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Asst. Secy. to Govt.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Adult Education Scheme - Central Film Library -

Opening of - Purchase of films and equipment of staff -
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24, NORTH BEACH ROAD.

MADRAS.

2nd March 1948.

The Hon'ble Mr. T.S.Avinashalingam,
Minister for Education,
Government of Madras,
Fort St. George,
Madras.

Dear Sir,

Subject: Visual Education.

It was on the 25th November 1946 that your goodself had written to our Bombay Office inviting their views on the matter of visual education and their ideas on the subject. In reply, our Bombay Office had submitted to you a broad outline of a scheme as per their letter dated 2nd December 1946. Since writing that letter, we have imported and sold to various Government Departments and Educational Institutions quite a lot of equipments and connected materials for the visual education of both the adults and the young. Very recently, the Visual Educational Department of the Bombay Government have placed with us orders for Movie projectors, silent and sound films for educational purposes worth nearly two lakhs of rupees.

We shall be very happy to submit to your goodself for consideration a very comprehensive proposition to cover the present programme of the Government of this province in connection with the Prohibition.

It would help us to a very considerable extent if we are given an opportunity to discuss matters with your goodself and to formulate schemes for your consideration.

May we be given an opportunity of meeting your goodself? The writer will be very glad to call and see you at the appointed time and date.

Placing our best services at your disposal, we are,

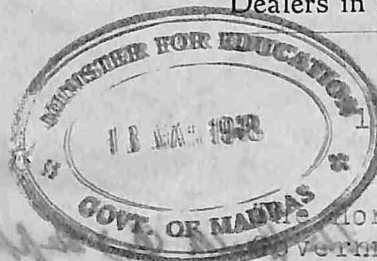
Yours faithfully,
for AMA LIMITED,

R. Mahalingam
MANAGER.

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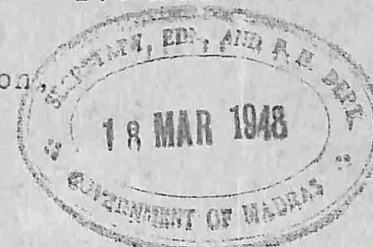
Producers, Exhibitors, Distributors and
Dealers in Sub-Standard Films & Equipment



18th March. 1948.

Hon. Minister for Education,
Government of Madras.

Production and Projection Office:
33. DAMODARA REDDY STREET
T. NAGAR - MADRAS



Dear Sir,

Subject: Adult Education in the Province
through Education Films.

Let us bring it to your kind and valued notice that we are now fully equipped for the production and exhibition of Educational Pictures with or without sound. Kindly note that we are now in a position to produce 16MM pictures in regional languages. We have already produced some. If you so require, we shall produce special films for the purpose of adult education, and exhibit them throughout the province in co-operation with institutions engaged in the services of Adult Education. With great pleasure, we place all our resources at your disposal.

We humbly request you to kindly visit our Production premises (NEWTONE STUDIOS, KATILLYS) one day, so that you can have an idea of how much we are capable of serving you.

Expecting to have the pleasure of serving you,
We are, Yours Faithfully,

for EDUCATIONAL PICTURES Ltd.

R. R. R.
Manager.

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Education & Public Health (Br.) Dept.

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Education Dept.

Transferred to the Director of
Public Instruction.

To
The Director of
Public Instruction.

Assistant Secretary to
Government
H.S. 31.3.48

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Memo No. 22455 Mr. J. - 1. Edu. S

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Adult Education - purchase of projectors
and educational films.

Ref. 1) From the Manager, A.M.A. Pvt. Madras, 22.3.48.
2) From the Manager, Educational Pictures Ltd.
Madras 22.3.48.

A copy of the letters cited ^{together with} a copy of
the minute of the H. M. (Edu.) of 23.3.48
are communicated to the D.P.G., and he is requested
to take necessary action in the matter
and submit a report to Govt. as desired
by the H. M.

Enclt. No. 22455
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The D.P.G. of 31.3.48
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The Assistant Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
Madras.

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Kind attention is invited to the Government Memo cited above in which it is stated that a copy of the minute of the Hon'ble Minister for Education dated 23-3-1948 is enclosed. The minute has not been received with the Memo. A copy of the same may therefore kindly be sent immediately.

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Director of Public Instruction

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION MADRAS.

R.C.No.15 M/48 dated 11th Aug. 1948.

Subject:- Adult Education - Purchase of Projectors and Educational Films.

Reference:- Government Reminders dated 29--7--1948 to Government Memo No.22455/B2-48-1 Edn dated 8--4--1948.

Resubmitted.

2. Quotations regarding projectors and films so far received are being scrutinized. A reply will be submitted to the government early.

For Director of Public Instruction.

To the Secretary to the Government,
Educational and Public Health Department.

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K.Kasipati

New Riviera Hotel
Brunswick Square,
London.W.C.I.
July 26 1948.

Dear Sir,

Since I last wrote to you, I trust my letter has reached you, I have made sufficient progress in my studies here. I have completed my work with the B.B.C. where I paid special attention to the Educational Broadcasting and am now working with the Central Office of Information (Films and Exhibition Divisions).

I said that I would let you know the costs of setting up the nucleus of of a Film Library in Madras. I have visited some private and Government Film libraries here and am in a position to say something on it. I have also seen quite a few educational and general instructional films and am in touch with the producers. I have also consulted the Government Expert on equipment and can give you the approximate cost of a film library complete in itself.

I am advised that it is necessary to have two sets of films and equipment. We need to have at least 50 films in duplicate, half of which may be purely educational and the other half general instructional. The purely educational pictures are of higher cost namely £10 a reel. The general ones cost about £5 per reel. I am also trying to get some free prints from some of the prestige producers but they do not cover the educational aspect, either children or adult line. I am enclosing herewith the quotations of the premier firm in U.K. and they speak for themselves. The films have to be obtained from a number of sources and it is necessary that the order should be placed before I leave this place. Later, trying to get by correspondence will not help much. I am making arrangements with the British Film Institute to act as a clearing house for us in getting more films later on.

I request you to find the money Rs.20,000 and authorise me to place the order for this equipment and films. The money may be paid against actual invoices through the High Commissioner's office and the stock will be shipped direct to Madras. If the money is sanctioned it will be necessary to deal with the Board of trade here to get the things out. So I request you to put your proposal before our Government and secure the money. If we cannot get all at least try to get half of it so that we can have one set of projectors and films. But I am for duplicate sets. The equipment suggested in the accompanying proposal will constitute a complete library and work can immediately begin.

I should like to know your mind in the matter and would be grateful for a cable information if the proposal is to be put through. I strongly recommend its being carried through. I will be leaving this country in the third week of August. I hope something will be done before that. I am sorry that I could not do this earlier as I had to convince myself that my knowledge was sufficient to advise my Government.

I will be anxiously awaiting your reply and authorisation.

With regards
Yours Sincerely

K. Kasipati

(K.Kasipati)

The Hon Srd
T.S.Avinashilingam
Education Minister,
Government of Madras.

Proposal for the Establishment of the nucleus of a central

FILM LIBRARY
in Madras.

Argument:

The great value of visual aids in education has been recognised all over the world. Teachers have always found it necessary to illustrate their lessons. The Black board has been their main resource, supplemented by maps, diagrams, charts, reproductions of specimens. Mechanical aids like the magic lantern and the epidiascope have also been used; while to provide further material teachers have taken their classes to museums, historic places and to the Zoo.

The invention of the film has provided an entirely new means of illustration. Its use in teaching has been made possible by the development of the 16 mm. projector and of non-inflammable film over a quarter of century ago. It has certain unique characteristics. It can illustrate a subject more vividly than any other known medium; it can show movement, growth or the development of a process. It brings into the class room the knowledge and experience of a specialist in an easily assimilable form, as well as information of other places and other peoples. The film has been found by experience to develop in the mind of the students the geographical and the astronomical conceptions more easily, conveying a great deal of information in a short space of time and to be capable of making a lasting impression. Teachers have found it particularly useful with dull and backward boys and girls who learn more quickly than from verbal or written explanation. Last but not least it brings to the class room an animation and relieves the tedium of the teacher and the taught.

America, Canada, Russia and now the United Kingdom have all carried on valuable experiments in this field and have produced a great number of films on a variety of subjects useful all over the world and the method of film teaching is not merely a regular feature of the schools but of universities where the highest type of specialised and scientific studies are carried on. In medical science particularly, the film has been of immense value to illustrate rare phenomena and specialised skill in surgery etc.

Apart from the school room, the film has been used for the education and instruction of the adults also. In England, where illiteracy is unknown, the Central Office of Information runs 140 mobile film vans for mass communication and education. A system of far greater dimensions is in operation in Russia and the other European countries. In India, where 86% of the people are illiterate the film alone can be the medium of communication between the educated and the uneducated. If the social conscience, the public spirit and initiative of the age-long inert rural Indian has to be developed, in a short time, no one denies it need not be, the film alone can achieve this stupendous object.

Proposal:

It is therefore, proposed to set up the nucleus of a central film library in Madras as a first step in the development of the non-theatrical exhibition of sub-standard films for educational and cultural purposes. The equipment necessary for this includes film and film strip projectors, educational and instructional films of a general character, wall charts etc. It is proposed to immediately acquire for the Government two 16 mm. projectors, two film strip projectors and about fifty films, half of which may be purely educational type. As the projectors as well as the films of this type are not produced in India, they have to be imported from abroad. Inquiries have been made in the U.K. in cooperation with the Central Office of Information in London which has a quarter of a century of experience in these matters and it is decided to place orders with a British firm for the purchase of the two film projectors and the two film strip projectors. It is also proposed to acquire two sets of films from the Central Office of Information and other educational producers in U.K. The total cost of this equipment is estimated to cost roughly about Rs.20,000. The money will be paid through the High Commissioner for India against invoices and the equipment shipped to Madras.

