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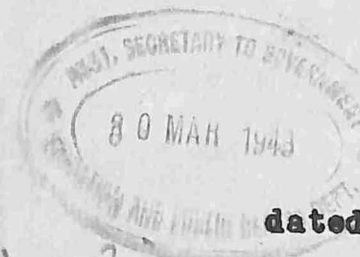
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From (Name) **SRI D.S.REDDI, M.A.,**
(Oxon).
Designation **DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC**
INSTRUCTION,
Station **M A D R A S.**

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To
The **SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,**
Education and Public Health
Department, MADRAS.

Enclosures: **RC. No. 131-L.4/48** dated **24th March** 1948..

Sir,

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other countries - Proposal of the Govt.
of India - Imprementation of the Scheme
by the Government of Madras - ORDERS
REQUESTED.



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Secondary S and Training Schools.

Before I can forward the applications from the
candidates who are employed in Government Colleges and schools
to the Education Minister Government of India, I wish to know
whether the Government are willing to implement the scheme of
the Government of India under reference by deputing such of
the Professors, Lecturers etc. in Government Colleges and
Schools as may be selected by the Director.

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Education and Public Health
Department, MADRAS.

EDUCATION
SRI D.S. REDDI, M.A.
(Hon.)
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC
INSTRUCTION,
MADRAS.

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FOR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

RAV. 25/3/48

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS.
R.O.C.NO. 3286-E/47 dated 19-12-1947.

Information re: exchange of Educational personnel with other
countries.

Read: Letter No. F.21/1/47 dated 9-12-1947 from the Educational
Officer, Ministry of Education, New Delhi.

Communicated to the undermentioned officers for
urgent remarks.

D.S. REDDI,
for Director of Public Instruction.

(TRUE COPY) FORWARDED (BY ORDER)

To
All Divisional Inspectors of Schools.
All Principals of Colleges.

19/12/47

Copy of letter from the Educational Officer, Government of
India, Ministry of Education, New Delhi dated 9th December 47
to the Director of Public Instruction of Public Instruction,
Madras.

Sub: Exchange of Teachers.

For some time past the Government of India have been
considering the desirability of exchange of teachers and,
perhaps, even of educational administrators between India
and other countries. It is felt that it will be of considerable
benefit to the country if Indian teachers can go abroad and
have an opportunity of studying at first hand the educational
methods of other countries and establishing contacts with
significant persons in the educational and cultural life of
those countries. On the other hand, schools, scientific in-
stitutions and Universities in India can also greatly benefit from
the visits for short periods of educationists and scientists
from abroad. This will also bring to students in India at least
some of the benefits of foreign educational contacts which
they can otherwise gain only by proceeding to foreign
countries for studies.

2. The Government of India are anxious to promote such
exchange of educational personnel with other countries, and
they desire, therefore, to make a start by collecting and
tabulating information from the various educational authorities
as to their willingness to depute their employees for a short
period to another country and also to accept for a similar
period teachers and others from abroad. If this information
can be readily available it will, perhaps, be possible to
further the object in view more quickly and effectively. On
at least two occasions recently the Government of India had the
opportunity of bringing about such an exchange, but the oppor-
tunity was lost, because this Ministry was unable within the
time available to find a suitable person to go from India in
return.

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5. I am, therefore, directed to request you to let this Ministry have the required information at your earliest convenience in the attached form. With regard to the appended 'Particulars' form, this Ministry will welcome any suggestions which you may have to make and will await them for a month before getting the form printed. The required number of copies of this form will be sent to you on request.

INFORMATION REGARDING EXCHANGE OF EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL WITH OTHER COUNTRIES.

1. Type of teaching or other positions which can be offered:
 - (a) Secondary school
 - (b) College and University
 - (c) Vocational
 - (d) Scientific Institutions
 - (e) Others
2. Nature of work which visiting persons will be expected to do. (The standard and volume of work should also be indicated.)
3. Qualifications required of the person desired.
4. Terms of service:
 - (a) Salary
 - (b) Whether house (furnished or unfurnished) will be provided whether free or on rent.
 - (c) Leave admissible
 - (d) Any other terms and conditions which persons concerned should know
5. Period for which exchange is desired.
6. Whether exchange is to be general or of similar persons (i.e. whether an economist is desired for an economist, a physicist for a physicist etc., or whether you are prepared to accept, say, a physicist for an economist.)
7. Whether travelling expenses to and back from India will be paid.
8. Whether travelling expenses from and back to India will be paid to the person being deputed in exchange, or whether they will be met by the person concerned.
9. In the event of such an exchange, would you prefer to pay the expenses of your nominee who goes abroad and let the expenses of the person coming to you in return be paid by his own employer.

