness allowance to the teachers of Elementary Education section as detailed below:-

	Number.	Amount.	Monthly rate.
Teachers on Rs.20 and below.	36.	Rs.2/-.	Rs. 72--0--0.
-do- above Rs.20/- and below Rs.40/-.	1222.	Rs.3/-.	Rs.3666--0--0.
-do- on Rs.40/-.	111.	Rs.3/-.	Rs. 333--0--0.
-do- above Rs.40/- and below Rs.60/-.	59.	Rs.4/-.	Rs. 236--0--0.
Total.			Rs.4307--0--0.

The total amount required in 1949-50 is Rs.4307/- x 12 = Rs.51684/- or Rs.51700/-.

In the budget estimate for 1949-50, there is a deficit of Rs.245870/-. Towards the above deficit, a sum of Rs.112000/- (Rs.60300/- for 14 months from 1-1-48 and Rs.51700/- for 1949-50) is anticipated to be received as subsidy from Government for payment of enhanced dearness allowance to the teachers. Still there is a deficit of Rs.1,33,870/- in the Elementary Education Fund account and there is no source or resources to meet the deficit.

In the above circumstances, I request that Government may be pleased to sanction a subsidy of Rs.112000 towards payment of enhanced dearness allowance (including Rs.60300/- requested in this office No.G.1.28899/48 dated 11-8-48) and a subsidy of Rs.133870/- to meet the balance of deficit.

K.M.S. 1.12.

For Special Officer,
District Board, Tinnevely.

E.P.H.(133)

The question of raising the rate of existing rate of education tax in each D. A. to provide funds for meeting the cost of payment of enhanced D. A. is separately under consideration. The matter is to be discussed at a meeting of the Cabinet. This may be not till the decision a decision on the question is arrived at by the Cabinet.

13.12.48.

18/12/48

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CF. 22.

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



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(15 DEC 1948)

Local Administration DEPARTMENT.

Received Registered

From (Name) A.F. Mascarenhas Esq.,
(Designation) Collector & Special Officer,
Dt. Board, South Arcot,
Post Box (STATION) Cuddalore N.T.
Telegraphic Address

To

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

ROC.D12. No. 23455-48 dated 14th Decr. 1948.

Sir,

Sub:-Education-Elementary-Grant of enhanced dearness allowance to teachers-deficit in revised budget for 1948-49 subsidy-sanction-requested.

Ref:-Government Memo No.54172-B2.48-2 Education dated 8-9-48, and this office reference dated 2-12-48.

In continuation of this office reference dated 2-12-1948, I have to report that the revised budget for 1948-49 under elementary education fund of this district board closes with a deficit balance of Rs.1,15,000 - consequent

Enclosures

Not put up

SEPARATE COPIES

Not put up

consequent on the payment of enhanced dearness allowance to elementary school teachers from 1-1-1948. As a major portion of the anticipated savings has already been utilised for the above payments, I fear that unless the Government sanction the above subsidy, this board may not be in a position to pay the salaries of the teachers for February 1949 to be paid in March 1949. I therefore request that the Government may be pleased to sanction the above subsidy at an early date before 1-2-1949 to facilitate payment of salaries of teachers for February 1949 without any difficulty.

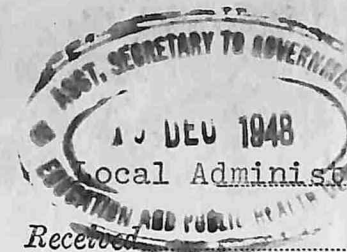
R.H.14-12.Exd.1

S. J. [Signature] For Special Officer, Dt. Board. 14/11/48

15000 x 2 = 30000
2.30000 = 16,666
18.12.48 *17/12/48* *18/12/48*
In view of A on p12 *added to*, this may be filed with the main file for the present.

C.F. 32.

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



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Local Administration DEPARTMENT.

Received Registered

From (Name) A.F. Mascarenhas Esq.,
(Designation) Collector & Special Officer,
Dt. Board, South Arcot,

Post Box (STATION) Cuddalore N.T.

Telegraphic Address

To

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

D.16. No.29445/DB. dated 16th Decr. 1948.
Sir, of 48

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Subject:-South Arcot Dt. Board-Education cess-
enhancement from 15 pies to 24 pies-sanction requested.

