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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Reorganisation Finalisation of the syllabus
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SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE.
ASSEMBLY SECTION.
20-7-1948.

STAFFED.

REGUM SULTAN MIR AMIRUDDIN, M.L.A.

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

*Q. No. 392:-

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

(a) whether it is a fact that syllabuses
based on the new education scheme have not
yet been finalised; and

(b) whether he is aware that there is
complete paralysis of educational work in
schools in the absence of syllabuses and
text-books; and

→ (c) what steps the Government are taking
to remedy matters?

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Draft answer.

~~yes~~

(a) & (b) The syllabuses
have been finalised in the
light of the public opinion by
the Bd. of Secondary Edn.
in its meeting on the 13th &
14th of August. But it is open
to the Bd. to make such
further amendments as may
be necessary in the light of the
experience gained in the working
of the syllabuses.

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To
The Secty of M.L. (Assembly Section).
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C. No. 57100-31/48.

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2/3 E & PH (B1) Dept.
Education - Secondary. Reorganisation - Syllabuses
for various subjects - Finalisation.

Ref: Gov. No. 1394 Edy dated 29th May 1948.

Memo. no. 57100-31/48. 1 Edn dt 9/8/48.

The attention of the Director of Public
Instruction is invited to para 9 of the so referred
to above and he is requested to state whether
the syllabuses for the various subjects to be studied
under the reorganised scheme for Secondary Education
approved by the Board of Secondary Education
have already been finalised, if so, when they will
be submitted to Government for approval and the
Director is requested to report the steps taken or proposed
if not to explain the steps that are being taken
to be taken to expedite the matter. His attention is invited
for the rapid completion of their finalisation. The
connection to be elicited to the Legislative Assembly
above information is required to answer

P.T.O.

Madras, dated 3rd September 1948.

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

SUB:- Education = Secondary = Reorganization = Syllabus for various subjects = Finalisation:

REF:- Government Memorandum No.57100/B.1/48-1 Edn.,
dated the 9th August 1948.

The Board of Secondary Education at its meeting held on the 13th and 14th August 1948 considered the syllabuses of the reorganized courses for secondary schools as modified and finalised in the light of the public criticism. First it recorded G.O.No.1394, Education, dated 29th May 1948 authorising the Director of Public Instruction to introduce the reorganized courses of Secondary Education and the syllabuses connected therewith in Forms I and IV with effect from 1948--49. The Board agreed to accept the revised courses of study. As the Members of the Board desired to scrutinise critically the several syllabuses and offer their remarks for modification based on experience in the working of the syllabuses this year, the Board decided to refer the syllabuses to the concerned subject sub-committees of the Board and appointed new sub-committees for scrutinising the syllabuses in Social Studies, Arts and Crafts, Citizenship Training etc.

I may also add that there is nothing to be "remedied" as finalisation is possible only in the light of the working of the syllabus in practice during 1948--49.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Legislative Assembly Question No.392-Starred.

BEGUM SULTAN MIR AMIRUDDIN, M.L.A.,

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

(a) whether it is a fact that syllabuses based on the new education scheme have not yet been finalised; and

(b) what steps the Government are taking to remedy matters?

Education and P.H. Department.

ANSWER.

(a) and (b)

The syllabuses have been finalised in the light of public opinion by the Board of Secondary Education in its meeting on the 13th and 14th of August. But it is open to the Board to make such further amendments as may be necessary in the light of the experience gained in the working of the syllabuses.

for Secretary to Government.

To
The Secretary, Madras Legislature (Assembly Section).
The Public (Elections) Department.

The above answer has been approved by
The Hon'ble Mr. T.S. Avinashilingam Chettiar.

Edn. & P.H.U.O.No.57100-B1/48-2 Education,
dated 15th September 1948.

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Answered by Mr. Edn
KPT on 22/9



SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE,
Fort St. George, dated the 29.7. 1948.

QUESTION No. 392 ^{next} for the meeting of the Legislative Assembly to
be held on the 194 .

Two copies of this question are forwarded to the E.L.P.H. Department.
The question has been admitted.

To
The E.L.P.H. Department.

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SDN (P1)

Please see the Legislative Assembly Question at p1 of
in regard to the finalisation of the syllabuses for various
subjects to be studied under the scheme for the reorganisation
of secondary education and the remarks of the DP 9 therein
on p 4 of. The reorganised syllabuses have already been
introduced in schools and there will be no inconvenience
on account of the fact they have not been formally amended
to the approved syllabuses. As pointed out by the DP 9
there is nothing to be remedied now as finalisation is
possible only in the light of the working of the syllabuses
in practice during 1948-9.

The answer to the question may perhaps be as follows:-

clause (a). Yes.
clause (b). The syllabuses for various subjects of the reorganised
courses of studies for secondary schools as modified and
finalised in the light of public criticism have already been
introduced in anticipation of the approval of the Board of

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Secondary education in Form I & II from the current school year.
As the members of the Board desired to scrutinise critically the
several syllabuses and offer their remarks for modification
based on experience in the working of the syllabuses this year,
the Board has decided to refer the syllabuses to the concerned subject
sub-committees. There is nothing to be remedied now,
as finalisation is possible only in the light of the working
of the syllabus in practice during the current year.
The file may be circulated to HM (Edn) for approval of the above answer.

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HM (Edn)

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The letter of the D.P.I. shows that the syllabuses have
been finalised by the Board of Secondary Education in its meeting
on the 13th and 14th of August. On experience any further
changes that may be necessary will be considered and so the
answer may be:

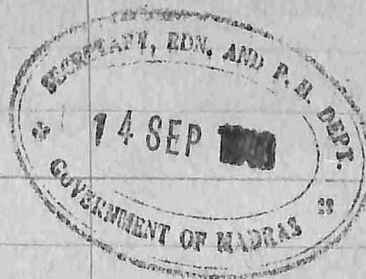
(a) and (b).- The syllabuses have been finalised in the
light of public opinion by the Board of Secondary Education
in its meeting on the 13th and 14th of August. But it is
open to the Board to make such amendments as may be necessary
in the light of experience gained on the working of the
syllabuses.

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Please see the minutes of HM (Edn) above.
The draft answer on page 1 of is for approval.
It may be noted.

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P.T.O.

Syllabuses based on the new education scheme.

* 369 Q.—BEGUM SULTAN MIR AMIRUDDIN: Will the Hon.
the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that syllabuses based on the new
education scheme have not yet been finalized; and

(b) what steps the Government are taking to remedy
matters?

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

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of public opinion by the Board of Secondary Education in
its meeting on the 13th and 14th of August. But it is open
to the Board to make such further amendments as may be
necessary in the light of the experience gained in the work-
ing of the syllabuses."

* 370 Q. was withdrawn.

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Please see the proceedings of the
Assembly above. The papers may be

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Legislative Assembly

Question - Edn. Secondary.

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