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Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
New Delhi 3, the ~~8th~~ 9th March, 1950.
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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13 MAR 1950
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From

The Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of
India.

To

Education Deptts. of all Govts. of States.

SUBJECT: GOVT. OF INDIA SCHOLARSHIPS TO STUDENTS FROM ABROAD FOR STUDIES IN INDIA -

Sir,

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I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No. F.56/45/49.AI, dated the 11th August, 1949 on the above subject, and to state that as the main purpose of bringing the foreign students to India is to promote cultural relations and foster better understanding between India and the neighbouring countries, it is essential that the sojourn of these students in India is made as fruitful and pleasant as possible, and that they carry back to their homes the feelings of respect for Indian culture and civilization.

You will appreciate that if the students are not properly looked after while they are here and are not provided with adequate facilities for and opportunities of seeing places of interest during their vacations and other holidays and of coming into social contacts, the whole purpose of the scheme of Scholarships to foreign students will be defeated. The Govt. of India, therefore, attach much importance to this aspect of supervision and welfare of the scholars, and therefore, stressed its need particularly in paras 9 and 10 of this Ministry's letter referred to above, wherein it was suggested that notwithstanding your pre-occupations, a senior member of your staff might be entrusted with the responsibility of taking care of and looking after the welfare of the foreign scholars admitted to your University/Institution. He would be directly incharge of and responsible for :-

(a) Reception of the students on arrival in India to join their respective University/Institution;

(b) Advice and guidance on all matters concerning the work and welfare of these students;

(c) Arrangements for suitable food and accommodation of the students.

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(d) Arrangements for social contacts

- (i) arrangements for lodging of these students during vacations and other holidays with Indian families, and
- (ii) encouraging contacts between them and the general public and consequential promotion of friendly feelings;

(e) Arrangements for sight seeing tours of these students during vacations and other holidays i.e. planning of holidays of these students in such a way that they should see the maximum number of historical and other places of interest during their stay in India;

(f) To encourage the students to take part in healthy extra curricular activities, taking due care that these students are kept away from undesirable political influence;

(g) Such students, especially those from East Africa, as desired to supplement their income in India, may be provided with jobs during vacations, e.g. typing, accounting, work in machine shops and industrial concerns, and the like, so that they may earn some pocket money, that would go a long-way in making their stay in this country comfortable.

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As the Govt. of India are very anxious that the students who are selected under the scheme must utilize this opportunity to the fullest extent it would be much appreciated if the welfare officer (i.e. the senior member of your staff designated for the welfare of the foreign students) be kindly asked to furnish to this Ministry quarterly reports particularly on the following points :-

(1) Arrangements for food and residential accommodation;

(2) Arrangements for social contacts,

(3) Tours arranged for holidays and vacations.

(4) Placing of the foreign students with Indian families.

The Govt. of India earnestly hope that you would kindly give all possible assistance and cooperation for the welfare work of these students so that on return to their respective countries these students should look back upon the time spent by them in their studies in India with satisfaction and they should carry with them pleasant

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impressions of their present contacts and experiences in this country.

Yours faithfully,

DK Hingorani

for Deputy Secretary.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

No.F.101-1/50 A.1 (S)
Government of India.
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi, the 9th March 1950.

From

P.N. Kirpal Esq., M.A. (Oxon) LL.B.,
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To

1. The Vice-Chancellors, All Indian Universities.
2. The Education Department of all State Governments.

Subject:- AWARD OF GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SCHOLARSHIPS TO INDIAN AND INDIGENOUS STUDENTS FROM OTHER COMMONWEALTH AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES FOR STUDIES IN INDIA - PROVISION OF FACILITIES.

Sir,

(a) 1-30/f

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No.F.56-9/49 A.1 dated the 7th May 1949, on the above subject, and to state that the Government of India have decided to continue the Scheme of Scholarships in 1950, and to award 70 scholarships to foreign students for studies in India this year. A copy of the confidential letter addressed to the Government of India's Representatives abroad is enclosed for your information.

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The Government of India greatly appreciate the co-operation and assistance rendered by all the State Governments, Universities and Institutions for the successful implementation of the Scheme last year, with the result that even though due to certain unavoidable reasons the Scheme was finalised at a late stage, almost all the students selected under the Scheme were duly admitted and hostel accommodation provided. This year the Scheme has been finalised in good time, and the applications have been invited by the 15th March 1950, so that there will be time for the selection and placement of the foreign students in Indian Universities and other Institutions.

As the successful implementation of the Scheme entirely depends on the co-operation and assistance of the Provincial and State Governments, Universities and other Institutions, it is hoped that you will kindly extend once again your fullest co-operation in the execution of this Scheme, which has been welcomed not only by

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the countries benefitted by it but also by the outside world generally, and which has yielded fruitful results in developing cultural and friendly relations between the foreign countries and India.

The scholarships under the Scheme will be awarded for studies in the Arts and Humanities, Science, Agriculture, Medicine, Technology, Education and Law. While the Government of India fully appreciate that the Indian Universities and Institutions, particularly the Engineering, Medical and other Technical Institutions, where the training facilities are extremely limited, are already overcrowded, they nevertheless hope that you will kindly do your best to accommodate such students selected under the Scheme for whom admission is sought at your institution. At present the details of courses of study to be taken up by selected scholars are not available, and it is not possible to indicate the number of seats required to be reserved at the University/Institutions under your control for the foreign students; it is, however, requested that when the applications are forwarded to you, these may kindly be given priority in granting admission and arranging hostel accommodation.

It need hardly be emphasised that the success of the Scheme will largly depend on the extent to which we can make their stay in the country comfortable and congenial. The main problem in this connection appears to be that of providing suitable lodging and boarding facilities for these students. We have no doubt that you will kindly appreciate the importance of this aspect of the Scheme and offer the selected foreign students the best possible facilities in this connection. We would be grateful if you would let this Ministry know at your earliest the lodging and boarding arrangements that you propose to make for them and the expenses per month that would be involved in respect of each scholar.

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In this connection it may be mentioned that there will be varying academic standards in the countries included in the Scheme, and in many cases it may not be easy to establish any exact equivalence between standards in foreign countries and those prevailing in Indian Universities and Institutions. As the main purpose of the Scheme is to promote cultural relations and to encourage students from the countries concerned to have an opportunity of acquainting themselves with our country and civilisation, it would be appreciated if all foreign students are admitted as far as possible and only the minimum qualifications for admission are kept in view and if necessary, relaxed in special cases.

Having regard to the objects of the Scheme, the Govt. of India attach the utmost importance to the welfare arrangements of their students. In this connection a copy of the letter addressed to the various Principals etc. is enclosed for your information. The Govt. of India would be grateful for your co-operation and assistance in implementing the requests contained in that letter.

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In view of the importance of the Scheme, the Govt. of India have decided to continue it in the year 1950, inspite of severe financial stringency, but the budget provision has been prepared on the presumption that the Universities and Other Institutions would waive capitation fees for all students selected under the Scheme, irrespective of whether they are of Indian origin or indigenous students from the countries concerned. It is hoped that you will kindly issue necessary instructions to all concerned for the exemption of these students from the payment of capitation fees.

Yours faithfully,
DK Hingorani
for Deputy Secretary.

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Copy (with 20 spare copies) with a copy of the confidential letter forwarded to:

(1) Ministry of States for onward transmission to all the States Government.

(2) Ministry of Health/Agriculture/Works, Mines and Power for necessary action so far as the institutions under their control are concerned.

(3) Copy with 10 spare copies to the Ministry of External Affairs.