ENCLOSURES

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The revised budget for the year 1948-49 under elementary education funds closes with a deficit balance of Rs.1,15,000 primarily on account of payment of dearness allowance at the enhanced rates to the elementary school teachers, while the budget estimate for 1949-50 closes with a deficit balance of Rs.4,15,700. The District Board at its special meeting held on 16-12-1948 has resolved to increase the education cess from 15 pies to 24 pies from 1-1-1949 partially to meet the deficit which is expected to be a recurring feature in view of the increased expenditure due to revised scales of pay and enhanced rate of dearness allowance to teachers. A copy of resolution No.1 (Elementary Education) dated 16-12-1948 is also enclosed.

I therefore request that the Government may be pleased to accord sanction to the enhancement of education cess from 15 pies to 24 pies from 1-1-1949 and issue necessary instructions to the Revenue Department for the collection of the additional cess and to credit it to the District Board in the usual manner.

R.H.17-12.Exd.9

S. J. [Signature] For Special Officer, Dt. Board.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Dt. Board,
South Arcot passed at its special meeting held in
the District Board Hall, Cuddalore N.T, on 16-12-1948.

1:-Elementary Education.

Read the following:-

(1) G.O.No.MS.1499 Education dated 10-7-1947,
directing the District Board to enhance the rate of educa-
tion tax from 12 pies to 15 pies from Fasli 1357 under
sub section (2) of Section 35 of the Madras Elementary
Education Act 1920, to meet the additional expenditure
incurred owing to the introduction of revised scales of
pay.

(2) G.O.No.1347, L.A. dated 8-7-48 sanctioning enhanced rates of dearness allowance to the teachers in Elementary schools.

~~(3) G.O.No.1347, L.A. dated 8-7-48 sanctioning enhanced rates of dearness allowance to the teachers in elementary schools~~

(3) Office note dated 13-12-48 stating that the revised budget under Elementary Education fund for 1948-49 closes with a deficit balance of Rs.1,15,000 on account of the payment of dearness allowance at the enhanced rate to the teachers while the budget for 1949-50 closes with a deficit of Rs.4,15,700 and suggesting that the education cess may be raised from 15 pies to 24 pies from Fasli 1359 partially to meet the expenditure and to address the Government for liberal subsidy.

Note:-By raising the education cess, the district board will get an additional income of about Rs.2,00,000.

Education cess may be raised from 15 pies to 24 pies from 1-1-1949 subject to the approval by Government.

Sd. A.F. Mascarenhas,
Special Officer.

/True Extract/

Exd. 3

25. 11. 48

Please see the letter on 15th inst + those on 17th infra. The S.O's suggest that the rate of ed. tax may be raised suitably so as to provide funds for meeting a portion of the deficit of the EE fund. The tax is levied & collected on the basis of the fasli year. Any enhancement ordered can take effect from the next fasli i.e. 1.7.49. There is an urgency to order an enhancement at a rate next. The question may be considered after the A.F. for the current year is received. As the general question of level of ed. tax is under consideration, this may be seen for the present.

27/12/48

28/12/48

E.14. Rc.24418/48

Madura District Board Office,
Dated 12-12-48.

From
Sri K. Rama Varma Raja, B.A.,
Collector & Spl. Officer,
District Board, Madura.

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

Sir,



54558

Sub: ELEMENTARY EDUCATION FUND - Mathurai District Board - Enhancement of Education tax for arresting further deterioration in - Requested.

While reviewing the Budget Estimate for Elementary Education Funds for 1947-48, Government in their order No.67500-E.2.-47-1 dated 27-8-47 directed the enhancement of the rate of levy of Education Tax from 14 pies to 17 pies in the rupee of land revenue with effect from Fasli 1357. This enhanced rate was expected to yield an additional revenue of Rs.6,000/- a year. The actuals however have been in the Vicinity of Rs.46,600/- only.

The position of Elementary Education Fund is now worse than what it was in 1947-48. The immediate future also fore-bodes a further deterioration.

Leaving apart the scheme of compulsory education which is financed entirely by the Government, Elementary Education in the non compulsory areas is working at a deficit. The extent of deficit under the Elementary Education Fund which is wiped off, year after year by giving an equivalent contribution from the General Fund will be seen from the statement furnished below.

