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Madras
24-10-49

From

T.K. Sambandam,
6, Mangammal St.,
Near Seven Wells,
Madras-1.

To

The Secretary to the Government
of Madras,
Education Department,
Fort St. George,
Madras.

TAX COMMISSIONER FOR GOVERNMENT FEES
29 OCT 1949
MADRAS

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
24 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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Sir,

I beg to submit that I am a Supplimentary Candidate studying privately for the last five months for the S.S.L.C. examination to be held in March 1950. The instructor under whom I am studying was all along under impression that private Supplimentary Candidates appearing for March examination have to pay their examination fees between the months of December and January as in the case of ~~regular~~ regular Students of High Schools and failed private Candidates in October 1949 examination. It is now understood that private Candidates appearing for March 1950 examination should have paid their fees on or before the 15th October 1949. As I am not aware of this rule I failed to pay the examination fee within the prescribed time,

P.T.

and beg to submit that I will be put a great loss in these hard days and devoid of gaining time to better my prospects if I am not allowed to sit for the March examination.

In the circumstance stated above I therefore humbly request your honour to kindly exempt me ~~too~~ from this rule and permit me to sit for the March 1950 examination.

In this connection I beg to add so far as I know that there are also two Candidates who are affected like myself.

Awaiting your honour's favourable order early.

Your's most obediently,

T. K. Sambandam.

Education & Pub. Health Dept

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Endt. No. 8210/42/49-1 Edu. d. 27/10/49

Referred to the Commissioner for Govt. Examinations for urgent remarks.

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for Govt.

V Ramasami
Asst. Secretary to Govt.

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To
The Commissioner for Govt Examinations
Madras.
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From
Vedachalam.
Noorjehan Talkies,
Udarpet (N.A.Dt).

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
1 NOV 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
30 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

The Secretary
Education Department,
Government of Madras,
Fort St. George.
Madras. 9.

