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G. O. Ms. No. 1471 Edm

11-5-1950.

Abstract

Govt. Press - Reorganisation - Temporary
post of Despatch Manager - Permanent
Retention - Proposals of the S.G.P. Mr
Approved

Cro 1461 Edm 14-10-49.

fact

fact that this post of Despatch Manager is the only temporary post in this category which has been in existence for over five years as defined in para 3 of G.O.No.780 Finance dated 19-7-1949, I request that Government may be pleased to reconsider the question and to pass orders favourably for the permanent retention of the post and to confirm the present Despatch Manager in the post as he has been holding the post without interruption ever since it was created in October 1942.

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R. L. A. Dignia
12.9.49.

Superintendent.

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APPENDIX.

PUBLICATIONS:- Free distribution of all publications such as Acts, Bills, Codes, Manuals, Rules, Correction slips, Establishment lists, Administration Reports etc. The distribution lists which are several in number for each publication priced and those issued for official use only has to be maintained in accordance with sanctions from time to time. The number of copies of free issues of priced publications alone - Provincial and Government of India - supplied during the year 1948-49 was 2,34,131 and their value is Rs 60,532-4-9. During the half year ending 30-6-1949 over 300 publications have been distributed and nearly 1,200 currentts were received and disposed of - vide particulars below:-

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF STATISTICS SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PUBLICATIONS AND CURRENTTS RECEIVED IN THE P.C. SEAT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31ST DECEMBER 1941 (PREWAR PERIOD) AND FOR 1947 AND 1948 (POSTWAR PERIOD).

1. PUBLICATIONS.

Number received for the quarter ending 31st December 1941.	..	98
Number received for the quarter ending 31st December 1947.	..	118
Number received for the quarter ending 31st December 1948.	..	151
Half year ending June 1949	..	317

2. CURRENTTS.

Number received for the quarter ending 31st December 1941	..	264
Number received for the quarter ending 31st December 1947	..	396
Number received for the quarter ending 31st December 1948	..	555
Half year ending June 1949	..	1,206

FORT ST. GEORGE GAZETTE:- Apart from the Gazette Extra-ordinaries that are very frequently issued, weekly gazettes have to be distributed to all officials including members of the Legislature and subscribers. The distribution list and the subscribers' register has to be maintained up-to-date and these are subject to audit by the Accountant General. The weekly units of distribution (as it stood on 16-8-1949) being 2140 for subscribers and 1685 for officials. For the half year ending 30-6-1949, over 1,000 currentts have been received and disposed of apart from 1572 money orders and 177 chalans for remittances made vide statement below:-

FORT ST. GEORGE GAZETTE.

I. No. of currentts received and disposed of including R.Vs. & chalans -

1944-45	..	3627
1945-46	..	4912
1946-47	..	6135
1947-48	..	7287
1948-49 upto 31-7-49	-	11471

II. No. of Gazette Extraordinaries issued.

1944	20
1945	58
1946	69
1947	70
1948	106
1949 upto 31-7-49	45

III. <u>Distribution.</u>	<u>1946</u>	<u>1949.</u>
No. of subscribers	1697	2140
Officials free	1443	1685

PRESS PAPERS:- Distribution of all Press Communiques papers placed at the disposal of the Press, including Administration Reports, Budget publications and distribution of M.L.A. and M.L.C. Proceedings. For the half year ending 30-6-1949 over 130 kinds were distributed and 168 currents were received and disposed.

LAW REPORTS:- Distribution of the monthly issues to all officials and subscribers in the Presidency. These reports are also supplied to officials and subscribers in the other Provinces including the High Commissioner for India and Burma Government. During the half year ending 30-6-1949 over 430 currents were received and disposed.