Details:

The estimate of Rs.20,000 is arrived at as follows:

Two 16 mm. projectors at £170 each	£ 340
Two film strip projectors at £42 each	£ 84
Two rotary converters at £ 42 each	£ 84.
Two film strip projectors at £ 28 each	£ 56
Cost of Equipment	<u>£ 480</u>

25 educational films at £ 10 each £ 250
25 general films at £ 5 each £ 125

Cost of one set of films £ 375

Two sets of these films cost £ 750.

Cost of equipment and films comes to

£ 480
£ 750
£ 1230.

This at the rate of Rs.13.8. per £. comes to Rs.16,605.
Cost of transport, insurance, taxes, packing Rs. 3,000.

~~Rs. 19,605~~
Rs. 19,605

A sum of Rs.20,000 may therefore be granted for this purpose.

K. Kasipati

26.7.48.

Principal
Donald A. Mackenzie, M.C., M.A.

G. B. EDUCATION DIVISION

Imperial House
(Air St. entrance)

80-82, Regent Street, London, W.1

Telephone
REGent 7222 (fifteen lines)

22nd July, 1948.

Mr. K. Kasipati,
New Riviera Hotel,
Brunswick Square,
W. C. 1.

Dear Mr. Kasipati,

I append below a series of prices for the various equipment and films about which you have been inquiring. I wish to stress that owing to the fact that all this equipment is for export, I cannot possibly at the moment quote to you firm prices. The only thing that I can do is to give you a fairly rough guide to what the prices may be.

As I have already pointed out, the discounts will be considerably enlarged if you can give us some assurance of a bulk order spread over a period of years. Under those circumstances, of course, the equipment which you are proposing to buy now will also be counted in at this higher rate of discount.

I do wish to stress that the prices are only a very rough guide at the moment; I will have a precise list of prices prepared for you within the next few days, but I can almost certainly say that your actual expenditures will then slightly decrease.

Mobile rear projection cinema van, tropicalised with internal air-conditioning - approx. £1,500.

1 Bell Howell-Gaumont 601 sound projector - £225, less 25% discount - £168. 15s.

Rotary convertor - £55. 10s. less 25% discount £41.12.6d.

1 Model 38 Filmstrip Projector £33 less 15% - £28.

Films, coloured - per reel, £12.10s. less 15% discount.

Films, black/white - £10. less 15% discount.

Filmstrips, 15/-, less 15% discount.

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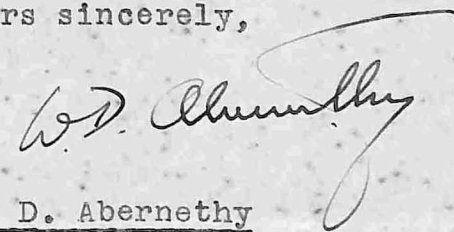
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Please understand that these discounts are
for single items only, and that they increase pro-
portionately as the order itself increases.

Yours sincerely,



W. D. Abernethy

WDA/GR

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Fort St. George,
Madras, 11th August, 1948.

My dear Kasipathi,

I hope you would have received my previous letter. I understand from your letter that you are coming back in the third week of this month; that means it will be barely 10 days more. We also consulted the D.P.I. about it. It will take some time for him to give you detailed instructions about the sort of educational films that will be required for our ^{schools} films. Though we have provided nearly Rs.30 to Rs.40 thousands for films, I am sorry we are not able to take advantage of your presence in England to purchase these films.

I have no doubt your experience there will be useful to us in organising your film library and film service for the school.

Yours sincerely,

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Mr. K. Kasipathi,
New Riviera Hotel,
Brunswick Square,
London, W.C. I.

Copy to Secy. E. & P.H.

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E & P.H. Dept (B2)

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Memo No. 60241B2/48-1 Edn dated 12/8/48

Sub: Purchase of films and Projectors for Adult Education

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To

The D.P.G.

20/8/48
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The attention of the D.P.G is invited to the sub
para (b) of G.O. 846 Edn dt. 9-4-48 and he is informed
that a sum of Rs 40,000 has been provided in the Budget
Estimate for 1948-49 for the purchase of eight projectors and
films for visual instruction. The Government desire that
one good film equipment of modern type should be
purchased as early as possible. The appropriation available
after the purchase of ^{the film} equipment should be utilised for
buying educational and instructional films. The Director
is requested to ^{make arrangements accordingly} ~~take immediate action in the matter~~
and to ^{send a} ~~submit~~ report to the Government at an early
date as soon as possible.

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From

The Director of Public Instruction,
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To

The Secretary to Government,
Education & P.H. Department, Madras.

Re.No.15 M/48 dated 18-8-1948

Sir,

Sub: Adult Education - Purchase of projectors and
educational films.

Ref: Govt.Memo No.22455 B2/48-1 Edn., dated 8-4-1948
and Memo No.60241 B2/48-1 Edn., dated 12-8-48.

As ordered by the Honourable Minister for Education in
his minutes dated 23-3-1948 I called for quotations from various
dealers for projectors. I consider that "Bell and Howell -
Gaumont Model 601" is quite a good one and that the cost of the
projector as well as of the additional equipment necessary
comes to Rs.3675/-approximately as detailed hereunder.

One - Bell & Howell (Gaumont) 16 mm.
filmosound motion picture projector
equipped with 115 volts 750 watt
projection lamp and for operation
from 110 volts AC 50 cycles:
Price: Rs.3260/- less 15% special
discount, or Nett. Rs.2771 0 0
Packing, forwarding and insurance
and freight charges from
Bombay to Madras. Rs. 42 6 0
Sales tax at 6 ps. per rupee. Rs. 86 10 0
----- Rs.2900 0 0

One - 1.5 KVA transformer for operat-
ing the above projector from
230 volts AC supply - Special nett price. Rs. 211 4 0

One - Cardomatic attachment for auto-
matic rewinding the cord of
the speaker.
Price Rs.164/- less 15% special
discount, or nett. Rs. 139 7 0
Sales tax at 6 ps. per Rupee. Rs. 4 6 0
----- Rs. 143 13 0

One - Ampelite Dynamic microphone
complete with cable and plug.
Price: Rs.180/- less 15%
special discount, or nett. Rs. 153 0 0
Sales tax at 6 ps.per Rupee. Rs. 4 13 0
----- Rs. 157 13 0

One - floor stand for use with the
above microphone.
Price: Rs.60/- less 15% special
discount, or Nett. Rs. 51 0 0
Sales tax at 6 ps. per Rupee. Rs. 1 10 0
----- 52 10 0

One - Radiant HY-ELECT portable screen
tripod model, size 52" x 70"
Price: Rs.270/- less 25% special
discount, or nett. Rs. 202 6 0
Sales tax at 6 ps. per Rupee. 6 8 0
----- 208 14 0

Total. Rs.3674 6 0

The estimate of cost quoted by certain other firms
is given in the enclosed statement so as to enable easy comparison
of prices.

p.t.o.

As regards the purchase of 16 mm. films a careful selection has to be made. In view of Hon'ble Minister for Egn.'s personal instructions it is proposed to buy only pictures of foreign origin for the time being. For this purpose I consider that as far as possible the films should be seen in the projection room so that we may judge their suitability or usefulness. I am asking the firms which offer to supply pictures (A.M.A.Ltd., Patel India or projection of Indian Pictures) whether they can arrange to give free projection of suitable Foreign Educational Pictures 16 m.m. to our representative to enable the making of a personal selection. If the dealers can give this facility I shall depute the Citizenship Special Officer and the Adult Education Officer to make the selection. After the selection I shall submit to Government the list of films to be purchased with their cost.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES, MAKE ETC. OF THE PROJECTORS AS FURNISHED TO SOME OF THE COMPANIES.

Name of the company.	Make.	Cost. Rs. a. p.	Remarks.
1. The Amalgamated Trades and Agencies Khaleeli Mansions, Mount Road, Madras.	Holmes, Rex 16 mm. Complete with Amplifier.	2800 0 0	EM-Bombay.
2. Radio & Electricals Ltd., 1/29 B. Mount Road, Madras.	R.C.A. Model 400 do. P.G. 201 Bell & Howell	2812 8 0 2857 8 0 2900 0 0	
3. Kodak Ltd., Mount Rd., Madras.	Kodascope Sound-Model F.S.10.N. Complete with transformer.	2575 0 0	
4. Edl. Pictures Ltd., Madras.	1. Ampro Premier 20 Sound. 2. do. Century 10 sound. 3. R.C.A. Deluxe Model P.G. 201 Sound Projector. 4. R.C.A. Model 400 sound. 5. Ge Bescope - Sound projector. 6. Bell & Howell Silent Projector.	3920 0 0 3630 0 0 3175 0 0 3125 0 0 3200 0 0 1890 0 0	
5. A.M.A.Ltd.	1. 16 MM. Sound on Film. Complete with projector. 2. Model G8 - Mono-film Projector for 8 mm. film. 3. G816-Bi-Film Projector for 8 & 16 mm. films. 4. G816-Bi-Film Projector for 8 & 16 mm. films. 5. Model G.16-Mono Film projector 16 mm. Octoh. 6. Model G.16 Monofilm Projector, for 16 mm. film Getra. 7. do. Getra. 8. Model G.3 Tri Film projector for 8 mm. Titor. 9. do. do. Trich. 10. Bell & Howell 16 mm. Projector. 11. do. with Parts	3424 0 0 1210 0 0 1485 0 0 1745 0 0 1670 0 0 1210 0 0 1370 0 0 1690 0 0 1715 0 0 1605 0 0 2900 0 0 3674 6 0	"Octoh" "Dnaid". "Dusba" "Dustra"
The Electronics Ltd., Cannanught Place, New Delhi.	1. One DeVry Model R.S. Freedom 16 mm. with Model 2. do. with Model	2830 2750 0 0 2832 3570 0 0	

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Memo No. 60241B2/48-2 Sdn dated 4/9/48

Sub: Adult Education - Purchase of projectors and educational films.