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Respected Sir,

நான் ஆகிய
எஸ். எஸ். எஸ்.எல்.சி. படித்து வரும்
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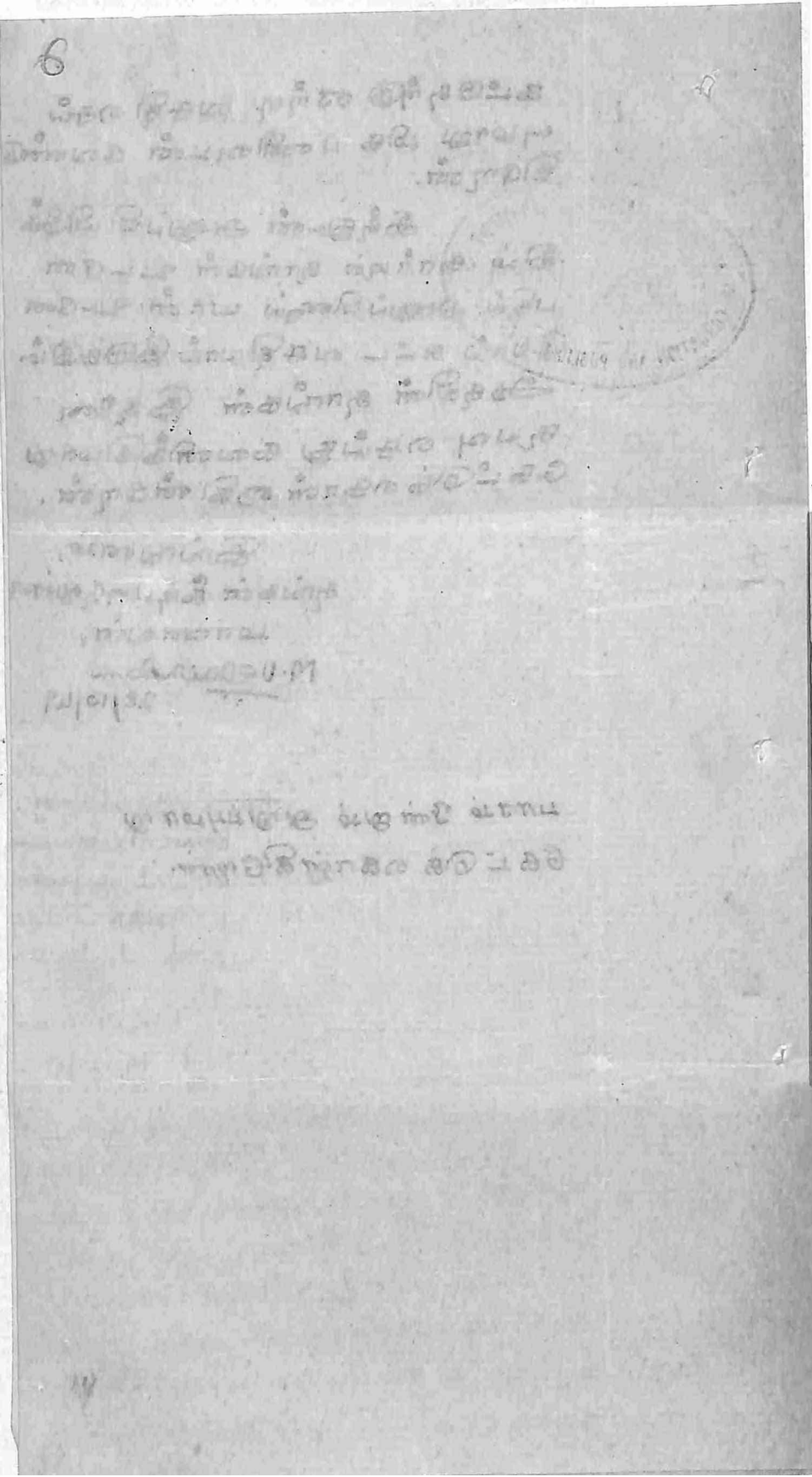
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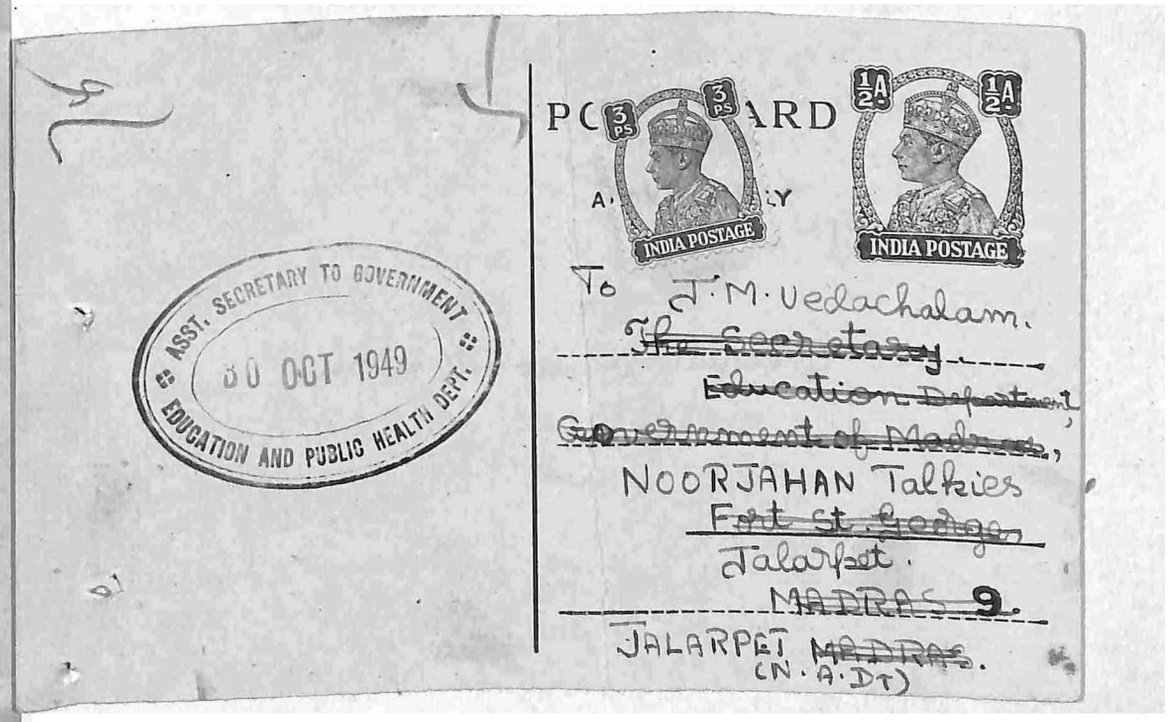
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M. Velayudham
28/10/49