By order,

DKHingorani

for Deputy Secretary.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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No. F.39-16/49-AFR.I

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

*New Delhi, the 10th January,* 1950

FROM

B. N. NANDA, ESQUIRE, B.A. (Hons.),
*Under Secretary to the Government of India.*

TO

1. The Consulate General of India in Indonesia, Batavia.
2. The First Secretary, Embassy of India in Nepal, Kathmandu.
3. The First Secretary, Embassy of India in China, Nanking.
4. The First Secretary, Embassy of India in Afghanistan, Kabul.
5. The First Secretary, Embassy of India in Iran, Tehran.
6. The Counsellor, Embassy of India in Egypt, Cairo.
7. The Secretary to His Excellency the High Commissioner for India in the Union of South Africa, Cape Town.
8. The Commissioner for the Government of India in British East Africa, Nairobi (Kenya).
9. The Representative to the Government of India in Malaya, India House, 31, Grange Road, Singapore.
10. The Counsellor, Indian Embassy in Burma, Randeria Building, Phayre Street, Rangoon.
11. The Secretary to His Excellency the High Commissioner for India in Ceylon, Ghaffoor Building (1st Floor), Main Street, Fort, Colombo. delet
12. The Second Secretary, Legation of India in Siam, Bangkok.

*13. The Political Officer in Sikkim, Gangtok, *via* Siliguri, West Bengal.

14. The Commissioner for the Government of India in Mauritius, Port Louis (Mauritius).
15. The Commissioner for the Government of India in Fiji, Suva.
16. The Commissioner for the Government of India in British West Indies, Port of Spain, Trinidad.
17. The First Secretary, Embassy of India in Turkey, Ankara.

†18. The First Secretary, Embassy of India in the Netherlands, Kasteel Oud-Wassenaer, The Hague.

19. The Consulate General of India in Philippines, Manilla.

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*For Bhutan and Tibet.

†For Surinam.

SUBJECT :—*Government of India's scholarships to Indian and indigenous students from other Commonwealth and Foreign countries for studies in India.*

SIR,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No. F.55-8/47-OSI, dated the 21st March, 1949 on the subject mentioned above, and to say that the Government of India have decided to continue the scheme of scholarships in 1950 and to award 70 scholarships in that year. A Memorandum of Instructions, which is self-explanatory, is enclosed.

2. Every effort will be made to secure admission for all the selected students, but in the event of sufficient seats not being available for all of them, or in the case of delay, preference will be given to the countries marked A, B and C below in that order :—

A. Indonesia, Ethiopia, Nepal, Afghanistan, Iran, Egypt, South Africa, East Africa, Ceylon, Malaya, Burma, Mauritius, Jamaica, Trinidad, British Guiana, Fiji Islands, Surinam.

B. Siam, Bhutan.

C. Philippines, Indo-China, Tibet, China, Turkey, Portuguese Colonial Africa.

3. For the purposes of selection the term "persons of Indian origin" should be interpreted to mean those whose parents actually originated from those parts of India which now comprise the Dominion of India.

As regards non-Muslim students whose parents originated from areas which now form part of the Dominion of Pakistan, their applications can be entertained provided that in consequence of the disturbances in Pakistan, their parents, if alive, or their relatives have shifted their residence to places within the territory of the Dominion of India. Non-Muslim students who originated from areas now comprised in the Dominion of Pakistan, who have no relatives in Pakistan at present, should also be considered as eligible for the scholarships provided they do not declare themselves as Pakistani nationals. The Government of India have received reports that many Muslims abroad have been declaring themselves as Pakistani nationals or of Pakistani origin in spite of the fact that most of them have originated from Indian dominion territory. Muslim students who, or whose parents, openly or by their actions, are owning allegiance to Pakistan or sympathising with Pakistan ideologies should not be recommended for the award of the scholarships, notwithstanding their Indian origin.

4. I am to request that the Government(s) of the country/countries to which you are accredited and to which the scheme extends, may kindly be apprised of the award of these scholarships by the Government of India, explaining the objects thereof, if not already done last time. Intimation of renewal of the scheme for 1950 may, however, be given.

5. With reference to paragraph 8 of the Memorandum of Instructions, it is left to you to devise such machinery for the selection of the candidates as you think fit in consultation with the local educational and other organisations. Whether an official representative of the Government of the country should be associated with the selection is also left to your discretion. Where however, no official representative of the local Government is associated with the selection steps must be taken, whether by unofficial consultation with the appropriate Government authority or otherwise, to verify the character and antecedents of the candidates recommended, so that persons of undesirable character, politically or otherwise, are not selected. It is considered however that the initiative in the matter of selection should be retained in our own hands and that a final decision must rest with the Government of India.

6. I am to explain that it is necessary that the applications of the candidates should reach the Government of India by the 15th March, 1950 at the latest, because it is on the basis of the applications that the question of admissions in our Universities etc., will have to be taken up.

7. Particular care may kindly be taken to ensure that the applications of the candidates are accompanied by the syllabus covered by them as required by paragraph 9 of the Memorandum.

*8. Necessary orders regarding the scholarship provided for Tibet will be issued separately.

†9. This has reference to the correspondence resting with this Ministry's D.O. No. D.1568/49-AFR.II, dated the 13th October, 1949. You might invite recommendations from the Netherlands Government and forward the same to this Ministry.

‡10. As far as possible, for one of the three scholarships a candidate from East Indonesia and Bali may be recommended. It is understood that the population of this area has strong cultural ties with India and the Government of India have received numerous requests from them for the grant of a scholarship.

Yours faithfully,

B. N. NANDA,

*Under Secretary.*

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No. F.39-16/49-AFR. I

Copy, with a copy of the enclosures, forwarded, for information, in continuation of this Ministry's Endorsement No. F.55-8/47-OSI, dated the 21st March, 1949 to all Indian Missions abroad, except those addressed above.

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By order,

B. N. NANDA,

*Under Secretary.*

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*Para. 8 for No. 13 only.

†Para. 9 for No. 18 only.

‡Para. 10 for No. 1 only.

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# MEMORANDUM OF INSTRUCTIONS

*Government of India's scheme for the award of scholarships for the promotion of cultural relations between Indian and Foreign countries.*

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In pursuance of their desire to promote cultural relations between India and foreign countries and provide whatever facilities are available in India to students of countries which are not so well-equipped in this respect, the Government of India propose to award 70 scholarships to Indian and indigenous students from other Commonwealth and Foreign countries for higher studies in India, during the year 1950.

2. The following distribution of scholarships has been made for the year 1950 :—

(a) *To non-Indian students of other countries* :

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| 1. Indonesia | 3 |
| 2 China | 2 |
| 3. Nepal | 3 |
| 4. Afghanistan | 3 |
| 5. Iran | 2 |
| 6. Egypt | 3 on exchange basis only |
| 7. South Africa (one African student and one Coloured) | 2 |
| 8. British East Africa, *i.e.*, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika and Zanzibar (African students) | 4 |
| 9. Malaya | 2 |
| 10. Burma | 2 |
| 11. Ethiopia | 2 |
| 12. Ceylon | 2 |
| 13. Siam | 2 |
| 14. Bhutan | 1 |
| 15. Philippines | 1 |
| 16. Indo-China | 1 |
| 17. Tibet | 1 |
| 18. Turkey | 1 |
| 19. Portuguese Colonial Africa (African students) | 1 |
| 20. Mauritius (creole) | 1 |
| 21. Nigeria | 1 |
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(b) *To students of Indian origin domiciled abroad* :

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| 1. South Africa | 4 |
| 2. British East Africa | 3 |
| 3. Ceylon | 4 |
| 4. Malaya | 4 |
| 5. Burma | 4 |
| 6. Mauritius | 3 |
| 7. Jamaica | 3 |
| 8. Trinidad | |
| 9. British Guiana | |
| 10. Fiji Island | 3 |
| 11. Siam | 1 |
| 12. Surinam | 1 |
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3. The above distribution has been made after giving the fullest consideration to the various suggestions received for increasing the last year's allotment or for including more countries within the scheme. As the total number of scholarships is fixed at 70 and cannot be increased under any circumstances for the present, it will not be possible to make any alterations in the allocations made for the year 1950.