(Excluding Receipts and Charges ^{account of} on Compulsory Education.)

Year.	Total Receipts.	Total expenditure.	Deficit.	Statutory contribution from General funds.	Contribution from General funds over and above the Statutory contribution.
1947-48	609500	1142500	533000	148200	330240
1948-49	716170	1422190	706020	148200	612380 *
1949-50	633790	1491720	857930	148200	709730

*(This includes a sum of Rs.54560/- contributed over and above the deficit of Rs.706020/- in 1948-49 for wiping off the minus closing balance of Rs.1947-48.)

The bulk of expenditure - Ordinary is covered by salaries of Masters, Clerks and Servants, Travelling allowance and Provident Fund contribution. The trend of expenditure on this account will be seen from the following figures.

(Excluding charges on account of Compulsory Education.)

1947-48	...	786030/-
1948-49	...	817220/-
1949-50	...	884250/-

This increasing expenditure is largely due to the general revision of pay and the enhancement of the rates of Dearness allowance.

Dearness allowance was conceived as a War Time addition to pay for compensating for the increased cost of living. But post war conditions have only tended towards an increase in this item of expenditure as will be seen from the figures furnished below:-

(Excluding expenditure in the Compulsory area.)

Year.	Dearness allowance.
1947-48	368860/-
1948-49	465050/- (*)
1949-50	447400/-

(*) The increase over the figures of 1949-50 is due to the payment of Dearness allowance at the enhanced rates from 1-1-48.)

This war-time feature threatens to persist in a more accentuated form even long after the war has ceased. Side by side with inflation of prices, the standard of living in the lower strata of Society is rising steadily. The time-spirit also heads towards less work and more wages. It will be too much therefore to hope that this war-time feature will vanish in the near future.

At the same time the future of the General fund also does not augur well, for the following reasons:-

1) The general inflation is resulting in an all round increase in the expenditure on all the other services also;

2) The arrears of toll compensation which were being credited to District Board at the rate of 4.3 lakhs a year all these four years will cease with this year.

3. With an improvement in the fiscal policy of the state, the surcharge on stamp duty, will become only a source of diminishing return.

Thus the over-all financial position of the Madura District Board in the future will not be happy unless the Elementary Education Fund is made self-supporting. This question came up for discussion at the Regional Education Conference held in Mathurai in June last. The view generally expressed was that the amenities now afforded are only a travesty of true education, and that if Education must be made sufficiently attractive, the increased cost thereof, must be borne by the tax-payer, if the Government cannot in the alternative, come to the relief of the Local bodies. It was also expressed that in the Malabar District, the rate of Education tax had mounted to as much as four annas in the rupee of land revenue. This rate may be justified by the avidity of the people of Malabar for Education. But it looks formidable for a district like Mathurai. Some rate has however to be devised for this District which will help to relieve the tension, in the general fund, which will be further increased by the projected five-year plan of extending Elementary Education to the 200 school-less villages with a population of 500 and above.

I therefore request that the Government may be pleased to raise the rate of levy of Education tax in this District suitably.

[Signature]
14. 12. 48.
For Collector & Spl. Officer.

g.v.s.14/12/

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



Local Administration DEPARTMENT.

Received _____ Registered _____

From (Name) A.F. Mascarenhas Esq.,

(Designation) Special Officer, District Board,
South Arcot,
Post Box _____, (STATION) Cuddalore N.T.

Telegraphic Address _____

To

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

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of 48
Roc. No. 23455/DB., dated 25th Jan. 1949.

Sir, Sub:-Education Elementary - Grant of subsidy
On account of Payment of enhanced D.A. to
teachers - Requested.

Ref:-Government Memo.No.54172-B2-48-2 Edn.,
dated 8-9-48. and
this office reference dated 2-12-48 and
14-12-48.

ENCLOSURES _____

SPARE COPIES _____

I invite your kind attention to this office references cited above and request that the Government may be pleased to pass early orders on the same as there is

a deficit of Rs.1,15,000/- and it will be difficult to pay the teachers for February in March 1949, without the sanction of the subsidy.

S. J. [Signature]
For Special Officer, Dt. Board.

R.R.26.1.2

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

Sub:- Subsidy - District Boards - Payment of enhanced dearness allowance to teachers in elementary schools - Advance - Sanctioned.