மாதம் தோறும் அனுப்பும்படி
கேட்டுக் கொள்கிறேன்.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
30 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
30 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
To J.M. Vedachalam.
~~The Secretary~~
~~Education Department~~
~~Government of Madras~~,
NOORJAHAN Talkies
~~Fort St. George~~
Jalarpet.
~~MADRAS~~ 9.
JALARPET ~~MADRAS~~.
(N. A. Dt)

R.C.Kannan,
20,Perumal Coil Garden Sr.,
Sowcarpet Post
Madras.28. 10.'49.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
1- NOV 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

To,
The Secretary,
Govt.Educational & Public health dept.,
Fort St.George.,Govt.of Madras.

Dear Sir,

May we have the honour of placing before you the following facts. Since there is the October examination for the S.S.L.C, it is but natural the private candidates who intend to sit for the S.S.L.C. Public examination of March 1950, to expect that the fees to be paid for the examination may be after the announcement of the results of October examination. But they now find that the last date for the payment of the fees with penalty is 15th.October1949. We learn from a reliable source that the candidates who have sat for the October examination and failed in it are being given another chance to apply for the examination of March 1950. Why should not the privelege be extended to all private candidates. If this is not done they have to wait one year to sit for the examination and also another six months to join in the college.

The Government will be losing nothing the date for the payment of fees is extended till December'49. If this is not done the candidates who fail in Oct.'50 will have no chance of sitting for the examination again as the scheme for March'51 is quite different.

So we request you to order that the date for all private candidates to pay their fees be extended.

Yours faithfully.,

The name of the students who are anxious to appear for the examination of March 1950 and who are not paid their fees yet:--

P.T.O.

1. T. K. Sambandam.
6, Mangammal Street,
Near Seven wells,
Madras - 1.

2. T. D. Purushothaman.
36, Veerabusing pillai St.,
Madras - 1.

3. T. Ekambaram
48, Basha Karabi naidu Street
Madras-1.

4. T. S. Selvaganesan.
26, Chandrappa Mudali Street,
Madras-1.

5. K. Gopal.
19, Armenian Koil St - Triplicane,
G. T. Madras.

6) P. K. Balasubramanian.
10, Vadamalai Maistry Street.
G. T. Madras.

7) N. S. Ramachandran.
23, Narasinga puram St-
Madras 2.

R.C.No.

SUBJECT.

S.S.L.C. Public Examination - March 1950 - Payment of fees by private candidates after due date.

Station: Madras. R.C.No. 5-B/49, dated 29-10-'49.

From (Name) Sri D.S.Reddi, M.A., (Oxon).,
(Designation) Commissioner for Government Examinations,
M A D R A S.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPTT. 31 OCT 1949

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

Sir,

Ref: Government Endorsement No. 82110/G2/49-1 Edn., dated 27-10-'49.
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I have the honour to submit the above endorsement and state as follows.

