

Education and Public Health

(1949) Department.

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SERIES.

G.O. NO. 2898, Education, dated 17-

Dated 17-8-1949.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

EDUCATION - National University, Adyar - Holder of Diploma  
and degree - Permitted to be employed in Schools under private  
management - Director of Public Instruction empowered to dispose  
of similar cases.

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To

The Secretary, Government of Madras,  
Education and Public Health Department,  
Fort St., George, M a d r a s.

Through:

The Headmaster and Principal of the  
Maharaja's College, Vizianagram.

Sir,

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Sub:-Education - Recognition of studies at the National  
University - Adyar, Madras - and as a qualified  
Teacher to handle classes in the High School - Re-  
quested.

I, V. Achyutarao studied at Adyar, National University,  
Agricultural Department for three years from 1918--21 after  
passing Part II of the Intermediate of the Madras University and  
obtained a First Class Diploma in Agriculture in the year 1921  
dated 8th December. (True copy of the diploma enclosed) signed  
by Dr. Rabindra Nath Tagore, the Chancellor of that University  
and D.K.Telang as Registrar. Besides the regular Degree courses,  
the following subjects were made compulsory and obtained complete  
training in Scouting - Physical culture - Indian Citizenship -  
Moral and religious Instruction - all those that are now intro-  
duced in the reorganised Secondary Educational system. After  
my University Course in Adyar, Dr., Besant recommended me to  
the Pusa Research Institute for Post-Graduate course, but, owing  
to my domestic difficulties, I could not go.

I worked for more than three years as a Research student  
in the Maharaja's Research Laboratories, Vizianagram, mainly  
devoting on 'Apatite', a type of Phosphatic rock (which can be  
used as a Phosphetic Manure) available in the Estate areas and on  
'Vegetable Dyes' and submitted papers to the Science Congress, held  
at Bangalore, which attracted the attention of Sir C.V.Raman;  
P.C.Roy & others. I also enclosed a certificate given by the  
then Director of Research Labs., Vizianagram.

At that time, I had a chance to work as an Agri.Demons-  
trator in the College High School for one year and as the Estate  
Dewans promised to take me to Estate service and on account of  
my own domestic difficulties, I didn't try anywhere else. When  
the Court of Wards assumed charge, I have been entertained in the  
Estate service and whenever the permanent Agri.Instructor applied  
for leave, I used to be sent there. Since 1945, I have been  
working as an Agri.Instructor to teach Agriculture as 'C' Group  
optional subject to V and VI Forms and Natural Science. For the  
last 3 years, all the S.S.L.C., students sent up in Agriculture  
are coming out successful. Now Agriculture has been introduced  
as one of the Basic crafts in IV Form, 3/4ths of the students  
have applied for seat in that craft.

I wrote a Book on 'Everyday Science' in Telugu of about  
1000 pages, which is now useful for students of Agriculture up to  
the B.Sc., Agri.Standard and General Science students and it has  
been highly appreciated by eminent scholars like the Maharaja of  
Jeypore and some Professors of the Andhra University.

As I want nearly more than Rs.5,000/-, I have not yet been able to get it printed.

6) I am a trained Scout Master of the Adyar National University, and ever since I have been actively engaged in Scouting and for a record of my services, may be referred to the Chief Provincial Secretary, Hindustan Scout Association, Mylapore. I have for several years, acted as Hon' Asst. Scout Commissioner for Vizag District and a recipient of a 'Thanks Badge' by the All India Hindustan Scout Association, Allahabad, in recognition of my Scout Services.

7) In the light of the facts mentioned above, I humbly and most respectfully request the Government of Madras, Education Department to recognise my studies at Adyar University and treat me as a qualified Teacher to teach Agriculture etc., and sanction the scale of pay given to the B.Sc., Agriculture of the Madras and Andhra Universities.