- Ref:- 1) G.O.No.1347-L.A., dated 8--7--1948.
2) From the S.O., Dt. Bd., Tinnevely, No.G1.28899/48, dated 11--8--1948.
3) From the S.O., Dt. Bd., Chittoor, No.C1.14942/48, dated 25--8--1948.
4) From the S.O., Dt. Bd., Tinnevely, No.G1.39503/48, dated 1--12--1948.
5) From the S.O., Dt. Bd., South Arcot, No.D.12-23455/48, dated 14--12--1948.

ORDER (MS.) NO. 251 EDN., DATED 3.2.49.

The Govt. have directed the local bodies to grant dearness allowance to their employees including the elementary school teachers at enhanced rates with effect from 1--1--1948. Communications have been received from certain Dt. Bds. pointing out that there may be deficits in the E.E. fund on account of the payment of dearness allowance to teachers at enhanced rates. Requests have also been made for the payment of a subsidy from Provl. funds towards the extra expenditure involved.

The question whether the rate of Education tax may not be raised suitably to provide funds for meeting the expenditure is under consideration. Pending a decision in the matter the Govt. sanction the payment of advance subsidies to the Dt. Bds. mentioned in the annexure to these Proceedings. The A.G. is requested to place the amounts specified in the annexure at the disposal of the S.Os. of Dt. Bds. The S. Os. should present the necessary bills at the Treasury for obtaining payment of the amounts or to get them adjusted.

The expenditure will be debited to the head "37-Edn. - 1. Local bodies - I. Ordinary areas - 1. Excluding P.W.R. - 4. Teaching & Voted" in the B.E.

for 1948-49.

Sp 2 below
The subsidies sanctioned now will be subject to adjustment, if necessary, after examination of the B.E.s for 1949-50

To

The S.Os. of Dt. Bds.
Tinnevely, Chittoor,
South Arcot, Mathurai
The D.P.I.

The A.G. thro' Fin.
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ANNEXURE

<u>District Boards</u>	<u>Amount of Subsidy</u>
1. Tinnevely	Rs. 60,300 (Rupees sixty thousand and three hundred only)
2. Chittoor	Rs. 88,050 (Rupees eighty eight thousand and fifty only)
3. South Arcot	Rs. 1,15,000 (Rupees one lakh and fifty thousand only)

SS.
25-1-49.

C.No.61409/48

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

Sub:- Grant of enhanced Dearness allowance to District Board school teachers - Payment of subsidy.

Ref:- 1) From the Special Officer, Dt. Bd., Tinnevely, No.G1.28899/48, dated 11-8-1948.
2) From the Special Officer, Dt. Bd., Chittoor, No.C1.14942/48, dated 25-8-1948.
3) From the Special Officer, Dt. Bd., South Arcot, No.D.16-29445-D3/48, dated 16-12-48.

The Govt. have directed all local bodies to grant dearness allowance to their employees at increased rates from 1-1-1948. Though a provision of Rs.17 lakhs has been made in the budget towards the expenditure involved on the grant of dearness allowance to teachers in elementary schools, no payment has so far been made. The matter is pending till a decision on the question of enhancement of rate of education tax to provide funds to meet at least a portion of the deficit in the E.E. Account on account of the grant of d.a. at enhanced rates, is arrived at. The whole question of levy of education tax by Dt. Bds. was discussed at a meeting of the Cabinet. It was decided that the question should be examined by a Cabinet sub-committee which will take up the general question of improving the efficiency of elementary education. The first meeting of the Sub-Committee will be held on the 12th inst. It is not known whether a decision will be arrived at in the first meeting itself. If not, the Committee may have to meet at subsequent dates to decide the issues raised.

2. In the meanwhile, communications have been received from local bodies that a subsidy should be paid from provincial funds to meet the cost of payment of enhanced rate of d.a. As funds have not yet been provided for meeting the new addl. expenditure, there will not be sufficient surplus in the E.E. Account. In the circumstances it is for orders whether the decision of the Cabinet sub-committee should be awaited or whether any advance subsidy ~~may~~ ^{should} be paid to Dt. Bds. from the allotment already made in the budget and

final adjustments made later on, if necessary.

L.A. and Finance may see for remarks before circulation.

