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[Despatch Abstract.]

Schools - Secondary Pandits and munshis - Caldwell High School - Sri T. G. Sundaram, Senior Tamil Pandit - grant revised scale of pay - Approved.

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From

J. G. Sundaram,
Senior Tamil Pandit,
Caldwell High School,
Tuticorin.

To

The Hon. Minister for Education,
Government of Madras,
Madras.

Through

The Headmaster and Correspondent,
Caldwell High School, Tuticorin.

Honoured Sir,

I beg to bring the following to your benign consideration and favourable disposal.

I have been working in Caldwell High School, Tuticorin, as Senior Tamil Pandit for 18 (eighteen) long years. Ever since 1923 I have been a Tamil Pandit. I am not able to make both ends meet with the existing scale of pay that I am now receiving. Men of my educational qualifications have not secured proper consideration in the recent classification of the Pandits into three separate grades. The Management also are of opinion that any increase in pay would not be possible without definite orders from the Government.

The Tamil Pandits Association of Madras represented to the Government the inadequate pay of Pandits in February 1948. The Government have issued in reply to the representation a memorandum No. 13652-B1/48 Education, dated 2-9-1948. The Association demanded that a Tamil Pandit of more than 15 years service with S.S.L.C. qualification may be placed on a par with L.Ts. with regard to scale of pay. The Government's reply to that on 2-9-1948 runs thus:

"The Government consider that the cases of such Pandits should be considered individually on their merits and that no general orders need be issued in the matter".

While thanking the Government for their reply, I beg to add that I have passed one of the Pandit's Examination of the Madura Tamil Sangam. Besides, I am a Secondary Grade Trained Teacher since 1915. I have also undergone Pandit's Training in the Oriental Training College at Chidambaram in 1930 and passed it in the First Class. I have been a Tamil Pandit since 1923 and I am an author of many Tamil books and treatises.

Hence I humbly request your honour to consider my case individually and put me on a par with L.Ts. and pay me accordingly.

With thanks in anticipation of a favourable reply,

I beg to remain,
Honoured Sir,
Yours very faithfully,

Tuticorin,
30-9-1948.

Forwarded and recommended that this is a fit case for special consideration and passing of separate orders permitting the Management to place the petitioner on a par with L.Ts. in the matter of pay and allowance.

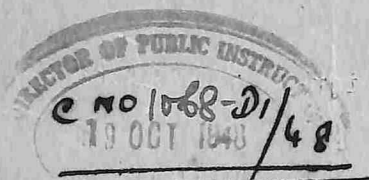
Even as a Secondary Grade Trained teacher Mr. Sundaram is eligible for a maximum of Rs. 85/-. But according to the classification of Pandits he can be placed only in the grade of 45 - 2 - 85. This will be a serious injustice to him in view of his long service and ripe scholarship. From the point of view of Tamil Scholarship and teaching ability

he is distinctly superior even to Vidvans with Oriental titles.

Ramabharathi

Headmaster & Correspondent,
Caldwell High School,
Tuticorin. 30-8-1948.

Copy submitted to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.



Education & Public Health.

(B.) Department.

Endorsement No. 73943 B1/48-1 Edn. d/17-10-48.

Referred to the Director of Public Instruction

for ~~very~~ early remarks.

(By order.)

K. Ramaswami
Asst. Secretary to Govt.

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To
The Director of Public Instruction.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS.
R.O C.No.No.1068 D1/48 dated 3--2--1949.

Sub: Revised scales of pay - Sri J.G. Sundaram Senior
Tamil Pandit - Caldwell High School, Tuticorin.
REF: Government Endt.No.73943-B1/48-dated 17-10-48.

RESUBMITTED.

2. The case of the Pandit is recommended as a special case
with reference to the last paragraph of Government Memorandum
No.13652-B1/48-3 Education dated 2--9--1948.

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K. Ramaswami
for Director of Public Instruction.

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

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be approved. The draft overleaf may be sent to Finance for acceptance.

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FIN (F. II)

The letter from to S.P.I. on p. 3 of with to ~~amendment~~ petition from Sri. T. G. Sundaram. Section 2 and Part on pp. 1-2 of may be perused. The draft order overleaf may be accepted. Subject to the alterations indicated in *[illegible]* therein. (The alterations have been suggested with reference to the order issued in para 1 of No. 367 dated 12.2.49 *[illegible]* of (i)).

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The alterations indicated by Finance Dept. may be ~~carried~~ ^{may be accepted} in the draft. The draft as altered may be issued.

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