Ref: From the D.P.G. RC. No. 15M/48 dated 18-8-48.

The D.P.G. is informed that he may arrange for the purchase of a projector with additional equipment of Bell and Howell - Graumont Model 601". He may consult experts if necessary before making the purchase.

The further report promised by the Director in the concluding portion of the letter read above is awaited.

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To

The D.P.G.

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In reply, please quote
number, date and
short title.*

Education DEPARTMENT.

Received _____ Registered _____

From (Name)

(Designation) The Director of Public Instruction,

Post Box _____, (STATION) Madras.

Telegraphic Address _____

To

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

Rc. No. 15 M/48, dated 2-11-1948

Sir, Sub:- Adult Education - Purchase of Films and
Projector for Visual Instruction.

* Ref:- Govt. Memo No. 60241-B2/48-2 Edn., dated
4-9-48 and Govt. Reminder dated 15-10-48.

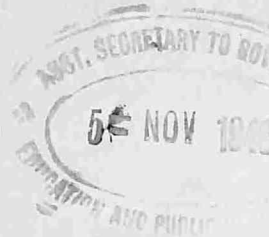
Necessary orders have been placed with Messrs. Radio
& Electricals, Madras, for the supply of one projector of
the type Bell and Howell (Gaumont Model 601) in my letter
Rc. No. 15 M/48 dated 13-10-48.

As regards the purchase of films, quotations from
various firms have been received and action is being taken
re: their purchase.

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction.

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Urgent No. 60241-B2/48-2 Edn. dated 4/11/48

Sub: Adult Education - Purchase of Projectors and

educational films.

Ref: From the D.P. Rc. No. 15 M/48 dated 13-10-48.

The D.P. is informed that he may order the

purchase of a projector with additional equipment

of "Bell and Howell - Gaumont Model 601". He may

consult experts if necessary before making the purchase

The further report submitted by the Director in the

concluding part of the letter read above is omitted.

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FROM

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

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

TO

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
EDUCATION & PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
M A D R A S.

C. NO. 476-M/48 dated 17th Sept. 1948.

SIR,

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Scheme for a Central film library at the Director of Public Instruction's office for stocking 16 m.m. Educational pictures (sound and silent) Proposals regarding the - Submitted.

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With reference to the discussions between the Hon'ble Minister Education and Adult Education Officer and Citizenship Special Officer on 14th August 1948 at the Secretariat I submit the following proposals for a Central Film Library in my office for stocking 16 m.m. educational pictures (Sound and silent).

The scheme is intended to serve the needs of educational institutions generally and also to facilitate Visual Education in regard to adults.

2. A central film library consisting of 16 m.m. pictures (silent as well as sound) of educational interest and of Indian as well as of non-Indian origin is to be established in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

3. Copies of suitable pictures of non-Indian origin which are available for outright purchase will be purchased and copies of pictures of Indian origin will as far as possible be acquired on "percentage basis". A beginning is to be made with 1000 films (300 with sound and 700 silent).

4. Educational institutions providing their own projectors and private agencies owning projectors and willing to give educational shows will be given loan of films from the library on such terms and conditions as may be fixed by the Director.

5. A list of exhibitors approved by the Director of Public Instruction will be maintained at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

6. The Director will prescribe the necessary rules for the loan of films and also for the hire to be paid by the exhibitors



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7) The consideration to be paid for the loan of films may be a lump sum or a definite percentage of the days collections as may be decided by the Director.

8) The films shall be kept under the control of an officer of the Education Department working under direct instructions of the Director and such officer shall be assisted by a suitable technical staff consisting of (a) An operator on Rs.80-2-100 with D.A. (b) A clerk of the Lower Division on Rs.45-3-60-2-90 with D.A. (c) An attender on Rs.24-1-32-1-35 with D.A.

9) The operator is to be examine the films from time to time and repair them when needed. He will examine the films also before they are despatched and scrutinise their condition on their return. In this work and in the work of packing and despatching he will be assisted by the Attender. The attender will also be responsible to see that parcels are delivered at the Railway Station or at the Post Office for despatch. The clerk is expected to be fully engaged with the Correspondence and the bills [&] of accounts connected with the hiring of films.

10) A good quality projector reproducing silent pictures as well as pictures with sound will be purchased and kept at the office of the Director in charge of the above mentioned officer. This will be used for checking the films and it will be used also when the Government or the Department desires to have a projection.

NOTE

The operator will be fully qualified man with experience and he will be responsible for the safety and good condition of the Projector.

Estimate of cost of the Scheme:-

Non-Recurring (Annual).

1 Projector and other equipment.

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4500. already purchased - see p. 39 of.

2 Stock of films - silent pictures

16 mm 700 @ average cost of Rs.100/-

70,000

Sound pictures 16 m.m. 300 @ average cost of Rs.200/-

60,000

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Recurring: (Annual)

1) Operator on 80-2-100 plus D.A.	1395
2) Clerk on Rs.45-3-60-2-90 plus D.A.	1098
3) Attender on Rs.24-1-32-1-35 plus D.A.	618
4) Contingencies.	714
Total	Rs.1,37,500

I request you to be so good as to pass early orders.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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From
The Assistant Secretary,
Education & Public Health Dept.

To
The D.P.G.,
Madras.

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Scheme for a central
film library at the D. P. G.'s office.

Ref: ⁵⁴⁹¹ Your letter No. 476 M/48 dated 17/9/48

It is noted that the D. P. G. will prescribe
the necessary rules for the loan of films and also for
the hire to be paid by the exhibitors. Please say
what will be the receipt - by way of ^{Rise} ~~higher~~ charges.

Kindly also say whether the letter of the Director
of 17.9.48 may be taken as a reply to
Govt. Memo. No. 241 B-2 of 11.9.48 or
whether a separate reply will be sent
to it.

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From

The Assistant Secretary,
Education & Public Health Dept.

To

The Deputy D.P.S.,
Madras

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Scheme for a central
film library at the D.P.S.'s office

Ref: My T.M. dated 16.10.48

Please expedite your reply to my
l.m. cited above

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From The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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

R.C.No. 476-M/48 dated 10th November, 1948.

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One clerk on Rs. 45-90 plus D.A. for 3 months ..	201	45 x 5 . 135 D.A. 22 x 3 66	201/-
4. One attender on Rs. 24-35 and D.A. for 3 months.	129	24 x 3 .. 72 D.A. 22 x 3 66	201/-
5. Contingencies.	500		
6. Purchase of films..	43,956		
Total.. Rs.	49,408/-		

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The appointment of one ^{Operator} ~~mechanic~~ one clerk and one attender may be sanctioned from 1.12.1948.

I request the favour of early orders.

K. S. Narayana Rao

For Director of Public Instruction.

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Education Department.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

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

Rc.No.2579 B1/48 dated 10-12-1948.

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Scheme for a Central
Film Library at Director of Public Instruction's
Office.

Ref: My letter Rc.476 M/48 dated 10-11-1948.

In accordance with the instructions of the Hon'ble
Minister (Edn.) at a Group discussion held by him in the
Office of the U.S.A. Information Services on 28-11-48 at
which the Deputy Director of Public Instruction (Elementary
Education) was present I have made arrangements for the
purchase of 16 m.m. Silent Pictures useful for educational
purposes and am also arranging for purchase of a Film Strip
Projector and Film Strips.

A few 16 m.m. Silent Films (53 in number) known as
Encyclopoedia Britannica Films have already been
ordered from the Educational Films of India, and I have
also placed a general order with them for more films, of
the same category.

In continuation of the recommendations made in my
letter under reference requesting sanction for the appointment
of (1) an operator (2) a clerk and (3) an attender, I have
now to request the Government further to sanction the appoint-
ment also of a Film Librarian who should be a B.A., L.T.,
with administrative experience as also Teaching experience.
The function of such a librarian will be to keep close touch
with educational needs in regard to various Class Room subjects
and to be able to help the officer in charge of the Central
Film Library in keeping the films properly classified and
grouped for rotational service to the schools which may
ask for them. It will be his duty to prepare suitable
hints for use for class room talks, In addition to this
kind of assistance, he is also to be of direct assistance
to the Citizenship Special Officer (who is for the time

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being placed in charge of Visual Instruction and is made responsible for the organisation and the efficient working out of the scheme including field organisation in the Province. The proposed Librarian will in course of time be acquiring necessary training and experience and should eventually be able to take charge of the scheme himself.