NO

will be paid
to the person
concerned by Govt.
Yes - T. H.
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expenses will
met by
Salary
abroad

PARTICULARS OF CANDIDATES DESIRING TO GO ABROAD UNDER THE SCHEME FOR EXCHANGE OF EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL

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1. Name and address
2. Date of birth
3. Nationality, caste and religion
4. Province of domicile.
5. Educational qualifications:
 - (a) Give names of schools attended (with dates) and recognised examinations passed.
 - (b) Name of University attended and degrees taken with Division. Academic distinctions obtained should be mentioned.
 - (c) Indicate post graduate courses taken and research experience, if any.
 - (d) Technical or professional diplomas or certificates held
6. Statement of service,

(a) Teaching Experience, with name of school or college.	Dates of joining and leaving	Position held	SALARY: The scale of pay should be specified. Special pay & allowances if any.
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(d) Administrative experience.

7. (i) Subjects taught and to which classes:-

(ii) At present teaching:-

(a) Boys, Girls, mixed.....

(b) Age of students whom the candidate is accustomed to teach.

8. Subjects:

The scope of lectures now being given by applicant.

(a) State principal teaching subjects.....

(b) State subsidiary subjects

(c) Up to what examination or standard.

9. Foreign countries visited, if any (with dates and purpose of visit)

10. Language which candidate can read and/or write.

11. Special qualifications:

Publications.

Contributions.

Lectures.

Others

Association with cultural activities.

(a) In India

(b) In foreign countries.

12. Health (Indicate whether applicant is physically fit to work abroad).

Date.....

Signature of candidate.

True copy/

FOR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

Rev. 25/3/48.

ARTICULARS OF CANDIDATES DESIRING TO GO ABROAD UNDER THE SCHEME
FOR EXCHANGE OF EDUCATIONAL PERSONAL

1. Name and Address.

A. MARIKULANDAI, B.Sc., B.Sc. Ag., M.Sc.
Agricultural College & Research Institute, Coimbatore

2. Date of Birth.

21st December 1910

3. Nationality, Caste and religion.

Indian Christian

4. Province of domicile.

Madras Province

5. Educational Qualifications:-

(a) Give names of schools attended and recognised examinations passed.

St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly } Intermediate
Agricultural College, Coimbatore } B.Sc. (Physics, Chemistry, Maths)
Coimbatore } B.Sc. Ag. (Agr.)

Name of University attended and degrees taken with Division. Academic distinctions obtained should be mentioned.

Madras University - B.Sc. Degree (Physics, Chemistry, Agriculture)
" - B.Sc. Ag. Degree (Agriculture)
" - M.Sc. Research Degree (Chemistry)

(c) Indicate PostGraduate course taken and research experience, if any.

Done Research for 12 years at the Agricultural Research Institute, Coimbatore

(d) Technical or professional diplomas or certificates held.

6. Statement of Service:-

(a) Teaching experience, with name of school or college,	Dates of joining and leaving	Position held	Salary Scale of pay Special pay and allowance -ces.
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Agricultural College, Coimbatore affiliated to the Madras University	29.11.1943 to date	Assistant Lecturer	Rs 135+24/- per mensem in the scale Rs 100-57-160-10/-
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(b) Administrative experience.

7. (1) Subjects taught and to which classes:-

Animal Nutrition & Dairy Chem

(2) At present teaching:-

(a) Boys, Girls, Mixed.

Mixed

(b) Age of students whom the candidate is accustomed to teach.

20 to 25 years

8. Subjects:

The scope of lectures now being given by applicant:-

(a) State principal teaching subjects.
(b) State subsidiary subjects.
(c) Up to what examination or standard.

Animal Nutrition & Dairy Chem
Practical Work in Agr. Chemistry
B.Sc. Ag. Degree Examination
of the Madras University

9. Foreign countries visited, if any.

10. Language which candidate can read and or write.

11. Special Qualifications.

Publications. 'Studies in Cattle', Madras Agr. Journal 1945.
Contributions. Thesis on Fluorosis of Cattle in Madras.
Lectures. Delivered lectures on Animal Nutrition.
Others. Deputed by the Madras Govt. to Orissa for the study of "preparation & properties of straw pulp".

Associated with cultural activities:-

(a) In India. Secretary of the Students Club, Agricultural College, Coimbatore.
(b) In foreign countries.