2. It was announced in August 1949, that private candidates who want to appear for the S.S.L.C. Examination in March 1950 should submit their applications to the Secretary to the Commissioner for Government Examinations, Madras, on or before 30-9-1949, without penality and with a penality of Re. 1/- on or before 15-10-'49. These dates have been in vogue for several decades. With reference to this announcement about 9000 applications have already been received from all parts of the Province. According to the notifications, the applications are liable to be rejected if they are received after the prescribed date. However I have admitted applications where fees have been paid in time but they have been submitted after the prescribed date. Applications from about 25 candidates who had paid the fees after 15-10-'49 were all rejected.

3. I may in this connection state that for the March 1950 examination 773 schools are presenting about 55,000 pupil candidates. The Nominal Roll etc., have to be prepared for these candidates. In addition to these nominal rolls for about 2 to 3 thousand candidates who fail in the October examination and appear for the March examination has to be prepared within a short time. Unless the work connected with the private candidates is not finished sufficiently early, there will be difficulty in conducting the examination. Any extension of time for submission of application by private candidates will seriously affect the work. These candidates who for some reason or other were enable to remit the fees in time should wait for the October examination of 1950 when they can appear with the same text-books prescribed for March examination. I therefore recommend no further extension of time in the case of private candidates.

Yours faithfully,

29.10.49

for COMMISSIONER.

CP/29-10.

P. Venkatarama Iyer, M.L.A.

Pachayappa Mudali Street
KUMBAKONAM

20--10-- 1949..

To

The Hon'ble Minister of Education
Govt. of Madras,
Madras.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
24 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
22 OCT 1949
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Dear Sir,

S.S.L.C. March 1950-- Private candidates--
Suggestion for extension of last date for
receipt of applications.

I reliably understand that several students preparing privately for the S.S.L.C. March 1950 examination did not know the last date for sending their applications though according to a Gazette notification in August the dates for sending them without and with fine were Sep. 30 and Oct. 15 respectively. In the absence of any announcement in the Dailies as during the previous years the students had failed to note this. The result is, I understand, several candidates have not been able to put in their applications in time. I have reason to believe that in the presidency on the whole there may be a considerable number of students who have thus blundered.

When examinations are held twice in the year it is reasonable to expect that the dates may not be so early. However in the present case a wider publicity of the announcement of the dates would have been helpful. I think the students have committed a pardonable mistake. I therefore suggest that you may be pleased to arrange to extend the date and receive the applications from these unfortunate students also.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

P. Venkatarama Iyer

To

The Honourable Minister for Education,
Government of Madras,
M A D R A S.

Respected Sir,

We have herewith enclosed a copy of the letter we have sent to the Secretary, Board of Secondary Education, Madras, for your kind - perusal and sympathetic action thereon.

Yours faithfully,
S. Jayaraman.

KUMBAKONAM,
17--10--1949.

ASST. SECRETARIAT GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
24 OCT 1949

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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KUMBAKONAM,
17th October, '49.

To

The Secretary,
Board of Secondary Education,
Nungampakkam, Cathedral P.O.
M A D R A S, 6.

Sir,

We are students preparing privately for the S.S.L.C. Examination March 1950. Having failed in March 1949, we have been prevented unavoidably from appearing for October 1949, S.S.L.C. Examination. We came to know only on 16th October, 1949 and that too by chance, that a Gazette notification has appeared on the 16th August, announcing that for private candidates for - March 1950, the last date for putting in the application and - remitting the fees, with penalties is 15th October, 1949.

We wish to bring to your kind notice the following points which made us fail to acquaint ourselves with the above notification.

1. The above said Gazette notification was not given due - publicity in the dailies. It is really too much to expect of us - youngsters of 15 or 16, to go in search of the Educational Supplement of the Gazette, which is not easily available outside the High Schools. We, being now out of schools, have no easy access, to these Weekly Gazettes. It is simply by chance that we came to know of the above notification even on the 15th - October, 1949.

2. It is really strange and without any precedent, in the history of S.S.L.C. Examinations that candidates are asked to put in the application and remit the fees even five months before the examinations, especially when they are held twice in a year. For us, young people, having no independent living, there is no knowing whether we will be able to stay at the same place, till the end of 5 months.