4. Scholarships will be awarded for studies in the Arts and Humanities, Sciences, Agriculture, Medicine, Technology, Education and Law. Preference will be given to students desiring to take up post-graduate courses. The idea is that the grant of scholarships may be for as short a duration as possible so that the Government of India do not enter into long term commitment. Further, the immediate benefit resulting from a student taking the highest education will certainly be more than would be the case if students were selected merely for qualifying examinations If no suitable students are available for post-graduate courses, students for other courses may also be recommended. As far as possible, only those students should be recommended for the award of scholarships who had already some training in their own country in the course which they propose to pursue in the Indian institutions. Applications of students below 19 years of age will not be entertained for post-graduate courses. It should be specially borne in mind that for professional and technical courses, particularly degree courses in Medicine and Engineering, the candidate must be eligible to take up immediately the course for which he is recommended. For instance, a candidate for a degree course in medicine must have passed the Intermediate Science (Medical group) of an Indian University or must possess a qualification which is recognised as equivalent to that examination by the Indian Universities. A Matriculate or one who has passed an equivalent examination should not, as a general rule be recommended for such a course.

The scholarships will be tenable for the period necessary for the student to acquire the degree, diploma or certificate in the course for which he is selected depending upon the satisfactory progress of the student.

5. The students who are already studying in India and who are not in receipt of any other scholarship or financial assistance, should be considered as eligible for these scholarships. Although such students, especially those who have come to India for studies after the introduction of this scheme last year, are presumed to possess the necessary means to continue their studies in India, there may be hard cases deserving of financial assistance under this scheme. In recommending such students regard must be paid to the financial condition of the parents/guardians of the students and it should also be stated whether any reduction should be made in the amount of the stipend, *vide* para. 6 below. If any such student is recommended it should specifically be stated whether the student should be interviewed here before finally selecting him, and if so, the points to be elicited during the interview should also be stated.

6. The value of the scholarships has been fixed at Rs. 200 per mensem exclusive of capitation, tuition and examination fees which will be paid by the Government of India direct to the institutions concerned. Miscellaneous fees and payments such as Library fees, Laboratory fees, Games fees, Admission fees, statutory deposits for libraries and hostels, etc., will have to be paid by the scholars themselves from out of their stipends. The Government reserve the right to vary the amount of scholarship if they think that circumstances justify it. This amount is considered to be ample for all the expenses of the student in India including miscellaneous fees and expenses indicated above. normal medical charges and expenses during vacations, etc.; and in no circumstances will applications for additional allowances be considered. The costs of passage either way and all expenses on journeys in India will have to be met by the students themselves or the Government or non-official organisations of the country from which the student comes. The feasibility should also be considered of creating funds locally, from which to finance this expenditure in deserving cases. The Government of India regret that it is not possible for them to bear any part of this expenditure and it is strongly recommended that the selected students should be left in no doubt whatsoever on this account.

The scholarship will commence from the date on which the scholar is actually admitted in the institution selected for him.

7. Applications for the scholraships should be invited and students should be required to make their applications in the prescribed form attached, in triplicate. A few copies of the form are sent herewith. Further copies, if required, may be made locally.

8. Recommendations for the grant of scholarships will be made by the Government of India's Representatives abroad. In countires where no foreign posts have been so far established, the Government of India will approach the Foreign Government concerned direct or through the British representative, if there is one.

9. In order to determine the suitability of the candidates for different courses and to place them in appropriate classes, some idea of the academic standards which the students may have already attained is necessary. Each application must, therefore, be accompanied by particulars of the courses, theoretical as well as practical already completed by the student. Preferably, the detailed syllabus (of the University or institution attended by the student) which the student has covered, should be attached with his application. Since admission will have to be arranged for a large number of students in Indian Universities which are already over-crowded, it may not always be possible to secure admission for the student in the subject selected by him. In each case, therefore, alternative courses acceptable to the student should be mentioned. Further, it may be particularly borne in mind that training facilities in certain subjects such as Engineering, Medicine, etc., are extremely limited and it will not be possible to find seats for more than a small percentage of students wishing to study these subjects. Although every effort will be made to provide the selected candidate with the course of his choice, having due regard to his eligibility, the final choice of the course must rest with the Government of India and the candidate should be given to understand this position clearly.

10. Instances have come to notice in which candidates were recommended for, and provided with, courses, the degrees in which were not recognised in the countries of their domicile. In recommending candidates, therefore, care must be taken to ensure that the course or the subjects offered for studies by them will be of real use to the student as well as his country on his return. For example, it is no use for a student to acquire an Indian law degree if he cannot practice in the Courts in his country, or to obtain proficiency in, say, textile technology, if there is no scope of employment for such technical skill or qualification, in his country. The recommending authorities must scrutinise the applications strictly from this point of view.

11. A reference is invited to this Ministry letter No. F.55-8/47-OSI, dated the 29th August, 1949 (copy enclosed for ready reference) explaining the desirability of these scholars returning to their home country after completing their studies in India. A form of undertaking, with some spare copies, is also enclosed. Undertakings in this form should be obtained from the *selected scholars* and forwarded to this Ministry.

12. Instruction in Indian Universities is imparted at present through the medium of the English language and it is imperative for the students to have a good command of that language if they are to benfiet from their studies in the Indian institutions.

13. In view of the difficulties about admissions and equivalence of qualifications, it is requested that only a panel of candidates from each country double the number of scholarships allotted to the country, arranged in order of preference, should be sent in the *pro forma* attached. Two panels should be prepared, one of the Indian students and the other of the indigenous students. Three copies each of these panels together with the applications (in duplicate) of the candidates included in them, should be sent to the Ministry of External Affairs so as to reach it by the 15th March, 1950.

14. Foreign students will be encouraged to learn at least one of the Indian languages. Where under the rules of the institution to which a student is admitted, it is compulsory for a student to study an Indian language as part of his regular course, efforts will be made to secure exemption for him. This concession will, however, not apply in the case of students of Indian origin who will be expected to utilise all opportunities given to them of cultivating the knowledge of at least one Indian language and its literature.

15. As soon as selections are made here, Government of India's Representatives and other authorities through whom proposals were invited, will be informed of the names of the selected students together with the courses provisionally selected for them. As soon as admissions are secured, further communication will be sent, by telegram if necessary. Selected students should not leave for India till intimation of final selection and admission is received. Details regarding the climate of the area where the institution to which the scholar has been admitted is located and the need for warm clothes, if the locality makes it necessary, may be explained to the scholar. The advisability of bringing some ready money with him to meet immediate and unforeseen expenses may also be explained to him. Intimation should be sent in advance to the Ministry of External Affairs, of the date and place of the student's arrival in India so as to enable necessary arrangements being made for their reception and direction to the place of destination.

The Government of India will arrange for the general supervision of the scholars during their stay in India. They have issued necessary instructions in the matter.

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No. F.55-8/47-O.S.I.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

*New Delhi, the* 29*th August*, 1949.