With this idea, it is proposed to draft in one of the more experienced Teachers in Government Service, or one of the more experienced Deputy Inspectors. Sanction may be given to appoint a Librarian of this kind in Class I of the Cadre of School Assistants and Deputy Inspectors.

A post of this kind was not contemplated in my letter under reference. Such a post is felt necessary in consequence of the discussion referred to in para 1 above and for the successful working of the scheme on the comprehensive lines approved by the Hon'ble Minister for Education at that discussion. A note on this discussion is appended.

It is requested that Government may be pleased to accord sanction to the appointment of a Librarian on this proposed scale, and also the other three posts mentioned in my letter under reference, namely the appointment of (1) an operator, duly qualified, on a pay of Rs.80-2-100 plus D.A. (2) a clerk on Rs.45-90 plus D.A. and (3) an attender on Rs.24-35 plus D.A. The sanction of these last three appointment was asked for for three months in the first instance. But is now requested that all these four posts be sanctioned for one year in the first instance, as any shorter period will not be adequate for the working of the scheme in all its aspects even as an experimental measure.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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APPENDIX.

Hon'ble Minister for Education attended a 16 m.m. picture show at the U.S.A. Information Services on 28-11-48 at 6-30 p.m.

Deputy Director (Elementary Education) and Citizenship Special Officer were present.

Other persons present were

1. Mr. Heap, British Information Bureau.
2. Mr. Chartand of the U.S.A. Services.
3. Mr. Kuruvilla Jacob, Headmaster, Madras Christian College High School, Madras.
4. Mr. Natarajan, Headmaster, St. Gabriels High School.
6. Miss Verghese, Lady Willingdon Training College.
6. Dr. Miss Cornelius of St. Christopher Training College.

Mr. Heap led a discussion on the proper type of films for class room education. Hon'ble Minister (Education) and the others joined in the discussion.

Hon'ble Minister (Education) finally suggested that

1. the amount now available for purchase of films should be spent on silent films for the most part.
2. that a film strip projector should be purchased and kept at the Director of Public Instruction's office and that a good selection of films strips also should be purchased and kept.

As arising from the discussion the following conclusions were arrived at:

I. AIMS: (i) The aims of the use of films are illustration of specific teaching points in a manner that is not possible to illustrate in any other way.

(ii) Visual rendering of lessons on specified topics with teachers lead up to the pictures and follow-up afterwards

(iii) provision of a general background of knowledge and information.

II. CLASSIFICATION: To correspond to the three aims above,-

The length of I (i) being about 3 to 7 minutes

of I(ii) 15 to 20 minutes and of I (iii) upto an hour.

III. SILENT OR SOUND: After discussion of the several

alternatives it was finally agreed that the silent

film was the best from the view point of the facility of the Teachers treatment of the theme - according to the requirements of the lesson and his pupils, and economy and simplicity.

IV. EQUIPMENT: (i) Projector and accessories - Screen. Where there is no electricity a generator of a suitable type.

(ii) Film strip Projector and battery where there is no electric supply.

(iii) Films and film strips partly owned by school and partly hired from the central library.

V. TRAINING OF TEACHERS: It was agreed that provision should be made for the training of teachers in the educational as well as technical use of the apparatus by a central arrangement.

The desirability of preparing a suitable handbook was also expressed.

Instruction given to Teachers should enable them how to use the literature supplied with the pictures, how to give a commentary, and how to have a discussion.

VI. ORGANISATION: Central library of films-selection stock of films - deposits from barrowers - preview - Projection Room - Engineer - Librarian to be in charge.

It was agreed that the above details should be considered and provided for.

It was agreed that the work may be started now - purchase of films to be proceeded with and other steps taken.

VII. GENERAL. It was agreed (a) that a film strip Projector and film strips should be purchased by the D.P.I.'s Office and also that a large proportion of the films to be purchased be silent ones - for the most part. Films giving Back Ground education may be films with sound.

(b) that steps should be taken to obtain a relaxation or concession of import duties on films and other apparatus meant for the schools.

(c) that steps be taken so that the provisions of the Indian Cinematograph Act be modified to suit the requirements of Educational Films.

(True Copy)

for Director of Public Instruction.

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT (B-2).

PART II SCHEME FOR 1949-50.

[SUBJECT.—Adult Education Scheme—Extension in 1949-50.]

Summary.

Head of account.	Items of expenditure.	Ultimate cost.		Cost in 1949-50.	
		Recurring.	Non-recurring.	Recurring.	Non-recurring.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
37. Education—					
General Miscellaneous					
—A. General (i)					
Excluding P.W.R.—8.					
Other Grants.					
	(i) Opening of Adult Literacy Schools.	1,00,800		75,600*	
	(ii) Training of staff for Adult Literacy Work.		72,800		72,800
	(iii) Grants to Rural Colleges for Adult Education.	10,800	5,800	10,800	5,800
	(iv) Training camps for social service workers.		5,000		5,000
	(v) Visual Instruction to Adults.	9,400	40,000	6,800†	40,000
	(vi) Training camps for citizenship and youthful workers.		21,600		21,600
	Total	1,21,000	1,45,200	92,700	1,45,200

* Nine months' cost.

† Eight months' charges.

Explanatory Note.

The Government sanctioned a scheme of Adult education in the current year and a provision of Rs. 1.54 lakhs was made in the current year's Budget Estimate to meet the various items of expenditure connected with the scheme as shown below :—

- (1) Opening of Adult Literacy schools.
- (2) Training of staff for Adult Literacy work.
- (3) Rural Colleges for Adult Education.
- (4) Training camps for Social Service Workers.
- (5) Visual Instruction.
- (6) Citizenship Training.

The Director of Public Instruction has submitted proposals for the extension of the scheme on the same line in 1949-50. These are noted on below :—

Item (1) above.—The Director suggests that 700 schools may be recognized and admitted to aid in 1949-50 (against 100 sanctioned this year). The grant payable to each school will be Rs. 144 per year.

Item (2) above.—The Director suggests that 1,440 teachers may be trained in Adult Literacy work in 1949-50 (against 560 teachers trained this year) so that the services of these teachers may be utilized for the opening of Adult Schools in 1950-51.

Item (3) above.—The Director anticipates that 17 rural Colleges for Adult Education may be opened in the current year by private agencies. Grants to these institutions may become payable in 1949-50.

350 schools

1200 teachers

17 rural colleges

PART II SCHEME FOR 1949-50.

Supplementary Note

Sub:- ADULT EDUCATION SCHEME - Extension in 1949-50.

The Govt. sanctioned a scheme of adult education to be introduced in the current year. The scheme aims at opening adult literacy schools, training of staff for adult literacy work, opening rural colleges for adult education, visual instruction to adults, etc. In the current year's budget a provision of Rs.49,408 has been made for visual education as part of the scheme of adult education. The expenditure was proposed under the following items:--

(1) for purchase of projector and films - Rs.40,000

(2) for staff to operate the films - Rs. 9,408

The scheme of visual education is intended to be introduced in 8 districts. The D.P.I. has submitted proposals for the extension of the scheme of visual education in 8 more districts on the lines sanctioned in the current year. The proposals are to be considered as part of the scheme of adult education. A Part II Scheme note has been prepared and copies sent to Finance Dept. The provision included in Part II scheme note for the purpose is Rs.6,300 recurring and Rs.40,000/- non-recurring for 1949-50, the ultimate cost being Rs.9,400/- recurring and Rs.40,000/- non-recurring.

The D.P.I. has since proposed that a Central Film Library should be started in his office. In that connection he has proposed among others that films costing Rs.1,30,000 may be purchased and stocked in his office. He proposes to purchase films costing Rs.44,000 out of the provision already provided in the current year's B.E. for visual instruction referred to above and he recommends that the balance of the amount, viz., Rs.86,000/- may be provided in the next year's Budget Estimate. These proposals

Item (4) above.—The Director proposes to conduct five camps during 1949-50 for training 150 teachers (same figure in 1948-49) in social service. Each candidate trained will be allowed a stipend of Rs. 22½ for the course of six weeks. The expenditure on the staff required for giving this training and that on contingencies and equipment has been worked out on the usual basis.

Item (5) above.—In the Budget Estimate for the current year, provision has been made for the purchase of projectors and films with necessary staff for eight districts. The Director of Public Instruction suggests that a similar provision may be included in the next year's Budget Estimate for the purchase of projectors and films for eight more districts.

Item (6) above.—In 1949-50 the Director has planned to give training in citizenship to 960 (no number specified in 1948-49) teachers in eight batches of 120 each.

2. To this Department have suggested that the proposals of the Director may be approved and necessary provision may be included in the Budget Estimate for 1949-50. The Finance Department have noted on the proposal as follows:—

"The Director of Public Instruction has proposed that provision may be made for the opening of 700 schools during 1949-50. The number of schools proposed to be opened during 1949-50 seems large, and it is doubtful whether teachers trained in the Adult Schools and others would come forward in such large numbers as to enable 700 schools to be opened during next year. It seems sufficient, therefore, to make provision for a lesser number of schools, say 400 at the most. Education and Public Health may be requested to consult the Director of Public Instruction on this point, and revise the estimate of cost accordingly before circulating this case. H. M. (Finance) should also see.

As the budget for next year has to be balanced without drawing on the reserves, according to the suggestion of the Government of India, it is necessary to go slow even in respect of essential and desirable schemes of development. Education and Public Health may therefore consider the reduction of the provision to be made in the next year's budget to about Rs. 1 lakh (recurring and non-recurring)."

T.N.S.R.—21-10-48."