8) As I have been devoting my energies and life for the cause of National Education and Social Service and as the Government determined to disseminate arts and crafts useful to every Citizen of our Country, I request that I may be given full opportunities to make the reorganised scheme successfully introduced and worked out in the Premier Institute of the Andhra Desa.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours sincerely,

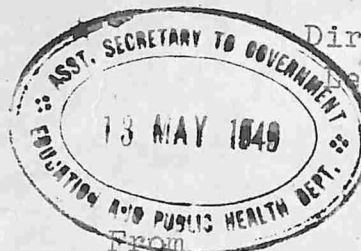
Vizianagram, I  
28 July 1948. I

V. Achyuta Rao.

Office of the

Director of Public Instruction:

Letter: R.O.C.No.3227-E.3/48



Madras, Dated 10th May 1949.

The Director of Public Instruction,  
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,  
Education and Public Health Department.

Sir,

Subject: National University, Adyar (now defunct) -  
Recognition of degrees awarded by it.

R e f: Government Endt. No.58855-G.3/48 dated  
12-8-1948.

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In resubmitting herewith the petition dated 28-7-1948 from Sri V. Achyuta Rao referred to me for remarks with the Government Endorsement No.58855-G.3/48 Education dated 12-8-1948, I may state as follows.

The Director of Agriculture, Madras, who was consulted in the matter, states that the Diploma in Agriculture issued by the National University for students who have undergone the course for 3 years may be recognised for purposes of teaching S.S.L.C. class and that the scales of pay given to B.Sc.(Ag.) in the Education Department granted to them also. He recommends therefore that the petitioner's request may be granted. On a reference, the District Educational Officer, Vizagapatam South, reports that the teaching capacity of the petitioner who is employed as Agricultural Assistant, Maharajah's College High School, Vizianagaram, is satisfactory and that he is a popular teacher. Under the circumstances, I agree with the recommendation of the Director of Agriculture and recommend that the Government may be pleased to declare the petitioner qualified to teach classes in Agriculture in the High Schools of this Province and to grant him the scale of pay admissible to other untrained teacher of the Collegiate Grade of this Province (B.Sc. Agriculture (untrained)).

I also submit for the orders of Government the following cases:-

1. Sri Bh. Ramachandra Rao, Headmaster, Sarada Niketan, Guntur, is reported to have passed the B.A., degree examination of the National University, Adyar (Politics) in the 2nd class in March-April 1921. It is reported that he has so far put in 28 years of unbroken service in the teaching profession. Since the original certificate is not available, he has produced a certificate from Sri B. Rajagopalan, Vice Principal and Head of the Department of Political Science, Wood National College, Madanapalle to show that he had taken the Degree. The Inspector of Oriental Schools, Madras supports the petitioner's request that his Degree may be recognised for the purposes of the M.E.R. I recommend that he may be treated as an untrained teacher of the Collegiate Grade.

2. Sri L. Rajaram Rao possesses the degree of Bachelor of Commerce awarded by the National University (Madras). He requests that his degree may be recognised for purposes of appointment as a Commercial Teacher in any of the High Schools in the Province. He is also reported to have completed the G.D.A. Course (Madras) between 1923-25 and to have appeared for the Examination in 1925. I recommend that Sri L. Rajaram Rao may be treated as untrained

teacher

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teacher of the Collegiate Grade for purposes of employment as a Commercial Teacher in the High Schools of this Presidency. I may point out here that defunct National University, Adyar was a private institution and as such, its degrees were not recognised by any of the Universities.

Yours faithfully,

*D. O. P. Ramachandra Rao*  
12.5.48

for Director of Public Instruction.

RVR 11/5/-

certificate

Copy of / dated 21st October 1948 from Sri B. Rajagopalan, Vice Principal and Head of the Department, Wood National College of Political Science, Madanapalle (now Lecturer, Besant Theosophical College, Madanapalle)

Mr. Bharatapudi Ramachandra Rao was a student of the Wood National College, Madanapalle which was affiliated to the National University Adyar founded by Dr. A. Besant, of which Dr. Sir Rabin-dranath Tagore was the Chancellor. Mr. Bh. Ramachandra Rao (student) studied Politics under me in 1918-1921 and sat for the B.A. Degree Examination of the National University in March-April 1921, and passed in the Second Class. Some of his class mates have applied for recognition of the degree and obtained it from the Madras Government. Mr. Bh. Ramachandra Rao also desires similar recognition and hence for authentication of his application for recognition I hereby certify that he was a student of the Wood National College, Madanapalle that he sat for the B.A. Degree Examination in 1921, and that he secured a 2nd class in Politics.