3. The regular candidates for the March examinations are asked to remit the fees only by the middle of January. Even the private candidates for October, 1949 S.S.L.C. Examinations put in their applications by the middle of August, 1949. Last

Last year private candidates for March 1949 too paid the examinations fees by the end of January 1949. Such being the case, there is no point in adopting a new proceedure in the case of private Candidates for March 1950.

4. We wish to stress the point that the October 1949 Examinations are coming to a close only by the 26th October, 1949. So it is beyond human phsycology to expect that candidates would be asked to put in their applications for the March examinations, even before the October examinations have ended. Students who do not succeed in this October Examination are going to submit their applications only later. And we think no special difficulty will be experienced by the authorities in asking us to apply along with them. Whenever there is a departure from the usual proceedure, as in this case, adequate publicity should be given, which in this case, has not been done to our knowledge. We are not the only few who have missed the above notification. We can assure you, that there are a lot in our Town (with Five High Schools in it) who are in the same predicament. So we wish to bring home to you that we are not wholly responsible for this mistake.

We crave your indulgence therefore, to extend the time - limit by another 15 days, at least. If this is not done, we will have to suffer unreasonably, an additional period of 5 - months of suspense, and tension for ourselves and burdensomeness for our parents. By extending the time-limit for us Private Candidates for March 1950 by another 15 days (even with extra penalties) the authorities stand to lose nothing, and we have everything to gain. So even if your are not prepared to grant that there is sufficient room for committing such a genuine mistake under these circumstances, we hope, that at least pity on us will make you to extend the time-limit.

We are voicing the earnest wish of a large number of the

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the students. When we say ' Pray extend the time limit by - another 15 days for March 1950 pr ivate candidates.

We beg to remain,
Respected Sir,
Yours obediently,
S. Jayaraman,
C/o P.K. Mahalingam
Nageswarar Samakti
Kumbakonam

1. L. Natarajan.
80, Thukkampalaya-St.
Kumbakonam.

2. R. Krishnamurthi
Kanjanur,
Kumbakonam (Taluck)

3. S. Jayaraman.
C/o P.K. Mahalingam.
Nageswarar Samakti
Kumbakonam.

26, Chandrappa Mudali Street,
Madras-14
26th October 1949.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
26 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

The
Secretary Education Department,
Government of Madras,
Fort St. George.

From:-
T.S. Sekaganesan,
26, Chandrappa Mudali Street,
Madras-1.

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Sir,

I am a candidate who wish to appear for the S.S.L.C. public examination to be held in March 1950. As there is the October examination it is ~~not~~ but natural for me to expect that the last date for the payment of application fee may be after the announcement of the results of the October examination. But I now find that the last date is over. It will be a longtime to wait for the next October examination. Hence may I request you to order that the last date for the payment of fees for the March examination may somewhere in the month of November or December.

P.T.O.

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Last year it was so the case. Let no distinction be made between private candidates who have sat for the October examination 1949 and those who have appeared before. If you are not able to order the same, the matter may put either before Director of Public Instruction or Minister for Education and favourable orders obtained for the same.

A line in reply will much oblige.

Yours faithfully,
T.S. Selvaganesan.

Education & Pub. Health Dept
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Transferred to the Commissioner for Govt. Examinations for disposal.
(B.O)

Asst Secretary to Govt

To.
The Commissioner for Govt. Exams
Madras

23/10/49

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My Address.