RUBBER STAMPS:- With the multiplication of new offices and fresh activities of Government, the indents in this respect are heavily increasing. The indents have to be scrutinized carefully and eligibility for supply has to be watched and accounts to be maintained for stamps supplied to local bodies. Besides, statements for all those manufactured and materials used for production has to be maintained for the costing accounts of the department. During the official 1948-49 6139 currents were received and disposed, over 1700 indents were placed for the manufacture of Rubber stamps and pads and supplies made to over 1500 units. For the half year ending 30-6-49, over 3,400 currents were received and disposed of, 1025 indents prepared and 4909 stamps were supplied during the same period.

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46/2, Paramananda Mudali Street,
Seven Wells,
G.T. Madras, 15th December 1949.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, M A D R A S.

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The Superintendent,
Government Press, M A D R A S.

Sir,

GOVERNMENT PRESS - Despatch Manager -
Temporary - Permanent retention -
G.O. No.780 Fin., dated 19-7-1949 -
ad hoc measure.

Having rendered over 35 years of loyal service, including WAR service, I retired on superannuation from 22nd November 1949. I was holding the post of Despatch Manager (temporary) from October 1942 and on the date of my retirement I was drawing Rs.155/- in that post in the grade of Rs.140-190, my substantive post being Upper Division Clerk on Rs.80-110/110.

2. Ever since the creation of the post of Despatch Manager (October 1942), I was supervising the duties of clerks dealing with the supply of Fort St. George Gazette, Madras Law Reports, Madras Legislative Council and Assembly Reports, all official publications issued by the Government of Madras including Codes, Manuals, Rules, Acts, etc., Press communiques, E. T. Papers, Administration Reports and work connected with the manufacture and supply of rubber stamps. The Permanent staff attached for performing the above work is:--

Upper Division Clerk Rs.80-110	(1) Senior Gazette Clerk
- do -	- do - (1) Publication Clerk.
Lower Division Clerk Rs.45-90	(1) Junior Gazette Clerk
- do -	- do - (1) Rubber Stamp Clerk
- do -	- do - (1) Law Report Clerk.
- do -	- do - (1) Press Paper Clerk

Total ... 6 (exclusive of Attenders and Peons).

3. In addition to the work referred to above, I was also

also in charge of the temporary establishment sanctioned for work connected with the rationing and controls, Grow More Food Journals and Schemes, Publicity Pamphlets and journals, Womens Welfare, Fire Services, Savings Scheme etc., etc.

4. On account of the abnormal increase in the volume of work referred to in para 2 above, direct supervision and control was found necessary and proposals for the permanent retention of the post of Despatch Manager was submitted to Government vide correspondence resting with Superintendent, Government Press's letter dated 12-9-1949. The Re-trenchment and Re-corganization Committee have gone into the question and the proposals for retrenchment in the Government Press have been dropped vide G.O. No.2914 Education, dated 19-9-1949.

5. The Superintendent, Government Press has forwarded my pension papers to the Accountant General, Madras sanctioning only a pension of Rs.58-1-0, on the basis of my substantive post of Upper Division Clerk on Rs.80-110. I have been holding the post of Despatch Manager for over 7 years and even after the issue of orders in G.O. No.780 Finance dated 19-7-1949, I had to retire on a pension which bears no proportion over the pay drawn by me in the post of Despatch Manager, although the G.O. contemplates specific relief to present temporary Government servants as an ad hoc measure.

6. I submit, that the duties of Despatch Manager are of a permanent nature, vide para 2 above and are absolutely required for dealing with the day to day administration of the Government of Madras and should not therefore be construed that the post and the duties performed, though originally created for work of a

temporary

temporary nature, are liable for contraction in as much as the permanent retention of the post has been approved by Government in the Re-organization Scheme of the Government Press and has not been affected by the final orders regarding 12½ per cent cut in staff-vide G.O. No.2914 Education, dated 19-9-1949.