Copy of letter No.X.1-1093/48 dated 11-9-1948 of the Director of Agriculture to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Sub: Sri V. Achyuta Rao - Recognition as a teacher in Agriculture.

Ref: Your letter No.2367-G.3/48 dated 25-8-48

The Diploma in Agriculture issued by the National University for students who have undergone the course for three years may be recognised for purposes of teaching S.S.L.C. classes and the scales of pay given to B.Sc.(Ag.) in the Education Department granted to them. The applicant Sri V. Achyuta Rao has been declared to have passed in the first class. Hence I recommend that his prayers may be granted.

Copy of letter from Sri L. Rajaram Rao, 22 Amman Koil Street, P.T., Madras dated 27-8-1948 to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

I beg

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I beg to introduce myself as a B.Com of the National University of Adyar having passed the examination in the year 1921.

I request you to kindly let me know if you could recognise this qualification for a Commercial Teacher's post in any of the High Schools.

I have also completed the G.D.A. course at the Government Institute of Commerce, Madras, between the years 1923-1925 and appeared for the examination in 1925.

I have also held responsible positions in the Commercial field and have served successfully in various European firms. My last employment was with Messrs. S.R.V.S. Ltd., Mount Road where I served as Senior Assistant in their Lorry Transport Department on a salary of Rs.175/- p.m.

I humbly request you to give this matter your best and kind consideration and write to me if I am entitled to any privilege or recognition at your hands for the above qualifications and experience.

Thanking you and awaiting your valued decision with keen interest.

(TRUE COPIES)

S. S. Pantanabhishe  
12.5.25

for Director of Public Instruction.

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The Asst. Secretary to Govt,  
R + PH Dept; Madras.

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The DDI.

Sub:— Education - National  
University of Adyar -  
Recognition of degrees

Ref:- your letter Roens.3227E3/48  
dl-10/5/49

Please return the Govt. Bonded  
Account No. 58855 & 3/48 ~~to~~ Ben H—  
12/8/48, as it has not been received  
with your letter quoted above.

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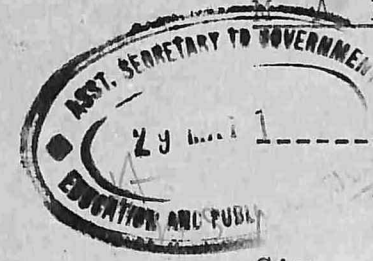
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

From  
The Director of Public Instruction,  
M A D R A S.

To  
The Assistant Secretary  
to Government, Education  
and Public Health Department,  
M A D R A S.



Roc.No.3227-E3/48 dated 25th May 1949.

Sir,

Sub:- National University Adayar (Now defunct)  
Recognition of degrees awarded by it.  
Ref:- Your T.M. dated 18-5-49.

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The Government Endorsement referred to in your telephonic  
message cited above is not available in this office also.

G. S. Pantanabhis  
27.5.49

For Director of Public Instruction.

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From

Secy Asst. Secretary to Govt,  
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To

Secy Registrar, University of  
Madras.

Sub: - University - National  
University of Adyar  
(defunct) - Degrees -  
Recognition.

Please state whether  
the question of recognition  
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of recognition of the degrees  
and diplomas awarded  
by the ~~National~~ National University  
of Adyar (<sup>now</sup> defunct) was considered previously  
and if so, please quote the no. & date of the  
relevant correspondence in the  
matter, and furnish copies of  
the same, if ~~not~~ possible.

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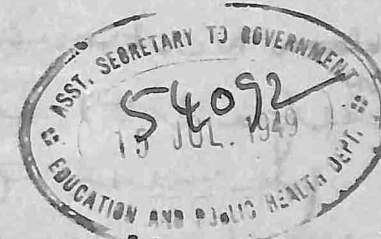
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Madras,

No. CR 3438.

From  
The Registrar,  
University of Madras.

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



Sir,

Ref: Post copy of your telephonic Message  
regarding recognition of the degrees and  
diplomas of the National University of  
Adyar (now defunct.)

I have to inform you that the examinations  
conducted by the National University of Adyar have  
not so far been recognised.