12. Health (Indicate whether applicant is physically fit to work abroad)

50137 I am physically fit to work abroad for 2 years.

D. Mariakulandai
16.6.48
Signature of Candidate.

Date 16.6.48.

L.N. Dis. dated 16th June 1948:

Forwarded.

[Signature]
16/6/48
GOVERNMENT AGRICULTURAL CHEMIST.

To
The Principal, Agricultural College & Research Institute,
Coimbatore.

Submitted with due copy of the enclosure received with a copy of the enclosure received from the Madras University for consideration.

[Signature]
21/6/48
Principal, A.C.R.I.

See Dept (AI)

E & P. H. U. O.

#W 018 22.819.48 d. June 1948

Forwarded.

[Signature]
Director of Agriculture



UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

Enclosure to this Office communication No. A.2160 dated the 1st June 1948.

Letters No. F. 214/47-OD-1 dated the 9th December 1947 and 30th March 1948 from the Government of India, Ministry of Education, New Delhi.

Subject: Exchange of teachers.

For some time past the Government of India have been considering the desirability of exchange of teachers and, perhaps, even of educational administrators between India and other countries. It is felt that it will be of considerable benefit to the country if Indian teachers can go abroad and have an opportunity of studying at first hand the educational methods of other countries and establishing contacts with significant persons in the educational and cultural life of those countries. On the other hand, schools, scientific institutions and Universities in India can also greatly benefit from the visits for short periods of educationists and scientists from abroad. This will also bring to students in India at least some of the benefits of foreign educational contacts which they can otherwise gain only by proceeding to foreign countries for studies.

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3. I am, therefore, directed to request you to let this Ministry have the required information at your earliest convenience in the attached form. With regard to the appended 'Particulars' form, this Ministry will await them for a month before getting the form printed. The required number of copies of this form will be sent to you on request.

LETTER DATED 30TH MARCH.

Will you kindly refer to my letter of even number dated the 9th December 1947 on the above subject? A number of letters in reply have been received from Universities and Provincial Educational Authorities which have raised certain points requiring some elucidation. I am, therefore, desired to clarify further the scheme of exchanges which was set forth in my first letter.

2. The purpose of our letter above mentioned was to collect information from the Universities and Provincial Governments as to their requirements in regard to foreign teachers, as well as the quality of teachers that they would be able to offer in exchange should such opportunities arise. Strict reciprocity is not intended in each case and the number of exchanges will depend upon the institutions concerned whether in India or abroad.

3. Exchanges at the school level are not contemplated at the moment, except in any special cases.

* welcome any suggestions which you may have to make P.T.O. and will

4. Regarding the subjects in which it is considered that exchanges should be effected, we feel that this is a matter which should be left entirely to the exchanging parties concerned, although it is anticipated that foreign institutions will perhaps prefer to receive Indian teachers qualified in subjects particularly their own, e.g., Indian History, Philosophy, Oriental Languages etc. It will, however, be left to the interested institutions, Indian or foreign, to state what their requirements will be in this connection. If so desired, it can be arranged for several Universities to utilise the services of a visiting professor, provided he can stay at each institution for a period sufficiently long to be of advantage to himself and the institution concerned.

5. Certain points regarding the financial implications of the scheme also require clarification. It is contemplated that the expenses in connection with such exchanges should be paid by the Indian and foreign institutions concerned on a mutually agreed basis. It seems reasonable that in such cases the original employer should meet the basic salary of the teachers on deputation, while travelling expenses and other remunerations may be paid by the borrowing institution. This point can, however, only be settled ad hoc and it is expected that decisions on such cases will only be taken at the time of exchange. The Government of India at this stage are unable to commit themselves to any expenses in connection with this scheme which must be shared by the institutions participating in the proposed exchange.

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~~Encl. No. D.19/48 of 14.6.48~~

~~circulated to all Heads of institutions in charge of teaching~~
~~under supervision of this office and dated 4.6.48~~

Submitted to the Director of Agriculture

M. C. C.
24/6/48

Principal

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Director of Agriculture

EDUCATION Department
From (Name) SRI D.S. REDDI, M.A. (Oxon)
Designation DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Station MADRAS.

Received _____ Registered _____
To
The SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT
MADRAS.

Enclosures:

No. RC.131/L.4/48 dated 19th July 1948

Sir,

SUB:- Exchange of Educational personnel with other countries.

REF:- My letter RC.No.131/L.4/48 dated the 24th March 1948.