7. I pray that Government would be pleased to give me the benefits of the orders issued in G.O. No.780, Finance dated 19-7-1949 and to grant me pension, in the post of Despatch Manager on Rs.140-190/155 in consideration of the fact,

(a) that I have been holding the post for over 7 years and dealing with the normal work of Government,

(b) that the post is the only one temporary post in the particular category in existence for over 5 years as detailed in the last sentence of para 3 of G.O. 780 Fin., dated 19-7-1949.

(c) That the staff referred to in para 2 above are all borne on the Permanent Establishment of the Government Press and all are essential for performing the duties attached to each post for running the administration and that the post of Despatch Manager is necessary to supervise the staff and work

(d) and last, but not the least, that I have put in long and honoured service including WAR service and maintained exemplary discipline and high pitch

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of efficiency, approved and appreciated not only by the successive Superintendents of the Press but also by other departments of the Government.



Yours faithfully,

R. cum alivari
Despatch Manager (Retired),
GOVERNMENT PRESS, MADRAS.

Copy most respectfully submitted to the Hon'ble the Minister for Education, Fort St. George, Madras.

Government Press,

Endt.No.D.M/SBC/49-50 dated 30th December 1949.

Forwarded.

The petitioner's case has been recommended to Government with full details in this office letter No.D.M/SBC dated 12-9-1949 for which orders are awaited. I have no further remarks to offer than what has been already stated.

Madras,
30-12-49.

Superintendent.

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

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The question of permanent retention of the post of Despatch Manager in the Govt. Press has been referred to the Spl. Officer for remarks. No separate action is called for on this. This may be added to the connected papers.

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EPH/C2

Sub: Govt. Press - Reorganisation - Temporary post of Despatch Manager - Permanent retention of.
Ref: From the S.G.P. No. D.M/S.B.C. 8/2.9.49.

Memo. No. 70729C2/49-4 Edm 8 5.1.1950.

In his letter cited, the S.G.P. has requested that the post of Despatch Manager in the Govt. Press might be confirmed retrospectively w.e.f. October 1942 the date from which the post was originally sanctioned. It is observed that the post was originally sanctioned in connection with the publication of war pamphlets, war reviews etc. The post and had to be continued on account of the creation of various new offices and consequent increase in the despatch work in the Govt. Press. The Special Officer for Reorganisation of the Govt. Press is requested to examine whether the nature of the post is such that its permanent retention is justifiable even though it might have

It is noted that the post of Despatch Manager is also sanctioned in connection with the publication of war pamphlets, war reviews etc. The post and had to be continued on account of the creation of various new offices and consequent increase in the despatch work in the Govt. Press. The Special Officer for Reorganisation of the Govt. Press is requested to examine whether the nature of the post is such that its permanent retention is justifiable even though it might have

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been created during the period of war along with other purely temporary war service posts and submit this report to Govt. at an early date.

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To The Collector of
Madras
Special Officer for
Reorganisation of
Govt. Press,
Madras.

(Signature)

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File in section

Srl: Govt. Press. Reorganisation - Temporary
post of Despatch Manager - Permanent Retention of
Ref: Govt. memo. No. 70729 Cr/49-4 Edmd 51/50.

Memo. No. 70729 E/49-5 Edmd 14.3.50.

The Special Officer for Reorganisation
is requested to state when a reply to the reference cited
may be expected.

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To

The Special Officer for
Reorganisation
Govt. Press.

(another below)

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C.No.8/50-S.O.



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

Sir,

Sub: Government Press - Re-organisation - Temporary
post of Despatch Manager - Permanent retention
of.

Ref: Government Memorandum No.70729-02/49-4, Edn.,
dated 5th January 1950 and reminder dated
14th March 1950.

File in section

The remarks called for in the Government Memorandum
cited above will be submitted in a fortnight.

Edn/E.

*The reply from the Spt.
Office may be awaited till
24.5.50.*

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V.V. Subramanian
22/3/50.
Special Officer
for
Re-organisation of
Govt. Press, Madras.
22/3/50

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT PRESS, MADRAS.

No.D.M-1/SBC/49-50.