Master. A.M. Satyanarayana.
C/o Dr. P. Govindaraju Naidu
Shanthi Ashram.
Adyar.
Madras 20

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
27 OCT 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

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Dear Sir,

I was a student of the Besant Theosophical School last year. I appeared for the last named examination but I failed just in want of a few marks. During the summer holidays after my examination, I went to Bombay. After knowing my results I wanted to start away immediately to Madras to join the tutorial school. But when I went to the station to purchase tickets, there was no tickets available by train and they said there was no accomodation. So I was delayed there and I could not come here in time. Again I was told there wasn't any accomodation but I went to some higher authorities and payed an extra amount of 20 Rs and with 40 Rs and came to Madras and from here I immediately left to Bangalore to join the Madras government examination tutorial which is in the Bangalore Cantonement. But the doctors there said, I was late and they advised me to

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join this march examination (2) tutorial and to appear for the coming march examination. So I waited and the tutorial was to reopen on 2d of this month ~~that~~ last Monday. In the meanwhile no body told me, not even a single teacher informed me that the date for paying the examination fee was 15-th of October. So I was innocent of the matter but by some feeling I asked the director of the tutorial school when was the last date for remitting the examination fee. I asked him on the day 15-th evening or night. He said he ~~did~~ does not know the date and asked me to find out in the Treasury. So I went on monday and asked the treasurer on 17th and he told ~~me~~ very unfortunately for me that the time had expired. Immediately I dispatched one letter to the Secretary of the board ~~with~~ with an telegram. But I received no answer. Then the deputy inspector and others in Bangalore asked me to go personally to Madras. So I have come to Madras Sir and I consulted with the assistant secretary of the board. But he said the whole matter entirely depends upon you and that only you can allow me to sit for the examination.

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So Sir I ~~am~~ ~~you to~~ beseech you to excuse me for the delay & that has taken place. My whole career of life depends on this and a waste of one whole year without appearing for exam in my life is just horrible to think of. Just a two days delay which would not have taken place had ~~it~~ I known it or been informed. So please Sir recommend me somehow and allow me to sit for the examination this year for the coming march. So please do help me. ~~to~~ I request to give me favourable orders. I am

Yours sincerely student

Am Sathya

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MINISTER FOR EDUCATION
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GOVT. OF MADRAS

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
4 NOV 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

SECRETARY, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
3 NOV 1949
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

To

The Honourable Minister for Education,
Government of Madras,
MADRAS.

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Sir,

In continuation of my letter dated 17th octobar,49, I am herewith enclosing the reply received from the Secretary Board of Secondary Education, Madras.

We earnestly crave your indulgence to kindly interfere and do the right by us by extending the time limit atleast by 15 days. We beg of you, Sir, to take a sympathetic view of our cases and give us time.

I remain,
Yours obediently,
S. JayaRaman
S/P 31-10-49.

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My Address.

A. M. Sathyanarayana.
C/o Dr. P. Govindarajulu Naidu.
Retired Assistant director of Survey (Gurkhapur)
Shanthi Ashram.
Adyar.
Madras 20.

For The Hindustan Auto Works.

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KUMBAKONAM,
17th October, '49.

To

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We beg to remain,
Respected Sir,
Yours obediently,

S. JayaRaman,
C/o P.K. Mahalingam pillai
Nagaswamy Samathi
Kumbakonam.

L. Natarajan.
80, Thukkampalaya St,
Kumbakonam.

R. Krishnamurthy,
Kanjanur,
Kumbakonam (Taluk)

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S. JayaRaman,
C/o P.K. Mahalingam
Nagaswamy Samathi
Kumbakonam.

X. N. Dis. ~~D~~ 26.10.49.
Returned.
2) The candidates request can not be complied with since the last date expired by 15-10-49.

for Secretary,
Board of Sec. Edn.
Madras.

~~DR~~
26.10.49.

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82112/G2/49 S.S.L.C. March 1950- Private Candidates - extension of last date of receipt of application and fees -

From Sri P. Venkataramna Iyer M.L.A. dt 20.10.49

Memo. No. 82112/G2/49-1 Edn. dt. 29/10/49

A Copy of the letter from Sri. P. Venkataramna Iyer. M.L.A, on the above subject is forwarded to the C.E.E. His attention is also invited to Govt. Endt. No. 82110/G2/49-1 Edn dt 29/10/49 forwarding a petition containing a similar ~~request~~ ~~letter~~. He is requested to state ~~if any thing~~ can be done in the such cases.

submit a report on the subject

27.10.49

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Note: Please see the letter from the Hon'ble Sri. P. Venkataramna Iyer M.L.A on p1 C.E. Similar ~~representations~~ cases have also been received. The remarks of the C.E.E may be invited in the matter. The draft above is for approval.