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In continuation of my letter cited above, I submit herewith a copy of the letter No.F.21/1/47/OD/1 dated the 30th March 1948 received from the Ministry of Education, Government of India and request that Government may be pleased to pass early orders on my letter referred to above.

Yours faithfully,

P. M.

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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/True Copy/

for Director of Public Instruction.

KAN.24/7

MEMO.No. 22921-A-2 - *and 2588*

Exchange of educational personnel with other countries.

Ref:- From the D.P.I., No.RC-131-L4/48, d/- 19-7-48.

The Govt. generally agree with the view of the G. of I. contained in para 1 of their letter dated 9-12-1947 and would like to take part in their scheme of exchange of educational personnel with other countries. They consider it preferable to confine exchanges ~~to~~ at the start, to collegiate staff.

Firstly, the subjects in which the Edn. dept. would like to have foreign teachers, the qualms. which the foreign teachers shd. ordinarily possess and the periods for which the dept. would ^{require} ~~avail~~ itself of their services shd. be definitely fixed. The D.P.I. is requested to draw up, in consultation with the Unties. if necy., a list containing such particulars. The Dir. is also requested to prepare w.r.t. the applns. which he has already recd. from Profs., Lecturers, etc. - another list ^{giving} ~~showing~~ similar information in respect of teachers whom the dept. ^{wd. be able to} ~~can~~ send out.

In respect of items on both the lists, the particulars reqd. by the G. of I. shd. be collected and forwarded to this Govt., in the two forms enclosed to the G. of I.'s letter of 9-12-1947. ^{The list with the particulars will be passed on to the G. of I.} About the cost of exchange of the teachers, the Govt. ^{provisionally} ~~provisionally~~ agree to the ^{adoption of the} ~~arrange-~~ ments ^{provisionally set out} ~~mentioned~~ in para 5 of the G. of I.'s letter of 30-3-48. A ^{relative} suggestion has been made in this connection that actual exchanges may be limited to a maximum of 5 cases per year. The Govt. ^{un-objectionably} ~~accept~~ this suggestion. The Dir. is ~~xx~~ requested to send to Govt. a rough estimate of the ~~annual~~ net cost to the dept. of taking part in the scheme of exchanges.

To the D.P.I.

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Memo. No. 22921-A-3 - Educ. dated 5.10.48

Exchange of edl. personnel with other countries.

The D.P.I. is requested

to state when the lists of the schemes called for in Memo. No. 22921-A-2, dt. 25.8.48, are likely to be sent.

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From (Name)

The Director of Public Instruction,

Designation

M A D R A S.

Station

To

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

Enclosures :

Re No. 131-L4/48 dated 18-11-1948

Sir,

Subject:- Exchange of Educational personnel with Other Countries.

Ref :- Govt. Memo No. 22921-A2/Edn., dated 25-8-48.



The scheme for exchange of educational personnel with foreign countries adumbrated in the Govt. of India's letter No.F.21/1/47-O.D.1 dated 9-12-47 was brought to the notice of all Arts & Professional Colleges in the Presidency and managements were requested to obtain and submit applications from the members of the staff in their Institutions. All the managements have expressed their inability to bear any of the expenses arising out of the exchange scheme. Since in the Govt. of India's letter dated 30-3-48 it was stated that the expenses connected with the scheme should be borne both by the borrowing and lending institution on a mutually agreed basis, I thought it expedient to confine the scheme to the Government Institutions alone for the present.

2. Hence another appeal was sent to Government Institutions to take advantage of the scheme. The response to this is so poor that I am not in a position to make any definite recommendation in the matter. So far 8 applications have been received from the members of the staff in Government Colleges, as shown in the margin *.

The Principal, Presidency College, alone has asked for the services of two foreign teachers specialised in mathematics. Either due to ignorance of the scope of the scheme or due to a general apathy towards the proposal almost all the Principals have stated their requirements to be "Nil" in this regard.

3. In the circumstances, I solicit the further instructions of the Government in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

For Director of Public Instruction.

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- 2 " " -Telugu
- 1 " " Philosophy
- 2 " " Engineering

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Edn. and P.H. Dept. (A).
MEMO. No 2294-A-4 Edn., dated 28/12/48

Exchange of edl. personnel with other countries.
Ref:- From the DPI, No. 131-L4/48, d/- 18-11-48.