FROM

B. N. NANDA, ESQUIRE, B.A. (Hons.),
*Under Secretary to the Government of India.*

To

Government of India's all Missions abroad.

SUBJECT:—*Government of India's scholarships to Indian and indigenous students from other Commonwealth and Foreign countries.*

SIR,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry circular letter of even number dated the 21st March, 1949, and to say that for the fulfilment of the Government of India's object in promoting cultural relations between India and foreign countries for which 70 scholarships have been awarded by them to Indian and indigenous students from abroad this year, it is essential that the students—particularly the students of Indian origin return back to their respective countries at the end of their studies in India. In the circumstances, I am to request that care should be taken to recommend only those students who are certain or most likely to return to the country concerned and if you see no objection, written undertakings to this effect may kindly be obtained from all students selected for the Government of India scholarships, and this Ministry informed when this has been done.

2. I am further to say that the students selected for scholarships may be clearly informed about the course for which they are selected. In one case this year, a student came to India under the impression that he has been selected for the medical course while he was actually selected for a degree course in Science (B.Sc.). Such cases naturally result in disappointment to the students concerned and embarrassment to the Government of India. It is desirable that such situations are avoided.

Yours faithfully,
B. N. NANDA,
*Under Secretary.*

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Sub: G-of-I. scholarships to Students from abroad for Studies in India.

From the G-of-I, Ministry of Edn. No. F-101-1/50 A.H(S) dated 9-3-50.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

FROM

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department, Madras.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
17 APR 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Roc.1330 K2/48 dated 15th April 1950

Sir,

Sub:--Government of India--Scholarships to students from abroad for studies in India.

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Ref:--Govt. ~~Ms.~~ u.o. No1922-1/50 -G. Education dated 24-3-50

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I have the honour to state that it is not desirable that the Principal, Presidency College, Madras should be appointed as Adviser in respect of the students studying in other colleges. It is not also possible for the Deputy Director of Public Instruction in charge of collegiate education in my office to be in charge of the duties as his own work in the Office is very heavy. I consider that the Principals of the Colleges in which the students are studying may be appointed as Advisers as because of the opportunites for contact with the students concerned they would be in a better position to advise the students. If the Government of India are anxious to get periodical reports, the Principals concerned may be instructed to send them regularly.

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction

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Letter. No. Ms. 1547 dated 18-5-50.

Copy to the D.P.I., w.r.t. his No. 1330 K2/48 d. 15-4-50.
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To
The Secy. to the G. of I.,
Ministry of Edn., New Delhi.

Sir,

Sub: colleges etc. – Students from abroad – G. of I. scholarship holders – Facilities
Ref: Your letter No. F. 101-1/50 A.I.(S) d. 9/11-3-50.

I am directed to state that this Govt. consider that the Principals of the colleges in which the G. of I. scholarship holders under the present scheme are studying may be appointed as advisers to the students, as, ~~because of the~~ by virtue of the opportunities for contact with the students concerned, they will be in a better position to advise them. If the G. of I. ~~are anxious~~ desire to get periodical reports

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the Principals concerned will be instructed to send them regularly.

Yours faithfully

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**IMMEDIATE.** **REGISTERED.**

No. F.101-19/50.S.7.,
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, the 14/12 June, 1950.

From
The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education Department,
MADRAS.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
15 JUN 1950
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SUBJECT:- GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S GENERAL CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME - ADMISSION FACILITIES FOR SELECTED SCHOLARS.

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Sir,

pp1-8 9 7 (T) In continuation of this Ministry's letter No. F.101-1/50.A.I.(S), dated the 9th March 1950, on the above subject, I am directed to request you to provide admissions to foreign scholars as per list (1950-1951) attached. p9 infra

2. Against each scholar's name is given course of studies for which he has expressed his preference and for which he has been considered suitable. It is requested that their admission may kindly be arranged and intimation thereof conveyed telegraphically to enable this Ministry to take further action.

3. It need hardly be emphasised that successful implementation of this scheme of cultural scholarships will largely depend on the attention paid to the well-being of the selected scholars during their stay in this country. The foremost problem in this connection is that of securing suitable lodging and boarding facilities for these students. The Government of India would be obliged if seats could be reserved for these students in hostels attached to the Universities and Colleges to which they have gained admission.

4. Equally important is the foreign student's need for advice and guidance in regard to his academic problems and progress, as well as his personal difficulties of social adjustments from time to time. As stated in this Ministry's

111-39 ① letter No. F.101-1/50-AI(S), dated 9th/11th March 1950, special attention may kindly be paid to this aspect of the question and it is suggested that a senior member of the staff of the College/University be entrusted with this work. This Ministry would be grateful if it were kept informed of developments in this connection.

111-39 ① 5. As explained in this Ministry's letter referred to in para I above the Government of India have decided to continue the scheme despite severe financial stringency. It was not encouraging to find that almost all over Institutions cooperated with Government of India last year and waived capitation fees for all scholars. It is, therefore, hoped that once again the same cooperation will be extended. Your decision in the matter may kindly be communicated.

6. Government is responsible for the payment of scholarship and tuition fees etc. in respect of these scholars and this will be done in accordance with procedure for payment outlined in this Ministry's letter No. F-101-20/50-AI(S), 111-13 [illegible] dated 17th May 1950 (copy enclosed). In order to enable this Ministry to pay to the head of the institutions the stipend of the scholars concerned in advance, it is requested that the joining report of the scholars in the prescribed p7 [illegible] form, enclosed herewith, may kindly be furnished to this Ministry as soon as the scholars join. The exact date of his joining, the amount of tuition fee, Examination fee and Capitation charges if any, for the whole year, may kindly be intimated to this Ministry urgently.

7. As the list of names enclosed will show these scholars are to come to India from various foreign countries. It will, therefore, be appreciated that it is absolutely essential to give scholars as long as possible an intimation of their selection and placement. Because of this, it is hoped that all possible efforts will be made to expedite these admissio

and to convey the position to this Ministry as soon as possible.

8. In conclusion, I am to say that in spite of their best efforts and because of factors (e.g. shipping conditions) beyond their control, some of our scholars may not find it possible to report on the opening day of the sessions at the admitted institution. In 1949 our institutions very kindly condoned late arrivals. It is, hoped, that the same privilege will once again be extended. However, taking this into account this Ministry would like to know the last possible date by which a student has to report to the institution to which he has been admitted.

The receipt of this letter may kindly be acknowledged and the application enclosed may please be returned after admissions are duly finalized.

Yours faithfully,

(P. Gangulee)
for Secretary.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA. MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

## Joining Report of the Scholars studying in India under the Scheme of Scholarship for Foreign Students.

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Three copies of this report must be filled by the Scholar and submitted through his/her supervisor to the Ministry of Education, Government of India, New Delhi, immediately after his joining the institution of study.

1. Full name of the scholar and year of selection. __________
2. Country of Domicile __________
3. Date of leaving the country of domicile __________
4. Date of arrival in India. __________
5. Date of Joining the Institution. __________
6. Name of the Institution. __________
7. Course of study for which admitted. __________
8. Degree if any, to be obtained at the end of the course. __________
9. Practical training, if any to be the part of course. __________
10. Duration of entire course: From __________ To __________
11. Remarks, if any:

Date__________ (SIGNATURE OF THE SCHOLAR)

N.B. To be completed by the Head of the Institution of the Scholar.

