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Exempted from the production of Diploma in Teaching.

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Office of the
Director of Public Instruction
Madras, dated, 26th July 1949.



FROM

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
M A D R A S.

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
FORT ST. GEORGE, M A D R A S.

Sir,

Subject:- SCHOOLS -- Secondary -- Sri M.Narayanan Nambiar, Headmaster, M.M.High School, Mahe -- Exemption from the production of Diploma in Teaching of the Rangoon University.

In submitting herewith a copy of the petition dated 5-1-1949 received from Sri M. Narayanan Nambiar, Headmaster, M.M.High School, Mahe, I may state as follows:-

The petitioner represents that he took his Diploma in Teaching of the Rangoon University in 1929, that he was a teacher in the St. Paul's European School in Burma till 1942 when he was compelled to leave Burma for India on account of the enemy action and that he lost his all when his house was directly hit. He therefore expresses his inability to produce evidence of his having taken a Diploma in Teaching of the Rangoon University and requests that he be granted permanent exemption. The Correspondent of the St. Joseph's High School, Tellicherry, certifies that at the time of his appointment in the school he was fully satisfied as regards his qualifications. Please see a copy of his certificate dated 7-3-1949 (enclosed).

A reference was made to the Director of Public Instruction, Rangoon, on 19-5-1949 to elicit information about his D.T.Degree, but no reply has so far been received. In view of the present disturbed conditions obtaining in Burma an early enough reply cannot be expected.

In the circumstances of the case, I request that Government may be pleased to grant Sri M. Narayanan Nambiar exemption from the production of D.T.Degree of the Rangoon University so that he may be treated as a graduate trained teacher. His work as a teacher has been commented on as very satisfactory by the Inspecting Officers who had occasion to watch him at work in the schools in which he has been serving since he returned to Malabar.

Yours faithfully

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For Director of Public Instruction.

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Copy of letter dated 5th January 1949 of the Headmaster,
M.M.High School, Mahe, to the Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

Sub:- Application for permanent exemption.

I beg to submit the following for your sympathetic
consideration and favourable orders.

I am a graduate of the Madras University, having
graduated in the year 1926. Soon after, I left for Burma,
where I became a teacher, I took my Diploma in teaching (D.T.)
of the Rangoon University in 1929. I continued to be a teacher
in Burma till 1942 when I was forced to evacuate to India
due to Enemy action.

During the bombing of Rangoon on 23rd December 1941
my house (184, Lewis Street Rangoon) was directly hit and I
lost my all.

Thus cut away from my own moorings and bereft of all
references of the past, I was forced to begin life anew in
India at the age of 40, and it was only in February 1945 that
I succeeded in securing a job. I became a High School Assis-
tant in the St. Joseph's High School, Tellicherry and was
appointed on a permanent basis and was allowed to contribute
to the Teachers' Provident Fund. Presumably, the management and
applied for permanent exemption on my behalf in reply to which,
as per Endorsement of the District Educational Officer, North
Malabar, R.O.C.No.402 B/45 dated 2-10-45 the Divisional Inspec-
tor, Coimbatore, called for a report on my work as a teacher
and asked me to produce a Copy of my B.A. Degree Certificate.
A copy of the full text of the letter together with the
Correspondent's reply to it are herewith appended. I beg to
add in this connection that the District Educational Officer
even in his Inspection report for 1945-46 (St. Joseph's High
School, Tellicherry) had a good word to say about my work
as the Mathematics teacher. There was no further communica-
tion from the Authorities afterwards and in spite of my best
efforts I could not get a copy of D.T. Certificate from Burma-

Considering the extra-ordinary circumstances under
which I labour and the fact that more than 20 years of my life
had been spent in the Teaching Profession for which I have felt
a special calling, I humbly beseech you to permit me to end
my life in the same Profession by being granted a permanent
exemption.

Copy of letter dated 4-3-49 from the Headmaster, M.M.High
School, Mahe, the District Educational Officer, North Malabar
Calicut.

The following information is submitted with reference
to your memorandum Roc.No.48/B/49 dated 3-2-1949.

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| 1. Names of instit ^u tion or institutions
in which I served while in Burma
and the probable period of service
in each. | Aided National High
School, Meiktila
1926-28 D.T.Course
1928-29.

Aided National High
School, Pyawbode
(U.Burma) 1929-40.)
St. Paul's European
High School, Rangoon,
1940-42. |
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2. Whether employed in Govt. or Municipal or aided institution. In Aided Institution.
3. Whether he can produce satisfactory evidence to the effect that he was a teacher in permanent employment in Burma. Yes.
4. Whether the D.T. Degree was evaluated by the D.P.I. Madras. If so the No. & date of his proceedings should be quoted. No I was employed in Burma Only till the time of my evacuation in 1942.