The DPI is requested to consider the suitability for being sent to foreign countries of the eight officers who have so far applied for the deputation and, if he considers them fit, to forward to Govt. particulars about them in the form prescribed by the G. of I. The ^{points} ~~post~~ mainly ~~taken~~ ^{to be} ~~into~~ ^{taken} account in this connection are (1) whether the officers will be benefited by the deputation and (2) whether they can also render themselves useful to the foreign institutions which may invite them.

2. About the persons to be invited from other ^{countries,} ~~universities~~ the Dir. ^{himself} ~~may~~, after consulting the Universities (if he has ^{consulted} ~~not~~ them already), ~~may~~ choose the college-departments of study which

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specially need development and indicate the requirements in the form prescribed.

To the DPI.

R.C.NO.131-L.4/48

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 29-7-1949.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.



Subject: Exchange of Educational personnel with foreign countries.

Ref: Government Memo. No.22921-A.4 Education dated 23-12-1948.

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In submitting herewith a copy of letter No.F.6-5/48-A.1 dated 22-4-1949 from the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India (Ministry of Education) I have the honour to state that in view of the latest decision of the Government of India to postpone the scheme, and in view of the need to curtail expenditure on all sides, I do not consider it advantageous to consider the proposal at this stage.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

RVR 1/8/-

Copy of letter No.F.6-5/48-A.1 dated 22-4-49 from the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Education

I am directed to refer you to this Ministry letter No.F.21-1/47-O-D.I dated the 30th March 1948, and to say that due to the scarcity of funds the Government of India have decided to postpone the scheme for the present. If you have any specific proposals regarding the exchange of teachers as far as your University is concerned, and are prepared to contribute towards the expenses of the scheme, this Ministry will be glad to consider your proposals on an ad hoc basis.

(TRUE COPY)

for Director of Public Instruction.

From the D.P.I., No. 131-L.4/48 dated 24-3-48.

Exchange of edl. personnel with foreign countries.

The G. of I.'s communication to the D.P.I. at pp.2-3 c.f. and the Director's letter at page 1 c.f. may be perused.

This Govt. may generally agree with the view taken by the Central Govt.- that exchange of educational personnel with other countries will be of considerable benefit.

But, evidently, the Provl. Govt. will have to bear entirely either

- (i) the expenses of the deputation of their servants to foreign countries under the scheme, or
 - (ii) the expenses to be incurred by the persons coming from those countries in exchange - and the Centre will not meet any portion of the cost. *From the Govt. at p. 11 ante*
- Prima facie, course (i) would prove to be less costly.

Orders may be taken in circulation whether this Govt. would be prepared to take part in the scheme. If so, instead of informing the D.P.I. that "such of the Professors, Lecturers, etc. in Govt. colleges and schools as may be selected by the Director" will be deputed by Government, an economic number of persons in each of the different branches of education, which require special attention and development, may first be fixed in consultation with him and then he be asked to select candidates for such numbers and get Govt.'s approval of the selections.

In this connection it may be mentioned that a number of Govt. servants in the Edn. dept. have been sent for foreign studies in recent years under the overseas scholarship scheme of the Govt. of India and the study leave scheme of this Govt. There is also a proposal to send an officer abroad to study the modern trends in Education under the latter scheme.

Secretary's remarks.

Yes; but this itself will not carry us far.

M.V.S.,
23-4-48.

Please see questions 7, 8 and 9 at p.3 of Our answers may be:-

Q.7: No;

Q.8: Will be paid to the person concerned by Govt.;

Q.9: Yes.

These relate to the travelling expenses. The maintenance expenses are to be met in either case *obviously* ~~ordinarily~~ out of the salaries to be ~~ap~~ paid. The expense falling on us should be the travelling expenses and the cost of the 'substitutes' appointed by exchange in the place of those sent abroad - but against the latter should be set off the saving on the salaries of those sent abroad: they will get their salaries abroad

If officers are sent to other countries under the present scheme, substitutes will have to be appointed in their places during the deputation period and this will involve addl. expenditure. It is not likely that the outsiders can be fitted into the regular staff.

Further, it will be necessary to obtain the views of the Universities on the scheme.

The file may be sent to Development and Finance for remarks before circulation.

P.4.

A.G.M.,
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Secy.

Please see questions 1 to 5 at p. 3 c.f.

We should have definite positions to offer and should fix the periods. The D.P.I. has not reported ~~xxx~~ about that at all.

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It is better to confine exchanges, at the start, to Collegiate staff.

D.P.I. may be asked specifically to mention the professorships and lecturerships which we can arrange to have filled by visiting personnel (in consultation with the University, if necessary, as mentioned at 'P').