3. The orders in circulation are extracted below:—
"The Standing Finance Committee may see the scheme and make whatever reduction they think fit. May go to Standing Finance Committee as it is."

T.S.A.—7-11-48."

"Standing Finance Committee may see. Finance's view may be given full consideration at the final stage."

B.G.R.—13-11-48."

M. V. SUBRAMANIAN—27-11-48.

are intended to replace the original proposals for visual instruction approved by Govt. in April 1948. The revised proposals of the Director have been accepted by this and Finance Departments. The provision made in the Part II Scheme note for visual instruction referred to at 'A' above has now to be altered. Only a provision of Rs.86,000 non-recurring is required in 1949-50. No provision need be made for recurring expenditure. As it is now too late to make any alteration in the Part II Scheme note already circulated to members of the Standing Finance Committee, H.M. (Edn.) will explain the position at the meeting of the Committee. In the meanwhile, this note is circulated to the members for information.

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Svr. Adult Education Scheme - Central Film Library -
Opening of - Purchase of films and employment of
staff - Sanctioned

Read again: G.O. No 846, Edn., dated 9.4.1948

Read also: (i) From the D.P.S. No. 476 M/48 dt. 17.9.48
(ii) " " 476 M/48 dt. 10.11.48
(iii) " " 2579 B/48 dt. 10.2.48

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pp 41-45 CF

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Order No 463 Edn., dated 19.2.1949

The Govt. approve the proposals of the D.P.S. for the opening of a Central Film Library in his Office for stocking ~~(the)~~ educational films, both sound and silent. The films, ~~as stocked~~, may be issued from the library on loan to educational institutions and private agencies on such terms and conditions as may be laid down by the Director. For this purpose, the Director will frame necessary rules. Hire charges to be levied from the borrowers of films from the library ~~will~~ either be a lump sum or a definite percentage of the day's collections as may be decided by the Director.

2. Sanction is accorded to the employment in the Central Film Library of the following staff for a period of one year from the date of appointment:-

- (i) ^{One} Film Librarian [in the cadre of School Assistants and Deputy Inspectors - Grade I] on Rs 165-5-205-10-245.
(ii) One operator on Rs 80-2-100
(iii) One clerk on Rs 45-3-60-2-90
(iv) One attendant on Rs 24-1-32-1/2-35

3. The Govt. also permit the D.P.S. to purchase films ~~to the tune of~~ ^{for} Rs 425,000/- during the current year [1948-49]. The action of the Director in having purchased one projector [Bell and Howell model]

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To

✓ The D.P.S. Item-6
The A.G. (H.M. Fin)

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at Rs 4,500/- [approximately] is also approved.

4. The expenditure will be debited to "37 Education -
r. General Miscellaneous - A General - (1) Excluding P.W.R. -

8. Other grants

[D-entires - overleaf]

Education Department.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,

Madras

To

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

R.C.No.2579-B1/48 dated 8th March, 1949.

Sir,

Adult Education Scheme--Central Film Library--Opening of--
Purchase of films and employment of staff.



In the G.O.No.463-Education dated 19.2.1949 sanction is accorded
the employment, in the Central Film Library, of one operator in the
scale of Rs.80-2-100 for a period of one year from the date of
appointment.

As the matter is very urgent and as the applicants are expected from
a professional class of workers who do not ordinarily read the Fort St.
George Gazette, I have, in anticipation of sanction of Government, requested
the Editors of 'The Mail' 'The Hindu' and 'The Indian Express' to
publish a brief advertisement, one x insertion, giving a reference to the
Gazette for further details. I have also requested the Superintendent,
Government Press, Madras to publish the notification in the issue of
Fort St. George Gazette dated 15.3.1949 (copy enclosed).

I request Government to approve of my action.

Yours faithfully,

J. S. Paulanachandran

For Director of Public Instruction

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NOTIFICATION.

In connection with the scheme of establishing a Film Library at the Office of the Director of Public Instruction the Government in their Order No.463-Education dated 19.2.1949 have accorded sanction for the employment in the Central Film Library of the office of the Director of Public Instruction, Nungambakam, Madras, of one operator in the scale of Rs.80-2-100 for a period of one year from the date of appointment. Applications are invited for the post of one Operator in the Film Library from candidates who have passed in the Government Examination for Cinema Operators and who possess the minimum general educational qualifications for public service. Applications in the candidates' own handwriting should reach the Director of Public Instruction, Madras on or before 31.3.1949.

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction, Madras
Dated 8th March, 1949.

P. BHADRIAH
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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P. BHABHA
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction, Madras
Dated 8th March, 1949.

of post again
with draft
on 17/3/49
D.P. (P.D.)
19/3/49
S.C.F.

To
D.P.
17/3

Copy to the S.C.P.
(S.C.P.)

Memo No 60241B2/49-1

Edn., dated 18.3.49.

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Central Film Library -
Opening of - Purchase of films and employment of staff.
Ref: From the D.P.S No. 2579 B1/48 dated 8.3.1949

The Govt. approve the action of the D.P.S in having ~~requested~~ ^{published} in the Editor of "The Mail" "The Hindu" and "The Indian Express" to publish a brief advertisement ^(one insertion) in the S.G.P. to publish the notification in the issue of Fort St George Gazette dated 15.3.1949. calling for applications for the post of operator for the Central Film Library, Madras, and having requested the S.G.P. to publish the notification in this behalf in the F.S.G. Gazette, dated 15.3.1949.

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1. Educational
Films of India,
Wallajah Road,
Mount Road.
2. Radio & Elec-
tronics Ltd.,
Mount Road,
Madras.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Roc. No. 2579 B1/48 dated 21-3-1949.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.Sub:- Adult Education Scheme - Visual Education -
Purchase of Films.

On 31st January 1949, I placed an order with the marginally noted * firms for the supply of some silent films required for immediate use in connection with the Visual Education Scheme. Both the firms report that the first consignment of these films is expected to arrive at Madras from the U.K. anyday. It is hoped that the films ordered for will reach Madras at least in the course of this week.

2. The firms have sent proforma bills for Rs. 23,910-13-6 (Rupees Twenty three thousand and nine hundred and ten, annas thirteen and pies six only). I may request in this connection that though it is technically not permissible to sanction payment before the articles are actually received, I may be permitted as a special case to draw the amount on the Proforma bills from the Accountant General's Office immediately so as to enable me to pay the amount to the two firms after the receipt of the films in good condition and to the satisfaction of the Citizenship Special Officer.

3. I also request that necessary instructions may also be issued by Government to the Accountant General to honour the bill, which I shall present after the receipt of the G.O.

4. The payment can be made out of the allotment for 1948-49.

J. P. Pantanahine
21-3-49

For Director of Public Instruction.

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[Signature]
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Office of the Director of
Public Instruction, Madras.
Dated 22nd March 1949.

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

Sub: Adult Education Scheme - Visual Instruction -
Purchase of equipment.

The question of training teachers in the use of 16 mm. Projectors is of urgent importance, and for this purpose it is necessary to purchase three silent Projectors within a total cost of Rs.4500/- as early as possible, so that the scheme of training the teachers can be commenced without any delay.

2.68 In their Order No. 463 Edn. dated 19-2-1949 Govt. have permitted the Director to purchase films for Rs.44000/- during the current year 1948-49.

The total expenditure incurred upto date is as follows:

Payment made	Rs.	10287
Bills passed for		
payment.	Rs.	1713
Pro Forma Bill for		
payment vide		
Cc. 2579-B1/48 dated		
21-3-49.)		23911

Balance unspent

This unspent balance is due to non-supply of films for which orders have been placed.

3. The unspent balance out of the above allotment is Rs.8089/-. In the absence of the supply of films in time this amount would otherwise lapse for the year.

4. It is therefore requested that sanction to the above purchase be given as early as possible so as to enable the above allotment being utilised before the end of the current year.

Yours faithfully,

J. P. Paucauliches
22.3.18

for Director of Public Instruction.

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Ro. No. 2579/B/48

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction, Madras.
Dated 22nd March 1948

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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



Subj: Adult Education Scheme - Visual Education -
Purchase of equipment.

The question of training teachers in the use of
16 mm. Projectors is of urgent importance, and for this
purpose it is necessary to purchase three silent projectors
within a total cost of Rs. 1500/- as early as possible,
so that the scheme of training the teachers can be
commenced without any delay.

In their order no. 403 E.A. dated 12-2-1948 Govt.
have permitted the Director to purchase films for Rs. 1000/-
during the current year 1948-49.

The total expenditure incurred upto date is
as follows:

Rs. 10287	Payment made
Rs. 1717	Bills passed for
	payment.
	Rs. 1000/- bill for
	payment vide
	no. 2579-B/48 dated
	21-3-48.
Rs. 35911	Balance unpaid

This unpaid balance is due to non-availability
of time for which orders have been placed.

3. The unpaid balance out of the above amount
Rs. 35911/- in the absence of the supplies in time
this amount would otherwise lapse for the year.

4. It is therefore requested that sanction to the above
purchase be given as early as possible so as to enable the
above amount being utilized before the end of the
current year.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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Edu. G.P.H. Dept. (B2)

Subj: - Adult Education Scheme - Visual Education -
Purchase of films and equipment.

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From the D. P. I., Ro. No. 2579/B, 1948, dated 21.3.1948 and
22.3.1948

Today in action D.P.I. (B2) 26/3/48

Memo. No. 6024/48-9-B2-Edu., dated 26.3.49.