Yours faithfully,

R. R. Radhakrishnan

Ag. REGISTRAR.

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Education - ~~Reck~~ National University, Adyar -

holders of diploma and degrees ~~of the~~ - Permitted

to be employed in ~~private~~ schools ~~under private management~~  
DPI employed to dispose of similar cases.

C.No.58855/48.

From Sri V.Achyuta Rao, Vizianagram, dated 28.7.48

From the D.P.I. R.O.C.No.3227-E.3/48 dated 10.5.1949.

Order/Ms.No. 2898 Edn., dated 17.8.49

The D.P.I. is informed that the employment of  
Sri V.Achyuta ~~Rao~~ Rao, Mr.Bharatapudi Ramachandra Rao  
and Sri L.Rajaram Rao, ~~mentioned in his letter quoted~~  
~~above, as in private schools~~ <sup>in recognised</sup> ~~schools under private management~~  
need not be objected to  
and that the teaching grants on their behalf may be  
assessed at the rates admissible for untrained teachers  
of the collegiate grade, viz. Rs.65/- a month.

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2. The D.P.I. is ~~furth~~ empowered to dispose of such cases ~~of the above kind~~ ~~with~~ himself, in future.

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The D.P.I.

Copy to Sri V. Achyuta Rao,  
Teacher, Maharaja's College, Vizianagram,  
~~Copy to the A.C. & the A.C.~~  
3 spare copies.  
Copy to B-1 section. +

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Education and Public Health Department  
G.O.Ms.No.2898, Education, dated 17-8-1949.

Abstract.

EDUCATION - National University, Adyar - Holders of Diploma and degree - Permitted to be employed in schools under private management - Director of Public Instruction empowered to dispose of similar cases.

Read:-

From Sri V. Achyuta Rao, Vizianagram, dated 28-7-'48.  
" the Director of Public Instruction, R.O.C.No.3227-E.3/48 dated 10-5-1949.

ORDER:

The Director of Public Instruction is informed that the employment of Sri V. Achyuta Rao, Mr. Bharatapudi Ramachandra Rao and Sri L. Rajaram Rao, in recognised schools under private management need not be objected to and that the teaching grants on their behalf may be assessed at the rates admissible for untrained teachers of the collegiate grade, viz. Rs.65/- a month.

2. The Director of Public Instruction is empowered to dispose of such cases himself in future.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

J.M. Lobo Prabhu,  
Secretary to Government.

To  
The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.  
Copy to Sri V. Achyuta Rao, Teacher, Maharaja's College, Vizianagram.  
" " B-1 Section.

True copy/Forwarded/By order

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS  
Education and Public Health Department  
G.O. No. 3227, Madras, dated 17-8-1949.

Subject:  
EDUCATION - National University, Adyar - Holders of B.A. and degrees - permitted to be employed in schools under private management - Director of Public Instruction empowered to dispose of similar cases.

From: The Director of Public Instruction, Madras, dated 10-8-1949.

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

Sub: M.E.R.--Recognitions of the degrees of the old National University, Adayar.

Ref: This office letter RC.3227-E3/48 dated 10-5-49.

I request you to let me know whether orders of Government have been passed on the subject, if so a copy thereof may please be furnished.

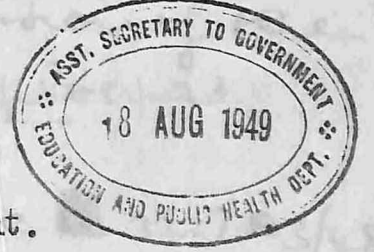
Yours faithfully,  
D. Paulanah  
For Director of Public Instruction.

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R.C.3227 E3/48.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction Madras.  
Dated: 13-8-49.



From The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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

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Yours faithfully,

D. Paulanah  
For Director of Public Instruction.

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The D<sup>l</sup> is informed that orders  
on the above <sup>subject</sup> ~~were~~ <sup>have</sup> already been  
issued in G.O. No. 2898 Dndd-  
17/8/49, <sup>a copy of</sup> which was sent to him  
on 23/8/49. A copy of the G.O. is  
herewith

Education - University - National University of Adyar -  
Degrees - Recognition.

C.No.58855/48.