In this connection I beg to submit that it was my anxiety to place before you as complete an information as possible that caused this delay in its submission. At the time of joining the institution in 1945 I had placed in the hands of the Correspondent, St. Joseph's, High School, Tellicherry, one or two papers to prove my service in Burma. One of them was a paper in connection with Govt. contribution to my T.P.F. in Burma, and this is very relevant to your query No.3. After receiving your memorandum I have many times approached the correspondent, for the return of the papers but unfortunately I am still to get them. However, he has again promised me to look for them and has asked me to see him within a couple of days.

There was another source from which I could give a convincing reply to query No.3. In 1948 Govt. of Burma had sanctioned to their permanent aided school teachers (including evacuees) "Surplus leave salary up to 30th April 1945. I had put in my claim on the 22nd October 1948. I was and am still expecting its sanction. But the internal commotion in that country is causing me anxiety. I seem to continue to be a victim to circumstances.

While therefore appealing to your sympathy, I submit I shall place before you the proof of query No.3 as soon as I receive any of the papers mentioned above.

True Copy

Copy of letter dated 7-3-49 from Sri M. Narayanan Nambiar, Headmaster, M.M.High School, Mahe to the Dt. Educational Officer, North Malabar.

In continuation of my submission dated 4-3-49 in reply to your memorandum Roc.No.48-B/49 dated 3-2-49, I beg to add the following.

I met the Correspondent St. Joseph's High School, Tellicherry, again as required by him, but was told that he could not trace out the papers I placed with him at the time of my appointment in that institution and instead he has given me a letter which is submitted herewith, acknowledging the receipt of such papers.

Under the circumstances, I am able to produce only this in proof of query No.3 at present, though I expect in course of time a favourable reply to my claim for 'Surplus leave salary' submitted to the Govt. of Burma.

Roc.No.48 B/49
Dated 12-3-49.

Copy submitted to the Divisional Inspector of schools, Coimbatore Division in continuation of this office Roc.No. 48-B/49, dated 8-3-49. The letter of the Correspondent, St. Joseph's High School, Tellicherry referred to in the Teacher's letter is also enclosed.

2. The question of granting permanent exemption may be deferred until the teacher is able to produce **satisfactory** evidence to establish that he is a Burma D.T.

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Dt. Edl. Officer,
North Malabar.

N.Rc.No.63-B/49 dated 19-3-49

Returned for resubmission with the enclosures.

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Dt. Edl. Officer
Coimbatore Divn.

Resubmitted with enclosures.

(sd.).....
Dt. Edl. Officer
N. Malabar.

d/7-3-49-----

Copy of letter/of the Correspondent, St. Joseph's High School, Tellicherry, to the

Mr. M.N. Nambiar, B.A., D.T. was appointed by me as assistant teacher, in the St. Joseph's Boys' High School, Tellicherry in the year 1945. He was then just returned from Burma, where he had lost all his documents and certificates At the time of appointment he had produced one or two papers one from the vice Principal of St. Joseph's High Paul's European High School, Burma, and another from the Director of Public Instruction, Burma, regarding the withdrawal of his T.P.F. I was fully satisfied as regards his qualifications and so had forwarded his application for exemption from the production of the D.T. Diploma which was lost in Burma. I was under the impression that had obtained the necessary exemption and as such letters were not taken care of after his leaving institution.

Copy of letter NRC 63 B/49 dated 28-3-1949 of the Divisional Inspector of schools, Coimbatore Division, to the D.P.I. Madras.

Resubmitted.

2. Sri M. Narayanan Nambiar is reported to be a graduate of the Madras University and got a diploma in teaching (D.T.) of the Rangoon University. It is said that the teacher lost both during evacuation in 1942. Though a copy of the B.A. degree is available the teacher is not able to produce any evidence of his D.T. or his having worked as a permanent teacher in Burma. As recommended by the District Educational Officer the question of granting permanent exemption may be deferred until the teacher is able to produce satisfactory evidence to establish that he is a Burma D.T.

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In the circumstances stated, Sri M. Narayanan Nambar, Headmaster, M.M. High School, Mahe, is exempted, as a special case, from producing his certificate of Diploma in Teaching ~~for a period of three years from the date of his appointment~~ of the Rangoon University till conditions in Burma permit him to produce satisfactory evidence of ~~his qualification~~ ^{which occurs earlier}. The D.P.G. is requested to inform the

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petitioner accordingly.

Ad
3/8/49
W.S.N.
3/8/49

Note. May be circulated to H.M. (E&L) for approval.

Ad
3/8/49
W.S.N.
3/8/49

To
The D.P.S.
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