The D.P.I. is informed that it is sufficient
if the amount is drawn after the actual receipt of
the films and on presentation of final bills, and
paid to the firms in the current year if possible,
or during the next year.

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2. The attention of the Director is, in this
connection, invited to G.O. No. 830, Edu., dated 23.3.49,
sanctioning the purchase of equipment to the value
of Rs. 8500/- from out of the amount of
Rs. 44,000/- sanctioned in G.O. No. 463, Edu.,
dated 19.2.1949. He is requested to state how it is

RC.2579-B1/48.

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras-6, dated 19th August 1949.

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From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

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

Sir,

Sub: Visual Education--Purchase of films etc.
--Further allotment--requested.
Ref: G.O. 463 Edn. dated 19/2/1949.
G.O. 1142 Edn. dated 14/4/1949.

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In G.O. No. 463 Education dated 19/2/1949
Government permitted the Director to purchase films for Rs.
44000/- during the year 1948-49 for the Central Film Library
in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction. Out
of this amount a sum of Rs. 12000/- only was spent since
nearly 100 foreign films ordered early in January 1949 were
not received before 31st March 1949. I invite, in this
connection the attention of Government to my letter RC.No.
2579-B1/49 dated 21/3/1949 and their orders in Memo. No.
60241/48-9 Education dated 26/3/1949.

2. The educational films ordered with two
companies last year have now been received and their cost
is Rs. 12000/- which has to be paid this year. A sum of
Rs. 15,220/- has so far been spent towards the purchase of
films etc. and some more articles have to be purchased vide
details in annexure.

3. I may state in this connection that the total
allotment for the current year is Rs. 23,200/- only with
reference to G.O. 1142 Education dated 14/4/1949. The amount
is quite insufficient to pay for the articles already received
with reference to the orders placed last year, and for the
articles required for the current year. An additional sum
of Rs. 21,320/- is necessary and I request that Government
may be pleased to sanction this additional allotment at an
early date.

Yours faithfully,

K. S. Srinivasan

for Director of Public Instruction.

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The G.O. referred to at 'x'
above was but in another file. This
may E.O. tell us return of the file.

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proposed to meet the expenditure of Rs. 4500/- on the
purchase of three silent page projectors for
the Scheme of Training of Teachers in Govt use.

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ANNEXURE:

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1. About 100 films ordered out from America and England in 1948-49 and expected to be received during that year for payment before 31-3-1949 have arrived now. The cost of the films comes to 12000/-
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3. Wire Recorder sanctioned by Government has been ordered and it has also arrived. The probable cost would be 1500/-
4. The Department has under taken the production of a few typical films (16 mm.) and a few dealing with specific aspects of present reorganised Education particularly Social Studies, Citizenship Training, School activities etc. The necessary machinery (cameras etc.) have been purchased with the sanction of Government. Raw films have to be purchased. Wages of Camera man, other technical staff and incidental travelling charges have to be met. During this year, it is necessary to produce 3 films of 400 feet each and the probable cost would be 5000/-

N.B. The amount mentioned above would include the raw film and other charges.

5. A few of the 16 mm. films prepared by the Govt. of India, Ministry of Education- Information, have to be purchased at the rate of Rs. 100 to 150/- per picture; the allotment needed for 25 pictures for the year would required 3000/-
6. Pictures produced by the South India Producers which are of specific educational interest will have to be bought. The cost of a copy of these will be approximately Rs. 300/- in colour and a little less if in black and white. For about 15 copies (colour as well as black and white) a lump sum allotment of 3300/- may be necessary.

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Total amount.	44520/-
Allotment	23200/-
Additional amount required	21320/-

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E. & P. H. Dept. (B2)

Memorandum No. 64371 B-49-2 Edn., dated 10-9-1949

Sub:- Visual Education - Purchase of films, etc. - Further allotment - Sanctioned.

Ref:- Letter from the D.P.I., No.2579-B1/48, dated 19th August 1949.

In the circumstances explained by the D.P.I. in his letter read above, the Govt. authorise him to incur in the current year an expenditure not exceeding Rs.44,520 on the purchase of films, projectors, etc. The Director should submit proposals in due course for the re-appropriation of funds if necessary.



To The D.P.I.
"AG/Finance"

Edn. J.V. 4. W.O.

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Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras 6, dated 27th October 1949.

From



The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

Sir,

Sub: Central Film Library - Educational institutions
which are not under the control of the Director -
Loaning of films.

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I have the honour to state that the Government in their order Ms. No. 463 Education dated 19/2/1949 have authorised the Director to prescribe rules for loaning of films and filmstrips from the Central Film Library opened in his office. Accordingly rules for the Library have been framed and communicated to all schools and colleges in the Province. A copy of the rules is herewith submitted for your information.

As per the G.O.Ms.No.463 Education dated 19/2/1949, films and filmstrips can be issued only to schools and colleges which are under the control of the Director. Some educational institutions like the Lawrence School of the Government of India, Lovedale, Nilgiris which are not under the control of the Director wish to borrow films from the Central Film Library, and have submitted applications, requesting the Director to enrol them as members of the Library. Some of the films available in the Library are quite useful to such institutions and to Agricultural Colleges, Medical Colleges etc. It is requested that permission may kindly be granted for the issue of films etc. to educational institutions which are not under the control of the Director on the same terms and conditions which are applicable to institutions under his control.

Yours faithfully,

J. O. Pancharatnam
28-10-49

for Director of Public Instruction.

kn.28/10/-

The draft Memo. on f. labours may be accepted. (A copy of the Memo. may be marked to H. S. Srinivasan)

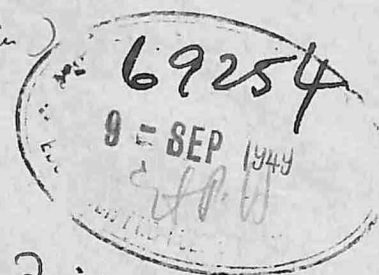
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Government of Madras.
CENTRAL FILM LIBRARY.
Office of the Director of Public Instruction,
College Road, Nungambakkam, Madras.

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RULES FOR THE CENTRAL FILM
LIBRARY.

1. The Library will maintain a good stock of 16 mm. Educational pictures, silent as well as sound and Film Strips and make them available on loan to schools on such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Director of Public Instruction from time to time.

2. Conditions for the loan of Films and Film Strips.

(i) Every school wishing to borrow 16 mm. pictures or Film Strips from the Library shall leave a permanent deposit of Rs. 100/- as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the loan and also by way of guaranteeing the safe return of the films.

(ii) Hire charges for 16 mm. films will be on the following scale:

Black and White Silent Films	Rs. 2/8/0 per reel per day for the first two days and Rs. 1/8/0 per reel per day thereafter.
Colour Silent Films.	Rs. 4/- per reel per day for the first two days, and Rs. 3/- per reel per day thereafter.
Black and White Sound Films	Rs. 5/- per reel per day for the first two days and Rs. 4/- per reel per day thereafter.
Colour Sound Films.	Rs. 7/- per reel per day for the first two days and Rs. 5/- per reel per day thereafter.

(iii) Hire charges for Film Strips will be Rs. 8/- per film strip per day. ~~Film Strips will be hired only to~~

(iv) No Film or Film Strip shall be allowed to be kept beyond a period of five days; and not more than six films and six film strips may be borrowed by a party, at one and the same time. If a film or a Film Strip is kept beyond the maximum period here prescribed, the charges payable for the additional period shall be one and half times what would be payable for an equal period in the first instance.

(v) Films and Film Strips ordered shall be taken delivery of personally at the office of the Library. Where this is not possible they will be sent only by Registered Post and by no other agency.

(vi) Transit period is excluded for purposes of computing the charges due. When films and Film strips are taken delivery of personally the day of delivery is not considered as a day in transit, and it will not be excluded in computing the charges. The

The day of return of the films to the Library however will in this case be excluded from calculation. When films and film strips are sent by post, the days of actual transit will be excluded. The day on which the Films and Film Strips are actually delivered to the party will be regarded as a day for calculating the charges; but the day on which the films are again returned to the Post Office in the course of transmission to the Library will be excluded.

- (vii) Postal charges both ways should be borne by the party borrowing the films.
- (viii) Films and Film Strips are examined carefully and despatched with an inspection note by the Operator in charge. On the receipt of the Films the party should inspect them and make an immediate Report. Parties are expected to return the films in the same condition. They will be held responsible for damage or loss to the films and any loss or damage other than reasonable wear and tear shall be made good before films are supplied again.
- (ix) Films are lent from the Library on the express understanding that they are not sublet, that Projectors employed are in thorough working order and that they will be handled only by trained operators and also that the films are exhibited only in recognised schools.

Breach of this Rule might involve the withdrawal of the privilege of borrowing films etc. from the Library.

3. Damage to or loss of Films and Film Strips shall be made good by the party taking loan of films and film strips. Where replacement in part or whole is considered necessary the party shall bear the cost of such replacement and the amounts claimed shall be paid within ten days of receipt of the bill.

4. Bills for Hire charges and Postal charges shall be paid within ten days of their receipt by the party.

5. If the Bill for Hire charges and Postal charges or the Bill for the amount claimed by the Library as charges for repairing or replacement are not paid within ten days of their receipt by the party, the total amount of such Bill or Bills will be taken out of the deposit held by the Library; and no further loan of films or film strips will be given till the deposit amount is not sufficient to cover the claim against the party, necessary steps will be taken to realise the balance amount due.