SS.
6-1-49

BPM
6/1/49

E & P. H. O. 61409 B3/HK-1

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7.1.49

This dept may agree
with E & P. H. on
7.1.49
8.1.49



Secy
Fin 8/1

L.A. O. 1009/49-1A
8.1.49

Finance (Expt)

Please see the note of E & P. H. on pp 1-2 above.

Finance also may agree with the views of the E & P. H. secretary on pp 1-2 above (It is foreboded that advance subsidies will be paid only in cases where the financial position of the local body concerned - Genl. Ant. as well as E & P. H. - warrants such payment)

1AA
8.1.49

8/1/49

E & P. H. (B3)

Please see the notes of L.A. and Finance above. The file may now be circulated to H. N. (Edn), H. N. (L.A.) and H. N. (Fin). for off. of the proposal made in the note above the presumption at A above is correct.



Fin. W.O.

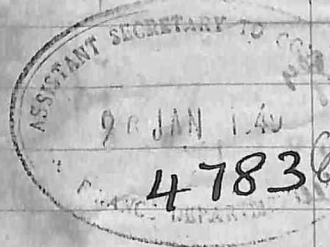
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Please see the orders in circulation on p.2 ante. A draft order is submitted below for approval. Finance may see before issue. (The draft order for the payment of subsidies to H. N. (Edn) will be submitted when they have applied for them.)

Request from the H. N. (Edn) will be completed with a note when they address the Govt.

25.1.49
BPM
29/1/49

E & P. H. O. 61409 B3/HK-2
26.1.49.



Finance (Expt)

(Previous Finance note on p.2 above).

Please see the orders in circulation at the foot of p.2 above and the draft order put up by E & P. H.

2. The E & P. H. Department have confirmed that advance subsidies will have to be paid only in cases where the financial position of the local body concerned warrants such payment. They have not, however, examined the financial position of the local body concerned with reference to their Revised estimates for 1948-9 in consultation with the L.A. Deptt. Although an adjustment can be made if and when Education tax is enhanced, it seems that advance subsidies should not be paid as a matter of course without a detailed examination of the District Board's finances. Mere communications from District Boards that deficits are anticipated in Elementary Education Fund account will not be a justification for advance payment. Submitted that E & P. H. may first be requested to examine the financial position of the three District Boards now dealt with in this file in consultation with the L.A. Deptt.

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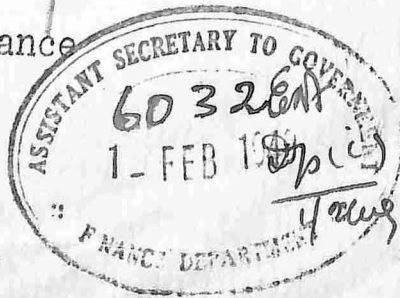
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Please see the notes of Finance department on page 3 ante. They suggest that the payment of advance subsidies to ~~the~~ District Boards, towards the cost of payment of enhanced rates of dearness allowance may be made after the examination of the revised estimate of the E.E. account of the District Boards for the current year. The R.E. for the current year and the B.E. for 1949-50 have not yet been received from all Dt. Boards. So far, ~~the~~ budgets have been received only from 5 Dt. Boards. The budget of District Board, Chittoor, has been noted on and sent to L.A. and Finance for remarks. It has been suggested in that file that a subsidy of Rs. 2.60 lakhs should be paid to the Dt. Board towards the expenditure on the payment of dearness allowance against Rs. 88,000 included in the draft below. The budget of Tinnevelly Dt. Board, is under examination. The South Arcot District Board budget has not yet been received. From the letter of the S.O. on p. 17 cf. it will be seen that there is not sufficient surplus in the E.E. account. The position of most other District Bds. will be worse than South Arcot. It does not seem proper to wait for the receipt and examination of the R.E. of ~~the~~ Dt. Boards before an advance subsidy is paid towards the cost of enhanced dearness allowance, especially in view of the orders of Govt. on page 2 ante.

It appears that an advance subsidy should be paid now to each District Board for the purpose and adjustments may if necessary be made later on after examination of the B.E. The file may again be sent to Finance for reconsideration of their views.

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The draft order is accepted in Finance subject to the condition at "X" in the SOPA report. vide P. 4 above.

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A sentence has been added to the draft. It may issue now.

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