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Dated 25th March 1950

From

Janab R. Siddique,
Superintendent, Government Press,
Mint Buildings, M A D R A S.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Fort St. George, M A D R A S.

Sir,

Sub: Petition dated 15th December 1949 from Sri M.
Kannabiran Pillai, retired Despatch Manager,
Government Press, Madras - Enhancement of
pension.

Ref: This office Endt. No.D.M/SBC.49-50 dated 30-12-1949.

p.s ante The petitioner's case is pending consideration by
Government (vide this office Endt.No.D.M/SBC/49-50 dated 30-12-1949
for which orders of Government are awaited.

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R. Siddique
28.3.50
Superintendent.

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p.1 ante
Sub. Petition - ^{Si} M. Kammabiram Pillai.
Rets. Despatch Manager. Govt. Press - Enhancement
of Pension.

Ref: from the S.G.P. no. D.M.1/SBC/490
25-3-50.

E/S
Memo. No. 5156 Edm & 31-3-50

The S.G.P. is informed that
the matter is still under ~~the~~ consideration of Govt.

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The S.G.P.
Madras

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From
Sri V.V. Subramanian, I.C.S.,
Special Officer for the re-organisation
of the Government Press, Madras.

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



No. 8/50 dated 20-4-1950.

Sir,

Sub:- Government Press - Re-organisation - Temporary post of
Despatch Manager - Permanent retention of - report - submitted.

p.1 ante Ref:- Government Memorandum No. 70729-C2/49-4 Edn. dated 5-1-1950.

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I have examined the work being done in the Despatch Manager's
Section. This Section is mainly dealing with the despatch of the
Fort St. George Gazette and the District Gazettes, and publications,
like the Grow More Food Journal, the Indian Law Reports, Ration
Forms, etc. There is another Section, which attends to the
despatch of Standardised Forms. This Section is under a Head
Despatcher. Prima facie, it seems to me that there is no need
for two despatching Sections and that they can be merged into one,
with one Section Head. I will be examining this question shortly,
and shall be making proposals. In the meanwhile, I think that
there is no necessity to make the Despatch Manager's post permanent,
and I submit that the proposal may be negatived.

V.V. Subramanian
20.4.50.

Special Officer for the re-
organisation of the Govt. Press.

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Edm/E

Sub: Govt. Press - Reorganisation - Temporary
post of Despatch Manager - Permanent retention - Proposal
of the S.G.P. - Not approved

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Ref: From the S.G.P. No. D.M/SBC & 12.9.49.
From the S.O. for the Reorganisation of the
Govt. Press. A.C. No. 8/50 & 20.4.50.

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Order / Ms. No. 1471 Edm. & 11-5-50.

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The Govt. see no sufficient reason
to reconsider the order in para. 2. of G.O. No. 2021 Edm &
24.6.49. ^{Declining} They decline to make the post of Despatch Manager
permanent in the Govt. Press. Madras.

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The S.G.P. Madras
Copy to the Spd. Officer
for the Reorganisation
of the Govt. Press Madras
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C. No. 70729 C2/49.

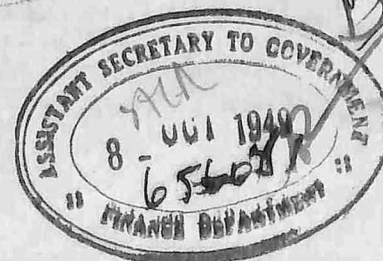
Govt. Press - Temporary post of Despatch Manager - Permanent retention of .

Ref: From the S.G.P. D.M/S.B.C. dated 12-9-1949.

The S.G.P. requests that the post of General Despatch Manager, in the Govt. Press may be confirmed retrospectively with effect from October 1942 the date in which the post was originally sanctioned. The details of the work done by the Infor^{nation} & Publicity ~~dept.~~ ^{section} and attached to the Despatch Manager are given in the appendix on page 3-5 cf. Besides supervising the duties of clerks attached to the Information and Publicity^{section}, the Despatch Manager is also in charge of work connected with the Rationing Control, Grow More Food, etc., and the necessity for the permanent retention of the post seems to have been made out by the S.G.P. The post has been in existence for over 6½ years. Please see notes on p 3-4 of G.O. 20212 on 24.6.49.