From Sri V.Achyuta Rao, Vizianagaram, dated 28.7.49.

From the D.P.I. R.O.C.No.3227-E3/48 dated 10.5.49.

Sri V.Achyuta Rao, the petitioner herein, states

that he passed Part II of the Intermediate Examination of the Madras University, <sup>then</sup> studied at Adyar, National University, (Agricultural Department) from 1918-1921 and obtained a I class diploma in Agriculture in 1921. He <sup>adds</sup> states that he has had also training in Scouting, Physical culture, Indian citizenship, Moral and religious instructions etc. He worked as a research student in the <sup>Maharajah's</sup> Research ~~Institute~~ Laboratories, Vizianagaram, specialising in "Apatite" a type of manure. Ever since 1945, he has been working as Agricultural ~~Administrative~~ Instructor teaching Agriculture to V and VI form students. He states also that he has written a book on "Every day science" which he could not have printed. He requests that in consideration of his experience etc. ~~he may~~ <sup>but</sup> his degree at the Adyar University may be recognised, and he ~~may~~ be deemed as a ~~re~~ a qualified ~~teacher~~ teacher and be given the scale of pay admissible to untrained graduates, viz. Rs. 45/- p.m.

2. The D.P.I. ~~who was consulted~~ <sup>that</sup> states he has consulted the Director of Agriculture in the matter and he is of opinion that the diploma in Agriculture of the <sup>defunct</sup> above Adyar National University, ~~which is now defunct~~ may be recognised for the purpose of teaching S.S.I.C. class students, and that <sup>he</sup> they may be granted the <sup>pay</sup> scales given to untrained graduates. The D.E.O. Vizagapatam reports, that the teaching capacity of the ~~above~~ petitioner <sup>is</sup> satisfactory. The D.P.I. therefore recommends that the petr. may be declared to be competent to teach high school classes in agriculture and he be given the ~~scale of~~ pay given to untrained graduates, viz. Rs. 45/- p.m. In the circumstances

has been furnished.

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The D.P.I. with  
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returned by D.P.I.  
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it is for consideration whether the D.P.I.'s recommendation may be accepted and the petitioner given the scale of Rs. 45/- p.m. admissible to untrained graduates.

3. The D.P.I. has also forwarded for the orders of Govt. two cases of degree holders of the Adyar National University - one a B.A. (Politics) and another B.Com - and recommends that they may be treated as untrained teachers of the Collegiate grade for purposes of employment in the High Schools of the Presidency. It is for orders whether the D.P.I.'s recommendation may be accepted.

May be circulated to H.M. (Edn) for orders.

Shro' B. Section

The scale of pay of untrained graduates in L.T. or B.T or B.Ed posts in secondary schools under local bodies and private managements has been revised and fixed at Rs 65/- p.m. from 21.10.47. If the above proposal is accepted, the individuals will be eligible for a pay of Rs 65/- p.m.

There are previous papers relating to the recognition of degrees conferred by the defunct National University, Adyar. Please trace and put up.

Q indexes from 1928 to 1933 under the heading 'Universities or Education'

The indexes of 1925-1935 have been verified, but previous papers on this subject are not traceable. The University of Madras may perhaps be consulted. Subject to orders, the draft TM

TM. Below is for approval.

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[Issued as TM dt-28/6/49]  
From the Registrar, University of Madras,  
No. CR. 3438 dt 14.7.49.

Please see the letter from the Registrar, University of Madras, on p. 15 of... He states that the examinations of the National University of Adyar have not so far been recognised. As regards the orders of AS. in the margin on p 2 ante, no papers on the subject are traceable from the index.

2. Though the degrees have not been recognised by the University of Madras, there does not appear to be any objection to accepting the D.P.I.'s recommendations in his letter on pages 3-4 of and treating the three persons referred to as untrained teachers & permitting them to take the High School classes -

The National University at Adyar founded by the late Dr. Besant and others functioned for about 6 or 7 years (1918 to 1924 or 1925). There was a law on the employment of its degree holders (the connected papers are not traceable). With the attainment of freedom, there seems to be no



Received from H.M. (Edn)  
on 25/7/49

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[Issued as G.O. No. 2898 Dndy-17/8/49]

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