6. A catalogue of Films and Film Strips will be published by the Library to enable parties to make selections of films and film strips. As far as possible films applied for will be supplied, but parties are advised to give their second choice for substitution in case of particular film is not available. Film needed for a particular occasion should be applied for not less than six weeks in advance, though every endeavour will be made to secure them even if shorter notice only is possible.

kn.12/10/-
100 copies.



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Memo 84261 B2/49-2 Edr dated 10/11/49

Subj: Loan of films to Educational Institutions
not under the control of D.P.I.

Ref: Letter from D.P.I. No 67-P/49 dt 27.10.49.

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In the circumstances explained
by the D.P.I. he is authorized to lend films
to the Educational Institutions which are not
under his control, on the same terms and
conditions as are applicable to ordinary
institutions controlled by him.

To the D.P.I. Madras,

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Secretary, E. & P. H.

Please see herewith the letter of Mr. Kasipati, our broadcasting officer, who has been deputed for further studies in England. I think we may accept his suggestion that we may purchase films and equipment to the extent of Rs. 20,000/-.

We have made a provision of nearly Rs. 40,000, if I remember correct, in the adult education scheme approved by the Government for purchase of films and equipment. I think we may better purchase it through our own man than here. He may also be able to get us the latest educational films.

Arrangements may be made to send him the money.

If, in view of the large provision that we might have made, it is possible to invest a little more money that may also ^{be} thought over and in that case we may send Rs. 30,000/-.

The matter may be treated as special and put up as the stay of Mr. Kasipati in England is not more than possibly a fortnight.

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H.M. Education.

A. K. Nair is urgent H.M. this may be
immediately

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E. & P. H. (B2)

From the letter in the c.f. it is seen that films are to be purchased from England for exhibition in this Province. It is not known whether these educational and general films prepared in England will be suitable for conditions obtaining in this Province. Further



Sri Kasipati ^{should} hold himself responsible for the efficiency of the materials purchased. ^{The general procedure is to arrange for the purchase through the High Commissioner} Of the provision of Rs.154 lakhs made in the current year's budget for Adult Education, a sum of Rs.40,000 is intended for the purchase of ~~these~~ projectors and films. This amount may be utilised for the purpose in view.

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4. Draft letters to High Commissioner and Sri Kasipati are submitted for approval. Finance Department may see.

② Approximate
to Rs. 2000

[It is not known whether or not
he has taken any action separately for
the purchase of films & projectors]

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With reference to 'A' above I phoned to the D.P.I. and also put to him the proposal we have under contemplation. He says that he has called for quotations and obtained a number of quotations-all from American firms and none from British firms; but his impression is that American projectors are better; that in any case there will be the advantage of our having local servicing facilities if we buy the projectors through the agents here, which would be available if we make the purchase now proposed to be made in England; that he does not see the need for the rotary convertors and film-strip projectors referred to at 'A' at page 3 c.f.; that as to the films we cannot be sure that they will be suitable with reference to our local conditions, etc., and that in view of all these considerations he is definitely not in favour of the present proposal. I entirely agree with the D.P.I.

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The D.P.I. may be asked to take steps in this matter. He may be asked to submit his proposal as soon as possible.

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A draft memo is submitted for approval.

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E & P. H. Dept (B2)

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Mr. (R.) may see in his office, his private or public.

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E+P.H Dept (B2)

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(Issued as Memo. No. 60241-B2/48-1, Edn. dated 12-8-48.)

From the D.P.I., No.15 M/48 dated 18-8-48.

The D.P.I. has reported the cost of the projectors with necessary equipment. He says that "Bell and Howell - Gaumont Model 601" is quite a good one. Its price is Rs. 3,675/-. Orders of H.M.(Education) may be taken as to whether the Director may be authorised to purchase this model. In G.O. No.846/Edn., dated 9-4-48, it was ordered that eight projectors should be bought. In the minute of H.M. on page 5 ante he stated that only one film equipment need be purchased.

2. The Director has stated that he is making necessary arrangements for the purchase of films and promises to send further report in the matter. It may be awaited.

For orders as to circulation.

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2. may consult experts & necessary

31.8.48

A diary memo is sent

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Memo No. 60241B2/48-2 Edn.

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from the D.P.I., No. 15/48, 3 2-11-48

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E. & P. H. Dept. (B2)

From the D.P.I., No.476-M/48, dated 17-9-48 and 10-11-48.

In his letter on p.31 c.f. the D.P.I. has submitted proposals for the starting of a Central Film Library in his office so that the films may be lent on hire to private agencies and educational institutions for exhibition on such terms and conditions as may be fixed by the Director. The income that will be derived by way of hire charges has been estimated at Rs.5,400/- a year. According to the Director the total expenditure on the purchase of films will be Rs.1.30 lakhs. The cost of a projector with necessary equipment has been estimated at Rs.3,675. Provision has been made for the staff necessary to look after the films and projector.

2. In a subsequent letter on page 39 c.f. the Director says that a projector has been purchased at a cost of Rs.4,500/-. He also suggests that it would be sufficient if films are purchased in the current year at an estimated cost of Rs. 43,936. Presumably the intention of the Director is that the remaining expenditure on films (Rs.1.30 lakhs - Rs.43,936) may be incurred in 1949-50 or in future years.

3. When orders were issued in April 1948, the intention was to purchase eight projectors and films for exhibition in eight districts (with necessary staff for each District). The Director seems to intend that one projector will suffice and films may be purchased and kept in his office for being lent on hire to educational institutions and bodies throughout the province. For orders whether the revised proposals of the Director may be approved.

4. It may be noted that the question whether films should be purchased and exhibited through the Govt. Agency is under examination separately.

5. Finance Department may see for remarks before circulation.

11/12/48

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In G.O. 846 Bdu. d. 9.4.48

sanction was accorded for the purchase of eight projectors and films for eight districts at a cost of Rs 5000 per district and the employment of one electrical mechanic on Rs 40 + 22 (DA) and one attender on Rs 20 + 16 (DA) per district, ~~in connection~~ for visual instruction in connection with the scheme of adult education. Provision was accordingly made in the Budget for 1948-9 for this scheme. The DPI has now submitted a revised proposal. ~~He~~ He has now purchased one projector and equipment at an approximate cost of Rs 4500 and has requested permission to utilise the existing budget provision for the employment of one operator on Rs 80-2-100 plus DA, one lower Division clerk and an attender and for the purchase of films to the extent of Rs 43,936. It is proposed to keep the projector at the DPI's Office and to lend ^{the films} ~~it~~ to educational institutions on hire.

[A provision of Rs 1,54,500 has been made under 37.4. Udm - General Misc - other Grants - P. 237 of the Budget 1948-49 pp 31-33 & 39-40 CF

A on p 39 cf

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The DPI estimates the receipts by way of hire at Rs 5400 per annum. The total cost involved in the proposals is Rs 49,408 against a budget provision of a similar amount. E.H. propose to accept the proposals. They may be agreed to in finance also.

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E. & P. H. Dept. (B2)

Provision was made in the current year's Budget Estimate for the purchase of projectors and films in connection with the scheme of visual instruction for exhibition in eight districts. The D.P.I. submitted proposals for the extension of the scheme of visual instruction to 8 more districts in 1949-50 i.e., for the purchase of films and projectors for exhibition in 8 more districts in 1949-50. The proposals are being considered as Part II Scheme. Please see the copy of the Part II Note on pp.47-48 c.f.

2. In the letter on p.31 c.f., the Director suggested that a central film library might be started in his office and that the films might be lent on hire to private agencies and educational institutions for exhibition on such terms and conditions as might be fixed by him. The proposals were intended to replace the scheme of visual instruction sanctioned for 8 districts in the current year. According to the Director the films costing Rs.1.30 lakhs should be purchased and stocked in his office for loan to educational bodies and institutions. Against the total expenditure of Rs.1.30 lakhs on films, the D.P.I. suggested that a sum of Rs.43,936/- might be spent in the current year.

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the remaining expenditure on films being utilised in 1949-50 or in future years. This has been accepted by this Deptt. and Finance. From his letter on p.41 c.f. it is observed that he is arranging for the purchase of films.

3. The D.P.I. at first proposed the following staff to be in charge of the films, the staff being employed for 3 months in the first instance.

- (1) Operator on Rs.80-2-100 plus d.a.
(2) Clerk on Rs.45-3-60-2-90 plus d.a.
(3) Attender on Rs.24-1-32- $\frac{1}{2}$ -35 plus d.a.

In a communication since received, the Director suggests that a Film Librarian (who will be a B.A. L.T., with administrative experience as also teaching experience) should also be appointed. The Film Librarian is to be given the scale of pay for School Assistants and Dy. Inspectors, Grade I. (Rs 165-5-205-10-245)
The Director also recommends that the staff may be for a period of one year in the first instance instead of three months as originally proposed.

The revised proposals of the Director may be accepted. The proposals to extend the scheme of visual education instruction to 8 more districts in 1949-50 need not be considered. In place of the provision proposed for the scheme a sum of Rs.86,000/- may have to be provided in the B.E. for 1949-50 for the purchase of additional x films.

The file may be sent to Finance for remarks.