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1. Rate of tuition fee and number of months for which fee will be charged:- __________
2. Amount of examination fee for duration of course of study. __________
3. Amount of capitation fee, if any __________
4. Name of the head of the institution who will draw the amount of scholarship and other charges. __________
5. Remarks, if any:-

I certify that statements made by scholar at items 5-10 above are correct.

Signature of the Head of the Institution.

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List showing the names of the foreign scholars whose admissions are sought in the Institutions and Universities in India.

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| S. No. | Name of the Scholar | Course for which admission sought. | REMARKS. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 1. | Mr. H. Maragh (Br. West Indies) | B.Sc. in Physics and Chemistry. | apph on pp.15-25 n/fn |
| 2. | T.K. Benjaman (East Africa). | B.A. | apph pp27-35 n/fn |
| 3. | Mr. Inocencio. G. Gonzulez (Phillipines) | M.Sc. in Chemical Engineering. (He is already studying in the 3rd year Chemical Engineering - National University, Phillipines). (Application not enclosed). | |

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No.101-10/50-A1(S),
Ministry of Education,
Government of India,
New Delhi 3, the 17th May,1950.

**IMMEDIATE**

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From

The Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To

The Accountant General,
Central Revenues,New Delhi.

Subject:- Govt. of India's scheme of scholarships to students from abroad(Africa and Asia) for studies in India - Procedure for payment.

Sir,

With reference to the above mentioned subject I am to say that the Govt. of India have instituted a scholarships scheme for the award of 70 scholarships every year to Indian and non-Indian students from Africa & Asia countries, for studies in India. The scheme came into operation with effect from the year 1949-50. In order to facilitate payments to scholars selected under the aforesaid scholarship scheme , Govt. of India have, decided to adopt with effect from the Ist April,1950, the following procedure for payment of scholarship and other charges.

The amount of scholarship and other charges payable by the Govt. of India will be paid by the Ministry of Education direct to the heads of the Institutions concerned, where the scholars are admitted, by means of Bank Drafts . Bills prepared by the Ministry of Education in two-six monthly instalments will be sent to the Accountant General,Central Revenues, for authorization of payment, and then sent to the Imperial Bank of India, New Delhi for the issue of the necessary Demand Drafts in favour of the heads of the Institutions concerned.The Demand Drafts are then to be forwarded by this Ministry to the heads of the Institutions with instructions to disburse the same to the students concerned in monthly instalments. However, just before summer vacations ~~before~~ begin a student may be given 3 months stipend in advance, in order to enable him to use his vacation for purposes of travel and other educational activity.

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The first months stipend in the case of newly arrived scholars will be paid in advance to the heads of the institutions concerned, so that scholars on their arrival in this country may not be put to any avoidable hardship. Before the actual arrival of scholars, the Ministry of Education will draw the necessary amount, in advance, from the Accountant General Central Revenues. The amount so drawn will be adjusted against the six monthly bills mentioned in previous paragraphs.

The Ministry of Education will be at liberty to meet emergent demands on account of scholarships etc from the Imprest money in hand, the amount paid being recovered in subsequent bills and Imprest Money recouped.

Detailed accounts of the payments made will be kept by the Ministry of Education and furnished on the expiry of six monthly period to the Accountant General Central Revenues. Receipts from students for the monthly disbursements together with the receipts of the Institutions will be sent to the Accountant General Central Revenues at the time of furnishing of the account for the half year. Certificates for fulfilment of conditions regarding attendance etc., will instead of being monthly, relate to the previous six month as a whole and will be furnished to the Accountant General Central Revenues in due course.

I am further to convey the sanction of the Govt. of India to the payment of stipend amount of Rs.200/- p.m. to the scholars who have been selected under the scheme in the year 1949 and 1950 and also the payment of tuition fees, examination fees and capitation fees, if any, charged by the educational institutions in respect of these scholars which will be paid direct by the Ministry of Education to the head of the institutions concerned. Where a scholar joins the institution after the beginning of a calendar month the scholarship amount will be calculated for the actual number of days concerned at the rate of Rs.200/- P.M. The tutition fees etc will, however, be payable according to rules of the Institution concerned.

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~~A statement giving the names of such scholars who were selected in the year 1949 and have started their studies in India together with the period for which the scholarship is tenable as well as the names of the drawee and other particulars, is attached herewith.~~

As the selection of students for the year 1950 has not yet been finalized, their details will be furnished as soon as possible.

The expenditure is debitable to the provision under Demand No.48-Education-G-Miscellaneous chanrges G-2 Other Misc charges "Grant of scholarships to foreign students for studies in India for the year 1950-51.

Yours faithfully,

for Deputy Secretary.

Copy with 10 spare copies forwarded to the Ministry of Finance with reference to their U.O. No.2304-Ed/50, dated 25th April,1950.

Copy with 10 spare copies also forwarded to the Ministry of External Affairs (Mr.B.N.Nanda) for information.

By Order,

for Deputy Secretary.

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Government of India
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.

1. Full name (IN BLOCK LETTERS)... HARIDATH MARAGH.

2. Postal address in full (IN BLOCK LETTERS) DENHAM TOWN, KINGSTON, JAMAICA.

3. Exact date of birth.. 3. 3. 1926.

4. Where were you born? (State the town, District, Province and Country). Hillside, Hayes P.O. Jamaica.

5. Nationality. East Indian
Country and Province of your domicile. Kingston, Jamaica.

6. What is/~~was~~ your father's -

(a) Name Charles Maragh.
(b) Occupation Agriculturist.
(c) Place of permanent residence Hillside, Hayes, Jamaica.

7. If your father is not alive, please give the name, profession, and present address of your guardian or next of kin, with his/her relationship to you, if any. —

8. If your family originally belonged to India, please state when they migrated from India and special circumstances, if any, attending the migration.

9. Give below the names of two persons who are in a position to testify from their personal knowledge to your character (they must not be related to you).

1. (i) Name Mr. E.B. Rodgers
(ii) Status Officer of Education Dept.
(iii) Address 85 Hagley Park Road, Halfway Tree.

2. (i) Name Dr. J. L. Varma.
(ii) Status Medical Doctor.
(iii) Address 42 Duke St. Kingston.

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10. Give below particulars of all examinations passed and degrees obtained:-

| Name of Institution | Examination | Class or Division | Year | Subjects taken | Particulars of distinctions, prizes and medals etc. if any, obtained. | Details of practical training or experience, if any. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mico Training College | Teacher's Exams. | Honours | 1946 | General subjects. | | |
| [Privately] | H.S.C. | — | 1947 | Geog., Econ., English. | | 3 Yrs. Teaching Experience. |
| " | H.S.C | — | 1948. | Physics & Chemistry. | | |

Give details, if any, of (i) proficiency acquired in games, sports and athletics and (ii) part taken in other extra- curricular or social activities.

| | (i) Details of proficiency in games and athletics, Particulars of prizes, medals, trophies should be mentioned. | (ii) Details of part taken in extra-curricular or social activities. |
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(1) At school Played Cricket, Tennis, Table Tennis & Football.
(2) At College
(3) Afterward Played Inter Parish Cricket - 3 yrs. Tennis at Cornwall College.

11. If you have given up your studies please account for the period since leaving school or College. Haven't given up studies but teaching.
12. Please state in order of preference the courses which you would like to study in India.
    - (1) B.Sc. - Economics.
    - (2) " - Physics & Chemistry.
    - (3)
13. Have you been a candidate for any scholarship in previous years? If so, please state:- No big Scholarship.
    - i) Year
    - ii) Name of the scholarship
    - iii) Result
14. Can you arrange some private funds to supplement your stipend if necessary? If so, please state:- No!
    - i) Amount of funds available per year.
    - ii) Name(s) and address(es) of person(s) who will pay them.
15. Can you arrange to pay for your passage from your country to India and back? Yes.
16. Any general remarks which you have to offer. (If the space below is not sufficient attach a separate sheet).