2. Attention is invited to para 2 & 3 of G.O. 780 Fin. dated 19-7-49. The present holder of the post is to retire from service on superannuation from 21-11-49 and he has been continuous charge of the post since its creation in 1942. The scale of the post of Despatch Manager is Rs. 140-5-190 and his permanent post carries a pay of Rs 110 only. It will be a hardship if the present holder of the post is made to retire ^{from} his permanent post on Rs 110 ignoring his service as temporary Despatch manager for over 6½ years. It is therefore submitted that the post of Despatch Manager may be made permanent retrospectively from October 1942.

The remarks of Finance may be invited.



S.P.H. V.D. 70729 C2/49-1
8.10.49

above was of E.P.H. may be perused. That deptt may be requested to put up in the first instance, the original G.O. in which the post was

Finance (E.P.H.)

was first sanctioned and the subsequent
G.O's in which the post was continued,
for a proper examination of the case. It may
be examined whether the nature of the post is such that it
permanent nature is justifiable even though it
might have been created during the period of war along
with other purely temporary war service posts - cf.
para 5 of R.S.G. P's Rpt. -

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Fin. no. 6568/E.W.)

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Place as the Finance note
on H-1-2 supra.

= The post of Despatch
Manager was originally sanctioned in
Go. 1461 Dm of 14.10.42 & it is ©
being continued on a temporary
basis. The post was merged in
the reorganisation scheme sanctioned
in Go. 823 Dm of 8.4.48. ↑ 38 cf
↑ 90 (2)
though the post was originally
sanctioned in connection with the
publication of war leaflets, war review
etc., the post had to be continued
in account of the creation of various
new offices and the consequent
supply of registers & forms to
be following as set out below:-

↑ 2 cf
7 (2)

1. Procurement - Rationing
 2. Transport
 3. Petrol Rationing, Prohibition
 4. Motor Vehicles, Fire Services
 5. J.W.C.C. - Small Savings
- It also deals with many
other duties which may
be said to be practically
permanent. Further, the Despatch
Manager has been in place
since the change of permanent work
done by the printing works
deciding with the following:

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Law Reports; Publications;
Press Paper; Rubber Stamp.
The nature of the duties of these
departments which the Despatch
Manager has to supervise
have been set out in para.
10-15 of the S.G.P. letter
No 40/Ms/47 of 24.1.47
The Despatch Manager
also supervises the work of
supply of non-standard
forms, registers etc, distribution
of the Government Publications
Dept., Women's Welfare
Agriculture

H-8-10 cf
7 (2)

↑ 8 cf - (U)

Vin. Fin. note
with 2-3 nts
- (U)

3 Thus the Despatch
Manager is not in sole charge
of temporary work just as
Shankar Rationing & the Control
(Fms) Committee. His
major work of supervision
pertains to duties of a

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 from our machine.
 In the circumstances, this dept. may request Finance to sanction the permanent retention of the post. The file may be sent to Finance.



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Finance (E.II) EPHVD.70729C/L-2
 29.10.49

(See Finance note on pp 1-2 above)

The proposal in the file relates to the permanent retention of the post of General Despatch Manager in the Govt Press Madras with retrospective effect from October 1942. The notes of E.P.H. from the middle of page 2 above may be perused.