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Finance (E.II)

(For Finance note on p.8-9 above)

The further note of E.H.H may be perused. This Deptt has already agreed to the employment of an Operator on Rs (80-100), one L.D. Clerk on Rs 45-90 and one Attender for the central film library at the D.P.I.'s office for visual instruction in connection with the scheme of adult education. In addition to this



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The D.P.I. has now proposed the employment of a Film Librarian, in the grade of School Asst and Dy. Inspector of Schools Gr I on Rs 165-245 to be in charge of the Film Library and assist the Special Officer in charge of Visual Education. It has also been stated that the proposed Librarian will in course of time be acquiring necessary training and experience and would eventually be able to take charge of the scheme himself. There seems to be therefore no reason why a Senior Dy. Inspector of Schools in Gr I should be appointed for this purpose. This Deptt may therefore suggest that a Librarian in the grade of Senior Dy. Inspector of Schools Gr II on Rs 85-175 may be appointed. The entire staff to be sanctioned for this purpose may be for a period of one year in the first instance.

Y'orgp10 above: Visual instruction to South is one of the items included in the Part II Scheme noted at pp. 47-48 c.f. The provision of Rs. 6,300 reg. and Rs. 46,000 non-reg. proposed for this item was intended for the extension of the scheme of visual education to 8 more districts in 1949-50. E.H.H. now proposes that against the provision of Rs. 46,000 referred to above, a sum of Rs. 86,000 may be provided for in the B.E. 1949-50 for the purchase of additional films. E.H.H. may request H.P. (S) to explain the later position in regard to the scheme to the S.F.C. when it considers the Part II Scheme for 1949-50 and the 11th Jan 49 and ask for a provision of Rs. 86,000 for the

Scheme in 1949-50, as against Rs 46,300 already provided included in the Part II Scheme note at pp. 7 up to 18. Cf. Memo to Ld. to carry out attention in the Part II note.

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The proposal in this file is that a central film library should be started in the office of the D.P.S. with the following staff:

- (1) Film Librarian on Rs 165-5-205-10-245 plus da 96721
- (2) Operator on Rs 80-2-100 plus d.a.
- (3) Clerk on Rs 45-3-60-2-90 plus d.a.
- (4) Attender on Rs 24-1-32-1/2-35 plus da

The Finance Deptt. suggests that the pay of the post of the film librarian may be fixed at Rs Rs 85-175. The Director has indicated the duties of the film librarian to be employed in his office in his letter on p 41-Cf. It is seen from his letter that the duties are such that the pay in the scale of Rs 165-245 may not be high. For orders whether the proposals of the D.P.S. should be upheld or whether the suggestions of the Finance Deptt. may be accepted.

2. The D.P.S. suggests that provision may be made in the budget for 1949-50 for the purchase of films costing Rs 86,000/-. In the part II note relating to Adult Education, it has been suggested that a sum of Rs 40,000/- may be provided for in 1949-50 for the purchase of films. The expenditure on the staff to be employed for operating on the films has been estimated at

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Rs 9,400/- recurring and Rs 6,300/- in 1949-50. In view of the fact that a special staff is to be employed in the office of the D.P.S. to be in charge of the Central Film Library, additional expenditure need not be incurred in 1949-50 in the staff proposed in the Part II Scheme note. The provision for the purchase of films should however be raised from Rs 40,000/- to Rs 86,000/-. The Finance Deptt. suggest that H.M. (Edn) may explain the position before the S.F.C. when Part II Scheme relating to Adult Education is discussed.

The file may be submitted to H.M. (Edn) so that he can explain the position before the S.F.C. as indicated above. A draft supplementary note for the S.F.C. is subd. Finance Deptt. See further action may be taken with reference to C after the meeting of the S.F.C. is over and the file returns from circulation.

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The draft note may be perused and the file returned to E.P.H. no.

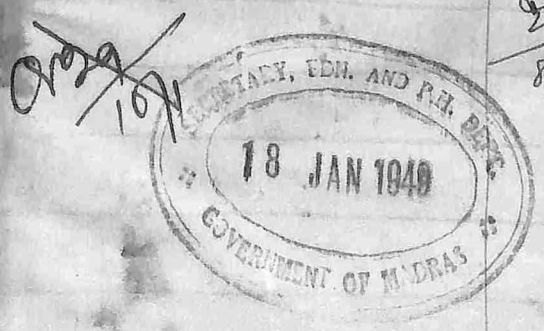
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Copies of the note have been taken and circulated to other H.Ms. who are members of the S.F.C. The file may be submitted to H.M. (Edn)

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It is presumed that H.M. (Edn) has explained before the S.F.C. the need for a provision of Rs 86,000 in the Budget Estimate for 1949-50 for the purchase of films for visual instruction. Orders may now be taken on the point regarding the staff asked for by the D.P.S. for the Central Film Library in his office. The file may be circulated to H.M. (Edn) and H.M. (Fin) for orders.

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Orders may now be issued granting permission to the D.P.I. to open a Central Film Library in his office and to purchase and stock films in the current year for Rs. 44,000/- and sanctioning the employment of the staff referred to in para 1 at page 12 ante for a period of one year from the date of appointment. A draft order is ruled below for approval. Finance may see before issue.

2. With refce to 'P' above, it is not known whether any addl. provision has been made by 7 in. in Part II of the B.E. for 1949-50. It is presumed that even if no addl. provision has been made or can hereafter be made, the addl. exps. can be met by re-appropriation in the next year. Finance may see for remarks on this point, after issue of the draft order below.

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Finance (E11)

(Pre Finance note on p 13 ante)

The orders in circulation on p 14 above, and the notes following may be perused. The draft order below may be accepted.

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Para 2 on page 12 above. In addition

provision has been made in the B.E. 49-50 for the purchase of films for visual instruction. On the other hand, with reference to the orders in cabinet, the total provision of Rs. 2,37,900 proposed in the B.E. 49-50 for the extension of A. and Education scheme has been reduced by 50%. Any additional expenditure on the purchase of films can be incurred only after obtaining the prior sanction of the Govt. Any additional funds actually reqd. during next year may be met by re-appropriation.

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'A' This should be made clear in the order to be issued in the Part II scheme.

Issue draft order

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[Signed on G.O. 463 Edn., dt. 19.2.49]

From the D.P.S. no. 2579 B/48 dated 8.3.1949

Please see the letter received from the D.P.S. on page 53 of

A draft memo is submitted below for approval. (After issue, a draft re. to the Part II scheme will be ruled.)

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[Retuned as memo. no. 60241 B2/49-1-Edu, dt 18.3.1949] page 51
 no. 22332/49/B2 From the D.P.I., R.O.C. No. 2579-B, 1/48, dt 21.3.1949 page 59
 no. 22333/49/B2 From the D.P.I., R.O.C. No. 2579-B, 1/48, dt 22.3.1949 page 61

Please see the D.P.I.'s letter at pages 59 and 61.
 In the circumstances stated, his proposal at page 59 of may be supported in this Deptt. The remarks of Finance may be invited up.

2. With refer to his proposal at page 61 of, it may be pointed out that only three days before, the D.P.I. proposed that a scheme of departmental production of 16 mm films may be approved and that for this purpose the purchase of a cine camera and other equipment for Rs. 8500/- may be sanctioned. He stated in that connection that the exp. might be met from the amount saved in G.O. No. 463, Edu., dt 19/2/49. From the statement at page 61 of, it will be seen that with the purchase of the above equipment for Rs. 8500/- there will be working left of the amount of Rs. 44,500/- (therefore, not known, how the Dir. has proposed the purchase of further equipment from the above amount. This may perhaps be explained to him and the proposal at p. 61 of, negatived, for orders.

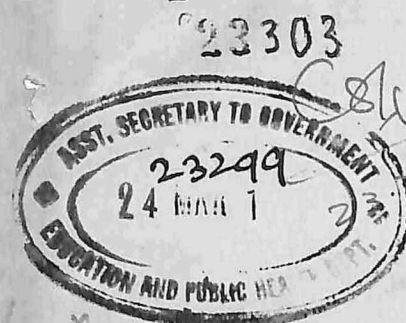
3. May be sent to Finance with refer to para 1

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Finance (Exp.B) Deptt.

(Last Finance note on p.15 above).

The file has been sent to this Department for remarks on the D.P.I.'s proposal in his letter on p.59 e.f. It is not clear why the amount should be drawn on pro-forma bills from the A.G.'s Office in advance, since the actual payment will be made only after the receipt of the films in good condition and to the



The D.P.I. may if necessary apply for a grant of funds in one course

The order is on p. 51 of.

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satisfaction of the Citizenship Special Officer.

Apparently the intention seems to be to prevent lapse of funds. If so, it is opposed to Art.39, M.F.C. Vol. I and Finance cannot agree to it. Finance may suggest that it is sufficient if the amount is drawn after the actual receipt of the films and paid to the

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A draft memo. is subd. below for approval.

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I hope there will be no difficulty in making the same amount available by reappropriation for expenditure in the next financial year. While this may be done, steps may be taken to do so.

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15 / [Issued as Memo no. 60241/48-9 Edn. dt. 26.3.49] pp 63-64

Please see the orders issued in memo.

Chol: Memo. 60241/48-9 Edn., dated 26.3.49, on page 63-64.
As the financial year 1948-49 has closed it seems unnecessary to await
order. The D.P.S. reply to para 2 of the Memo on pages 63-64.

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will be taken when on receipt of the D.P.S.
reply. The file may now be closed as per~~

~~48-3 Edn. dt. 19.2.49. If any further proposals
are submitted by the D.P. I., they may be considered
on receipt.~~

Orders regarding A' and B' on page 15 ante
are being included in the draft in the top file.

No further action is necessary in
this file. May be closed with the Co. on page 51.

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