Date. 14. 3. '50.

Place. Beckford & Smith's Spanish Town.

H. Maragh.
Signature of APPlicant

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I hereby declare that the particulars given above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date 14. 3. '50.

Place. Beckford & Smith's
Spanish Town.

Signature of the Candidate.

H. Maragh.

I have always been interested in the welfare of Indians as a whole, but unfortunately in my small sphere I am unable to do very much to help them. However some day something will be done.

For a profession my choice has been Medicine, although I have not got the means. Consequently I have to take the long way of working my way. Although my parents cannot help me even in the least yet I am determined to achieve my aim.

At the moment I am a Master at Cornwall College, Montego Bay where I teach among other things Chemistry, Physics, Maths, – which will help me later.

If I get no help it will take me long but I will achieve my aim. Hence I should be very grateful and particularly glad to know that the Mother Country has helped me to get what I desire.

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**CORNWALL COLLEGE**
**MONTEGO BAY, JAMAICA, B.W.I.**

N. S. JACKSON, B.A., B.Sc. (Oxon.)
HEADMASTER
TEL. 406.

UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE
LOCAL EXAMINATIONS SYNDICATE
HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that HARIDATH MARAGH passed the Higher School Certificate Examination in December 1947 having satisfied the general requirements of the Examination and having reached the standards shown (Advanced, Ordinary or Subsidiary) in the following three subjects:-

| | |
|---|---|
| Economics & Public Affairs | Advanced |
| Geography | Advanced |
| English | Ordinary |

Index Number 512.
Date of Birth March 3, 1926.

N. S Jackson B.A., B.Sc.
HEADMASTER, CORNWALL COLLEGE
LOCAL SECRETARY, CAMBRIDGE EXAMINATIONS,
MONTEGO BAY CENTRE.

A. J. NEWMAN, M.C., M.A.
PRINCIPAL.

MICO TRAINING COLLEGE,
CROSS ROADS, P.O.
JAMAICA.

# TESTIMONIAL

MR. HARIDATH MARAGH was a student of this College from 1944 to 1946.

He did well both in the examinations and at games. I have much pleasure in certifying as to his character. I consider him a suitable person to be awarded a scholarship to a University in India.

A J Newman
Principal.
23rd April, 1949.

Govt of India
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

## MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS

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## APPLICATION FORM

**Government of India Scholarships for Students from abroad desiring to pursue further studies in India.**

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**Instructions to candidates :—**

(I) The application form should be filled in by the candidate in his own handwriting and should be submitted in triplicate.

(II) The following documents should accompany the application form :—

- (i) Three attested copies each of certificates of qualifications and practical training referred to in paragraph 10 below. ORIGINALS SHOULD NOT BE SENT.
- (ii) A Medical Certificate of fitness (in the appended form).
- (iii) A Certificate of character from the head of the institution last attended.

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| 1. Full name (IN BLOCK LETTERS)... | TITUS KITILI BENJAMIN |
| 2. Postal address in full (IN BLOCK LETTERS) ... | GOVERNMENT AFRICAN SCHOOL<br>MACHAKOS. |
| 3. Exact date of birth ... ... | 3rd December, 1928. |
| 4. Where were you born? (State the town, District, Province and Country.) | Kitui Town; Kitui District; Central Province; Kenya Colony |
| 5. (a) Nationality ... ... | African. |
| (b) Country and Province of your domicile. | Kenya Colony, Central Province |
| 6. What is/was your father's— | |
| (a) Name ... ... ... | Benjamin Mbathi |
| (b) Occupation ... ... | Hut Counter |
| (c) Place of permanent residence ... | Mulango; Kitui District. |
| 7. If your father is not alive, please give the name, profession, and present address of your guardian or next of kin, with his/her relationship to you, if any. | |
| 8. If your family originally belonged to India, please state when they migrated from India and special circumstances, if any, attending the migration. | |
| 9. Give below the names of two persons who are in a position to testify *from their personal* knowledge to your character (they must not be related to you). | |
| 1. (1) Name ... ... | J. L. Crawford |
| (2) Status ... ... | Principal |
| (3) Address ... ... | Government African School, Macha |
| 2. (1) Name ... ... | G. E. Ayton |
| (2) Status ... ... | Master |
| (3) Address ... ... | Government African School, Macha |

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10. Give below particulars of all examinations passed and degrees obtained :—

| Name of Institution | Examination | Class or Division | Year | Subjects taken | Particulars of distinctions, prizes and medals, etc., if any, obtained | Details of practical training or experience, if any |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (I) G. A. S. KITUI | Kenya African Preliminary | — | 1943 | | Credit in English + Swahili | I was trained as a teacher in Govt. Teacher Training School, Kagumo and have had one years teaching experience |
| (II) HOLY GHOST COLLEGE ,, | African Secondary School Cert | — | 1945 | | Distinction in Arith. + Maths. | |
| (III) .. MANGU ,, | | 1st Grade | 1947 | | Dist. in History, Geography, Swahili, Maths. | |
| (IV) TEACHER T. CENTRE .. KAGUMO | T.2 DIPLOMA | — | 1948 | | | |
| (V) | | | | | | |

Give details, if any, of (*i*) proficiency acquired in games, sports and athletics and (*ii*) part taken in other extra-curricular or social activities.

| | (*i*) Details of proficieny in games and athletics. Particulars of prizes, medals, trophies should be mentioned. | (*ii*) Details of part taken in extra-curricular or social activities. |
|---|---|---|
| (1) At School .. .. .. .. | Keen footballer + volley-balley | Vice-President of Debating Society. |
| (2) At College .. | Keen at volley ball. Short distance runner. | President – Inter-tribal Society<br>Vice-President – Debating Society |
| (3) Afterward .. | | President – Mulango Youths' Association. |

11. If you have given up your studies please account for the period since leaving school or college. I left Teacher Training College, Kagumo at the end of 1948 and have been teaching in G.A.S. Machakos since then.

12. Please state in order of preference the courses which you would like to study in India.
(1) B. A Degree
(2) LL. B. Degree
(3) Bachelor of Commerce.

13. Have you been a candidate for any scholarship in previous years? If so, please state :— No.

(*i*) Year ... ... ...
(*ii*) Name of the scholarship. ... ...
(*iii*) Result ... ...

14. Can you arrange some private funds to supplement your stipend if necessary? If so, please state :— No.

(*i*) Amount of funds available per year.
(*ii*) Name(s) and address(es) of person(s) who will pay them.

15. Can you arrange to pay for your passage from your country to India and back? Yes.

16. Any general remarks which you have to offer. (If the space below is not sufficient attach a separate sheet.)

*Date* 3rd March, 1950

*Signature of applicant.* IKBen

*Place* Govt. African School, Machakos

I hereby declare that the particulars given above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Date* 3rd March, 1950

*Signature of the candidate.* IKBen

*Place* Govt. African School, Machakos.

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## Government of India Scholarships for Students from abroad desiring to pursue further studies in India

### *Certificate of physical fitness*

I hereby certify that I have this day examined Mr Titus Kilili Benjamin, who desires to pursue further studies in India in Arts Degree (Subject) and cannot discover any disease (communicable or otherwise), constitutional weakness or bodily infirmity except*........................................

I do not consider this as likely to render him unfit to undergo his training or to withstand the climate or living conditions in India.