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To
The C.E.E
(Copy of p1 C.E.)

Subject:

S.S.L.C. Examination - March, 1950 - Private Candidates - extension of last date for receipt of applications.

STATION: Madras. R.C. No.5-B/49. DATE: 4th November, 1949.

ASST. SECRETARIAT TO GOVERNMENT
5 NOV 1949
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPTT.

From
(Name): Sri.D.S. [illegible] (Oxon),
(Designation) Commissioner for Government Examinations, MADRAS.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, MADRAS.

Sir,

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REFERENCE: Government Memorandum No.82112/G2/49-1.Education, dated 29-10-1949.

Sri.P. Venkatarama Iyer M.L.A. sent a copy of the same letter to me and in my letter to him R.C. No.5-B/49, dated 27-10-49 (Copy enclosed) I informed him of my inability to give any further extension of time on account of practical difficulties involved in the conduct of the examination. Government Endorsement No.82110/G2/49-1. Education, dated 27-10-49 was received by me on 29-10-49 and it was returned the same day with my covering letter R.C. No.5-B/49, dated 29-10-49 which would have reached Government now, wherein I have given detailed report regarding the matter.

Yours faithfully,

4.11.49

for COMMISSIONER.

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COPY OF R.C.No.5-B/49, DATED 27-10-1949.

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From
Sri.P.K. Ranganayakulu, B.A.,L.T.,
Secretary, Board of Secondary
Education, M A D R A S.

To
Sri.P. Venkatarama Iyer, M.L.A.
Pachayappa Mudali Street,
KUMBAKONAM.

R.C. No.5-B/49, dated 27-10-49.

Sir,

REF: Your letter dated 20-10-49 to Director of Public Instruction, Madras regarding post-poning the last date for receipt of application from Private Candidates for March, 1950 S.S.L.C. Examination.

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The last date for submission of application for March Examination even before the introduction of the Supplementary Examination in October was 30th of September without fine and 15th of October with a fine of Rupee one. These dates have been in force for several decades except last year. Due notice of this fact was as usual published in August last and more than last year's number of applications from every part of the Province has been received this year in time.

2. With reference to para 2 of your letter, I may state that the date for receipt for application from private candidates for March examination can be considered too early only in case this category of candidates alone appear for the examination. It may be noted that about 773 schools will send nominal rolls of over 55,000 pupil candidates in January for the ensuing March examination. The nominal list for these candidates will have to be prepared and printed. In addition to this, arrangement will have to be made to examine candidates who fail in October Examination within a short time of just two months. But the number of applicants in this case will be about a thousand or two. Hence if same work is not done sufficiently in advance it will not be possible to get the work done in time. It is with this idea that Private Candidates are, every year asked to apply in October and so far except a few isolated cases, no difficulty has been experienced by persons who could not remit the fees for March Examination in time have got another chance for sitting for the examination with the same Text-Books in October next.

with reference to the dates fixed for submission of applications

3. In the circumstances stated above, I am to state that any extension of time will seriously affect the work connected with the examinations and it is not advisable to do so.

(Sd). P.K. RANGANAYAKULU.

SECRETARY.

(TRUE COPY)

P.K. Ranganayakulu 4.11.49

E.& P.H.(G2).

S.S.L.C. Public Examination - March 1950 - Payment of fees by private candidates after due date.

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From Sri T.K. Sambandam letter dated 24-10-49.
From Sri P. Venkatarama Iyer, letter dated 20-10-49.
From the C.G.E., letters Roc.No. 5.B/49 dt.29-10-49 and 4-11-49.