In making the list, regard may be had to the nature of the subjects, and also to the feasibility of our sending a 'similar person' out in exchange. The latter point, the D.P.I. will be able to judge from the 'applications' he has already received. A list of these persons to

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Secy's remarks contd.

and we will not pay them anything. Differences in the scales of payment and pensionary adjustments, etc. will be the only 'extras'.

M.V.S.

But this is also of the essence of the scheme.

Please see overleaf. ~~Exa~~

Even if there are no

'direct' exchanges, the calculations on those ~~lines~~ lines will, I expect, ultimately hold good. But it is better and simpler to have direct exchanges.

M.V.S.,
23-4-48.

This information ~~may~~ we may pass on to the Govt. of India in response to 'T' at p. 2 c.f.

We may tell them that actual exchanges will be limited (1) to cases where ~~training~~ ^{pairing} off of 'similar persons' is definitely arranged and (2) to a maximum of 5 cases per year.

I suggest the number in item (2) above tentatively. The D.P.I. can be asked to estimate the net cost to us of sending out and taking in each set of corresponding items in his lists: we may then decide whether this number should be altered. For estimating costs, the answers to question 6 to 9 at page 3 c.f. may be indicated to D.P.I. as at page 2 n.f.

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C.P.G./3-5-48.

J. M. F. M. 7.5.48

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P.S. 15.5.48

Edn. & G.H. (A)

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The Govt. of India's letter at pp.2-3 C.F.

explains their scheme briefly. The form at C.F.3 in which they

want information may also be seen. The point for orders is whether

this Govt. would take part in the scheme initiated by the Centre, and, if so, whether action as indicated in Secy.'s marginal notes at pp.1-2 ante and in his notes at pp.2-3 ante may be taken.

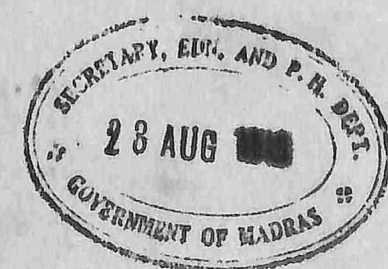
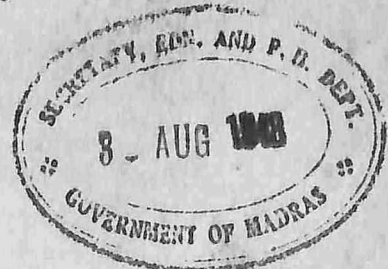
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From the D.P.I., No. 131-44/48, dt-19.2.48. -5-

The Govt. of India have since clarified some points - copy of letter at pp.10-11 forwarded by the D.P.I.

They themselves now state that exchanges at the school-level are not contemplated at the moment, except in any special cases. This is in agreement with Secy.'s observation at A at p.2 ante.

Expenses: Pl. see para 5 of p.11 C.F. If, as the G. of I. since considers it reasonable, the original employer meets the basic salary of the teachers on deputation, the point X at p.4 ante about which H.M.(Ind.) has minuted, would not arise. This Govt. may, it is subd., express their preference to that arrangement. For orders. If so, consequently, the Govt. of India's tentative proposal that travelling expenses and other remunerations may be paid by the borrowing institution, should also be accepted. Therefore, to questions 7 to 9 at p.3 C.F., instead of the answers suggested in the margin of pp.1-2 ante, the reply may be: "Tentatively, as stated by the G. of I. in para 5 of their letter of 30-3-48".

Subjects of exchanges: In view of what is stated in paras 2 and 4 of pp.10-11 C.F., it is for consideration whether exchange of 'similar persons' shd. be asked for, or whether the Dir. may be told to draw up, in consultation with the Universities, if necy., a list showing the subjects in which the dept. would like to have foreign teachers, the quality of the teachers and the periods for which they are required, and also to prepare, w.r.t. the applications which he has already recd., a similar list in respect of teachers whom the dept. can send out.

After orders are passed, a draft Memo. to the D.P.I. will be put up; B at pp.2-3 ante will be incorporated therein.

(No action on pp.6-7 C.F. is necy as the scheme is now confined only to the collegiate staff of the Edn. Dept.)

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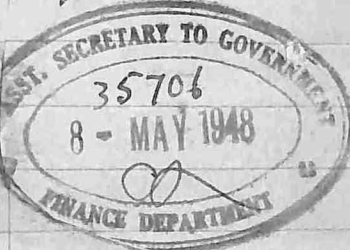
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