The candidate's signature below has been affixed in my presence

*Candidate's signature* IKBen

MBBS London
DTM&H London
MO. Machakos Kenya
*Signature of the Medical Officer, with his qualifications and designation.*

*Date* 4. 3. 50

*Place* Machakos.

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*Please give full details and, if the candidate is declared unfit, also state whether the unfitness is due to some minor disability which can be cured by treatment (medical or surgical).

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COLONY AND PROTECTORATE OF KENYA.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

KENYA AFRICAN PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION.

This is to certify that TITUS KITILI BENJAMIN
of Government African School, Kitui ..........................

has passed the KENYA AFRICAN PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION held in the year 1943, having satisfied the examiners in the subjects noted below:-

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| English | Credit | Nature Study & Hygiene | Pass |
| Swahili | Credit | Agriculture | Pass |
| Mathematics | Pass | Arts & Crafts | Credit |
| History | Pass | | |
| Geography | | | |

Date..... ..............

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for DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION.

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Government African School, Kitui

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# UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

## LOCAL EXAMINATIONS SYNDICATE.

## SCHOOL CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that TITUS KITILI BENJAMIN passed the School Certificate Examination in December, 1947 and reached the standards shown (Pass, Credit, or Very Good) in the English Language test Credit and in the following seven subjects:-

| | |
|---|---|
| English Literature ~~Credit~~. | Credit |
| History of the British Empire | Very Good |
| Geography | Very Good |
| Swahili | Very Good |
| Elementary Mathematics | Very Good |
| General Science | Credit |
| Physiology & Hygiene | Pass |

The candidate also attained the Credit Standard in additional Maths. 1.

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FIRST GRADE CERTIFICATE.

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KENYA COLONY.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

AFRICAN SECONDARY SCHOOL CERTIFICATE.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that TITUS KITILI BENJAMIN
of Holy Ghost College, Mangu ..................
has passed the Secondary School Certificate Examination held in 1945.

His results were:-

| | |
|---|---|
| English Composition | Pass |
| Arithmetic. | Distinction. |
| English ll. | Credit. |
| Swahili. | Credit. |
| Algebra & Geometry. | Distinction. |
| Physics & Chemistry. | Pass. |
| Agriculture & Biology. | Pass. |
| History. | Credit. |
| Geography. | Credit. |
| Drawing. | ...... |
| Carpentry. | ...... |

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for DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION.

Date....................

Holder's Signature..................................

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Routine: (M) 61/~~37~~ Edn.(G)

G.O.S. No. 3364 Edn. d. 4-11-49 and 1547 Edn. d. 18-5-50 which are required for the disposal of this case are not readily available. Time may be granted till 24-6-50.

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This is very urgent. Put up at once

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Memo no 15950-1/50 G Edn dated 26-6-50

Govt of India's general cultural scholarships scheme — Admission facilities for selected scholars.

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Ref. From the Govt of India, no. F.101-19/50-S7. dated 14.6.50

Referred to the D.P.I. for immediate remarks. He is requested to state whether arrangements can be made for the admission of the three scholars referred to in the letter cited in the Colleges and hostels attached to the Colleges. The matter may be treated as "immediate".

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and a reply sent on or before 1.7.50.

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To The D P.I.

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reply)

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By Spl. 27/6/50

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Letter No. 15950-2/50 of d. 26-6-50. ~~II~~ ~~41~~ 65 Edn Depr 9
Ref.

To The Secretary to the Govt of India,
Ministry of Education,
New Delhi.

Despd. 27/6/1950.

Sir,

Subject:- Govt of India's general cultural scholarships Scheme - Admission facilities for selected scholars.

Ref. Your letter no. F.101-19/50-S.7 dated 14.6.50.

I am to acknowledge the receipt of your letter cited and to say that a reply will be sent shortly.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

From
Sri.K.Swaminathan, M.A., B.D.,
B.A.(Oxon)
PRINCIPAL,
Govt. Arts College, Madras 2.

To
The Director of Public Instruction,
MADRAS.

ASSISTANT SEC. EDUCATION DEPARTMENT 29 JUN 1950

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Rc.No 740/50 D/28-6-50.

Sir,

Ref: Telephonic message ~~xxx~~ No. 693 K2/50 dated 28-6-50.

For the Government of India Scholarship holders I shall reserve three seats one in B.Sc., Physics, one in B.Sc., Chemistry and one in B.A. with provision of hostel facilities for them.

K. Swaminathan
PRINCIPAL.

Copy to ~~Sax~~ Secretary, Government of Madras Education Department with reference to their Memo No.15950-1150 Edn. dated 26-6-50 reg: Govt. of India Scholarship holders.

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Submitted for perusal of the ~~letter on page 8 ante~~ D.P.I.'s interim reply on pages 5-9 ante and the letter from the Principal, Govt. Arts College, Madras on page [illegible]. The D.P.I.'s reply may be awaited till

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Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

(Post copy of Telephonic message dated 28th June 1950)

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras

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

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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1 JUL 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

T.M.No.693-K2/50.

Reference:-Govt.Memo.No.15950-1/50-G Edn.,dated 26.6.1950 regarding the admission of 3 Government of India scholarship holders in colleges in Madras State.

The Principals of the Presidency College and Government Arts College, Madras are being addressed regarding the admission of Messrs. H.~~Magh~~ Maragh and T.K. Benjaman to B.Sc. and B.A. Degree Courses and the Principals remarks are to be awaited. There is no information as to the subjects to be taken by T.K. Benjaman for the B.A. Course. As regards Mr.Inocencio, G.Gonzulez, there is no provision for M.Sc. Course in Chemical Engineering in any Government College. The Registrar of the Madras University is being addressed to state whether the candidate could be admitted to the AlagappaChettiar College ~~in~~ of Technology, On receipt of a reply from the University a report will be submitted to Government.

For Director of Public Instruction.

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Office of the
Director of Public Instruction.
LETTER: R.C.No.693-K.2/50.

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From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Madras.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
3 JUL 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

DATED MADRAS-6, THE 30TH JUNE 1950.

Sir,

Subject: Government of India's general cultural scholarships scheme - Admission of three scholars from abroad in Colleges in Madras State

R e f: Government Memo.No.15950-1/50-G Education dated 26-6-1950.

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IN enclosing herewith a copy of Telephone Message (By post) No.V.1755 dated 28-6-1950 from the Registrar, University of Madras, I have the honour to state that the Government of India may be informed of the position in regard to the scholar desirous of pursuing M.Sc. course in Chemical Engineering.

Yours faithfully,

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

RVR 30/6/- 30/6

Copy of Telephone Message (By Post) No.V.1755 dated 28-6-1950 from the Registrar, University of Madras, Madras to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Ref: Your T.M. No.693-K.2/50 dated 28th June 1950.

There is no M.Sc. course in Chemical Engineering in this University. The course is a B.Sc. in Chemical Engineering. If he wishes to be admitted, his case will be placed before the selection committee with further particulars if available. He can be given a place in the hostel if admitted.

(TRUE COPY)

for DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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## TELEPHONIC MESSAGE.

| From | To |
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| D.P.I | Secy<br>Edn |

T.M. No 693-K2/50 dt 3/7/50.

Ref. Govt Memo No. 15950-4/50 Edn dt 26/6/50.
reg admission of
three Govt India
scholarship holders.
Please see the letter
R.C. No. 740/50 dt 28/6/50 from
The Principal G. A.C. Madras
(copies of ~~are~~ submitted to
your direct)

[Please write on both sides.

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Edn Dept

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I.M. 15950 G/50-3 dated 3.7.50

To the D.P.I.