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In the representation in the c.f. certain private candidates, who intend sitting for the S.S.L.C. examn. in March 1950, have stated that they could not send the applications for the Examn. by the last date, 15th Octr. and have requested the Govt. to arrange for the extension of the date for remitting the fees and submission of the applications for the March examn. in 1950. Sri Venkatarama Iyer, M.L.A. has also made a suggestion for the extension of the time.

The C.G.E. who was addressed in the matter, in his remarks, has stated that the dates in question, namely 30th Septr. (for appln. without penalty) and 15th Octr. (application with penalty) were duly announced in Aug. 49, and a large number of applications than in the last year have come in this year.

2. The Commr. points out that the dates have been in force for some decades (but for last year). The dates were also approved in the amendments to the S.S.L.C. Scheme contained in G.O. No. 640, Edn., dt.8-3-49. The Commr. states that it will not be feasible to allow extension of time as nominal rolls of more than 55,000 pupils have to be completed in a short time, and that the work connected with the private candidates will have to be finished sufficiently early and contends that any extension of time for submission of applications by private candidates will seriously affect his work. He has also stated that these candidates can appear with the same text books for the Oct. examn. in 1950, also.

3. In the circumstances, the C.G.E.'s views may be accepted and the dates already appd. may be adhered to.

4 For orders.

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P.T.O.

SUBJECT: Issue of Duplicate S.S.L.C. on behalf of Sri. K.R. Venkataramanan.

SUBJECT.

Issue of Duplicate S.S.L.C. on behalf of Sri. Kr.

Applications from the candidates who failed in the October Examination and from regular candidates have still to be received. We may therefore grant an extension of 15 days to private candidates who may have been mislead by the practice of the last year. In any case there is something to be said for their argument that no notice, except in the Gazette, appeared fixing the last date for applications.

H.M.(E.& L.)

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No. No Pl.
There will be no limit if we think of arranging dates for examination & payment of fees.

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15/11/49

SECRETARIAT, EDN. AND P.H. DEPT.
16 NOV 1949
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Edn & P.H
Sg2

The draft ~~memo~~ below is for approval.

~~As~~ the C.Sg.E. himself has already sent a reply to Sri P. Venkatarama Iyer M.L.A. on the same letter, ~~no reply is~~ ~~so it seems necessary.~~

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S.S.L.C. Public Examination March 19
~~Extension of time for application~~
~~Payment of fees~~ by private candidates after 15th Oct. ~~Date~~ - request declined.

From Sri P. Venkatarama Iyer M.L.A. Letter 20.10.49

Draft p1-2 cf – From. Sri. T. K. Sambandam, Madras, letter d. 24.10.49
p3-5 cf – " Sri M. Vedachalam, Salem, letter d. 28.10.49
p27-31 cf " Sri S. Jagaraman, Kumbakonam, letter d. 31.10.49
p9 cf – " Sri R.C. Kannan, Madras. letter. d. 28/10/49
p21-22 cf " Sri T.S. Selvaganesan, Madras. letter. d. 26.10.49
p23-25 cf – " Sri. A.M. Satyanarayana, Madras. letter. d. nil
p11 and p37 cf – From the C. Sg. E. Letter. Roc. 4.B/49. d. 29.10.49 and dated 4.11.49.

Order No. 3562 –

Edn. d. 18.11.49

To Sri T.K. Sambandam
6. Mangammal St, Near Seven Wells
Madras

~~The petitioner is informed~~ Govt. ~~cannot~~ decline to ~~give~~ further in the matter.

Sri M. Vedachalam
Noorjehan Talkies, Salem.

Sri S. Jagaraman
C/o. P.K. Mahalingam Pillai
Nagaswaran Samaiyar
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C/o. Dr. R. Govindarajulu Naidu
Shanti Ashram, Adayar
Madras.

Copy to the C. Sg. E.

Sri P. Venkatarama Iyer M.L.A.

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All sent + MS 19/11