The post of the Despatch Manager in question was originally sanctioned in G.O. No. 1461 Edn dated 14-10-42 in connection with the publication of war leaflets, war reviews etc. The post was continued from time to time to cope with the work connected with the output of various forms and registers in connection with the Procurement and Rationing and other miscellaneous schemes set out below:-

- civil Supplies (Procurement and Rationing) Statutory and Informal, Rice, Sugar, cloth etc)
- Transport
- Petrol Rationing, Prohibition
- Motor Vehicles, Madras Fire Service
- Madras Fire Service
- S.W.C.C., Paper control, cloth control etc

of P. 2.4 of
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 H.P. 3.4.40

Though it is stated that the Despatch Manager is supervising the work of some other clerks also, yet the depts mentioned at A on p 4 above and the work connected with them are admittedly of a temporary nature. When the work relating to various controls mentioned therein are lifted or abolished, the printing and distribution of forms, registers with engraving which now seem to occupy the major work in the despatch section will certainly be decreased. The proposal therefore does not seem to satisfy the condition mentioned at X on p 1 of the G.O. at (P), for the permanent retention of temporary posts - of also this dept's rule on pp 4-5 N.F. of the G.O. at (U). No fresh arguments have now been adduced for a reconsideration of the view mentioned therein. In the circumstances I may advise strongly against the proposal.

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(F) It clearly does not
 (U) 31/11/49

Fin. no 73085 E.II
 31/11/49 E.P.H.

E.P.H.

Please see this dept's note on p. 2.4 ante in which it is a case has been made out for the permanent retention of the post of Despatch Manager. Although it is written in the S.P. letter on pp 1-2 of. It seems curious that a post which has been continuously in existence for the last 10 yrs. and has been created by the S.G.P. in this dept. necessary for the normal work of the Despatch dept. is not regarded by the Finance dept. as satisfying the criterion

Finance may see before issue

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(Pre finance rate on p 7 above)

She rules following, ^{and the} ~~maybe~~
~~peruse~~ draft order below may be perused and
 the case returned to Edm. dept.

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A circular stamp from the Assistant Secretary to Government, Finance Department. The text "ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT" is curved along the top, and "FINANCE DEPARTMENT" is curved along the bottom. In the center, the date "2 MAY 1980" is stamped, with a handwritten "R" above it. Below the date, the number "31555" is stamped, followed by a handwritten checkmark.

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The draft order may issue -

Ref. to his minute on p. 6

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From Janab R. Siddique,
Superintendent,
Government Press, Madras.
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To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

No. Estt. Gr.II/171464-51, dated 29-1-1951.

NO. 1500

Sir,

Sub: Petition dated 15-12-1949 from Sri M. Kannabiran Pillai, Retired Despatch Manager, Government Press, Madras - enhancement of pension. **p 8 of (D)**

Ref: This Office Endt.No. D.N./SBC/49-50, dated 30-12-1949 and Reminder letter No. SBC-3/33904-50, dated 25-3-1950 and Government Memo.No. 5156-F/50 Edn., dated 31-3-50. **p 16 of (D)**

ARTMENT **p 15 of (D)**

I request that Government may be pleased to expedite orders, as the case has been pending for over an year.

R. Sid di gne
30.1.51.
Superintendent.

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C. No. 40409/57

p. 1 cf.



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The Supt. Govt. Press
Madras

S.G.P. on p. 1 cf.

Note: Please see the letter from the
As the post of it has been decided
p. 1 cf. in C.O. 1471 Edn. of 11.5.50 not to return the post of

Edm/E.

Sub: Govt. Press - Sri. M. Kammabram

Pillai. Despatch Manager - Enhancement of Pension

Ref: From the S.G.P. No. Edn. G. 11/

171464/57 dated 29.1.57.

Memo. No. 4040 E/57 - 1 Edn dated 14.2.57

place (D)

The attention of the S.G.P.
is invited to G.O. Ms. No. 1471 Edn. dated
11.5.50. In the circumstances the Govt. propose
to take ~~no~~ further action in the matter.

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Despatch Manager in the Govt. Press on a permanent basis, the question of grant of enhanced rate of pension to Sri. Kannabhiram Pillai. Despatch Manager was not permitted further.

The draft memo. above is for approval

10/12/57.

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