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G.O. No. 1278.

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Sub TEXT Book Committee - Madras - Members
Extension of Term - Orders passed.

SUBJECT.

Text Book Committee - Madras - Nominated Members - Extension of Membership.

Station: Madras.

C.No. 33/50 T.B.C., Dated 7-4-1950.

6320 From (Name) Sri D.S.Reddi, M.A., (Oxon),
(Designation) Director of Public Instruction,
M A D R A S.

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

Sir,

The term of office of the members of the Text Book Committee appointed in G.O. No. Ms. 2045 Edn., dated 22-9-'47, for a period of three years from 1-4-'47, expired on 31-3-'50.

For the reasons explained below, I consider it desirable, to extend the term of office of the outgoing members of the Text Book Committee by two months ie., April and May 1950.

Owing to the late publication of the syllabuses in the several subjects of the reorganized course of studies in Secondary Schools in addition to the press difficulties partly due to the cyclonic havoc during October 1949, in Andhra Desa, the publishers were given extended time for submitting books for the consideration of the Text Book Committee. Owing to the receipt of a very large number of books at a late stage, the Text Book Committee was not able to dispose of all the books at its meeting held in February 1950. Hence the Chairmen of the several Sub-Committees have been authorized to dispose of all the pending books that were received for consideration by the Text Book Committee at its meeting held in February 1950, based upon the opinion of the members who scrutinized the books.

2. Further, the new syllabus in English for Forms I to VI was published only in December 1949, and publishers should be given time at least till the end of April 1950 to bring out books based upon the revised syllabus which will be in force from 1950-51. Books in English based upon the newly revised syllabus have to be considered by the Text Book Committee and a list of approved books notified for the guidance of the heads of schools before the schools reopen in June next. It will take sometime for the reconstitution of the committee.

Hence to dispose the pending books and to review the English books based upon the revised syllabus to be received from the publishers, I recommend that the term of members of the Text Book Committee appointed in 1947 be extended upto the end of May 1950.

In anticipation of Government Order, I am sending the books to the members of the Text Book Committee. A similar extension was granted in G.O. No. 1383 Ms. Edn., dated 14-10-'43.

I request that orders of the Government may be obtained as early as possible.

Sd/- S. S. Sankaranarayanan
8.4.50.

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

(Sd/- C.F.)

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The G.O. referred at 'A' above has since been called for from M.R.O. Now its receipt may be awaited till 14.4.50.

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Read again G.O. 2045 Edu d 22.9.47 and G.O. No. 2124 Edu d 2.7.49

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From the P.P.I. C.No. 33/50. T.B.C. d 7.4.50.

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G.O. (Ces) No. 1278 Edu d 20-4-50

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The P.P.I.
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In the circumstances stated, the Govt. accept the recommendation of the P.P.I. that the term of office of the present members of the Madras Test-Book Committee be extended ^{by his order i.e.} up to the 31st May 1950.

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M and W' in p1cf

Note: For the reasons stated by the P.P.I. in his letter on p1cf, his proposal to extend the period of the term of office of the present members of the Test-Book Committee up to 31-5-50 may be approved by the Govt. Please see G.O. 1383 Edu d 14/10/43 put up at (C), granting such an extension of the terms of office of the Members.

The draft order above is for approval.

~~Finance Secy see v.o. for acceptance.~~

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