Subject:— Govt. of India's general cultural scholarship scheme — Admission facilities for selected scholars.

Ref. your T.M. no. 693-K2/50 dated 3.7.50.

Please arrange to ~~[illegible]~~ return immediately the letter no. 101-19/50-S7. dated 14.6.50 from the Govt of India sent as enclosure to the Govt. Memo. 15950-1/50/G $\frac{Edn}{L}$ dated 26.6.50

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TELEPHONIC MESSAGE (BY POST).

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
MADRAS.

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

T.M.No.693-K2/50 dated 4th July 1950.

Ref:- Government T.M.(post copy) No.15950-G/50-3 Education dated 3-7-1950 regarding the return of Government of India's letter No.101-19-50.S7 dated 14-6-1950 (Ministry of Education) relating admission of three selected scholars under General Cultural Scholarship Scheme.

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The letter referred to above together with enclosures (in original) is herewith returned.

For Director of Public Instruction.

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State Express Telegram.

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New Delhi.

Reference [your] letter [No] F 101-19/50 S 7 [dated] fourteenth June [1950] regarding admission facilities for selected scholars stop. Seats reserved in Govt Arts College Madras in B.Sc Physics or B.Sc Chemistry for [Mr] H. Maragh of British West Indies and in B.A for [Mr] T. K. Benjamin of East Africa with hostel facilities stop. Regarding [Mr] G. Inocencio Gonsalez of Philippines only B.Sc Course in Chemical Engineering ~~only~~ available and not M.Sc. in Madras University stop. [Please] wire if seat necessary in this stop. Colleges re-opened stop. If seats required ~~letter follows stop~~ immediate arrangements should be made.

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Issue telegram

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Pc to T.O. by Air Mail Express delivery. 8/7

Copy to the D.P.I ✓

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Letter No.
Rp.

By Air Mail
& Express delivery

To The Secretary to the Govt of India,
Ministry of Education,
New Delhi - 3.

Sir,

Subject:— Govt of India's General Cultural Scholarships Scheme — Admission facilities for selected scholars — Rp. your letter no. F. 101-19/50.S7 dated 14. 6. 50

pp 1-35

Seats are reserved with provision of hostel facilities in the Govt. Arts College, Madras in B.Sc Physics or BSc Chemistry for Mr. H. Maragh of British West Indies p 9 and in B.A. for Mr. T. K. Benjamin of East Africa. The subject to be taken by Mr. T. K. Benjamin in the B.A. Course may kindly be intimated and the candidates may be instructed to report themselves to the Principal of the College at the earliest possible date.

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As regards Mr. G. Inocencio Gonsalez of Philippines, I am to state that there is no MSc. Course in Chemical Engineering in the Madras University. The course available is a BSc. in Chemical Engineering. If the candidate wishes to be admitted in the BSc. Course his case will be placed by the university before the selection Committee and he can be given a place in the hostel if admitted.

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I am to invite, in this connection, to this Govt. letter no. 1186 Education dated 14-4.50 in which this Govt. have already intimated their decision to abolish the system of the levy

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F /101/19/50/3 REFERENCE OUR LETTER F /101/19/50/1 FOURTEENTH
F/101/19/50/1
JUNE REGARDING ADMISSION OF SCHOLARS IN INSTITUTION SELECTED
UNDER CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME AAA KINDLY INTIMATE ADMISSION
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Reply sent to the [illegible] — p 54 ante

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From (Name) Afzal-ul-Ulama
M. Abdul Haq, M.A., D.Phil (Oxon).

Designation Principal, Presidency College, Madras.

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To

The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

No. dated 4th July 1950.

Sir,

Ref: Your telephonic message No. 693 K/2/50 dated 28-6-50.

The two Government of India scholarship holders can be admitted to B.Sc. and B.A. classes. As regards the hostel facilities, they may apply separately to the Wardens of the hostels concerned in which they desire to reside.

Yours faithfully,

Principal.

Copy submitted to the Government of Madras, Education Department) with reference to their Memo No. 15950-1/50- G. Education dated 26-6-50.

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= NO F 100 6/50 S 3 YOUR TELEGRAM SEVENTH JULY REGARDING ADMISSION OF BENJAMIN AND GONZALEZ CULTURAL SCHOLAR IN GOVERNMENT ARTS COLLEGE MADRAS AAA ADMISSIONS OF BENJAMIN AND MARAGH ACCEPTABLE AND GONZALES UNDER CONSIDERATION AAA DECISION FOLLOWS SHORTLY AAA KINDLY ARANGE TO CONDONE LATE ARRIVAL AAA = EDUCIND

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Letter/ Ref. No. 15950 G/50-5 of 27.7.50

Copy to the DPI in continuation of Govt Endt. No. 15950 G/50-4 of 12.7.50

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To
The Secy to the G of I,
Ministry of Edn
New Delhi 3.

Sir,

G of I's General Cultural Scholarships Scheme - Admission ~~[illegible]~~ of scholars in the Govt Arts College, Madras.

I am directed to invite attention to your telegram No. F 100-6/50 S3 of the 10th inst and to request that as the College has already re-opened ~~the selected scholars~~ Messrs H. Maragh and T.K. Benjamin may be instructed to join the College immediately and that your final decision regarding

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Mr. 1.G. Gonzalez may be communicated urgently.

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### TELEPHONIC MESSAGE (BY POST).

No. 693 K2/50 Dated 5-8-50.

ASSISTA[illegible] SECRETARY
7 AUG 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

Ref:- Government of Madras, Education Department, letter No. 15950 G/50-5 Edn. dated 27-7-1950 to Government of India, Ministry of Education regarding admission of scholars under Government of India, General Cultural Scholarships scheme.

pp 62-63 ante

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It is a month since the Government Arts College, Madras re-opened. If Messrs. H. Maragh and T.K. Benjamin do not join the College soon, they may not be able to put in the requisite attendance. If it could be ascertained that they are not joining, the seats can be offered to other applicants. I request the favour of an early reply.

for Director of Public Instruction.

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To

The Secy to the G.of I.
Ministry of Edn. New Delhi. (with enclosure)
Copy of p 64 ante.

Copy to the
D.P.I

Sir,

Cultural Scholarships Scheme.
Admission of scholars into the
Govt Arts College, Madras.

pp 62-63 ante

In continuation of my letter no. 15950 G/50-5 d 27.7.50, I am directed to enclose a copy of letter no 693 Ka/50 d 5.8.50 from the D.P.I, Madras, for inform^n & necessary action.

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NO F =100/16/50/ S =3 OUR TELEGRAM EVEN NUMBER TENTH JULY REGARDING GONZALEZ CULTURAL SCHOLAR FROM PHILEPPINES AAA ADMISSION NOT NOW REQUIRED AND REGRET INCONVENIENCE CAUSED AAA = EDUCIND =

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Endt 15950 G/50-6 d 7.8.50

Copy forwarded to the D.P.I. in continuation of Endt no 15950 G/50-5 d 27.7.50

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Letter Ref. 15950 G/50-7 d 10.8.50

To the Secretary to the Govt of India,
Ministry of Education,
New Delhi-3.

Copy to the D.P.I.
(w.r.t. his letter no. 69342/50 dated 5.8.50.)

Despd by AIR MAIL
Rh 10/8.

Sir,

Govt of India's General Cultural Scholarships Scheme - Admission of scholars in the Govt Arts College Madras - Ref. My letter no. 15950 G/50-5 dated 27.7.50

It is a month since the Govt Arts College, Madras reopened. If Messrs H. Maragh and T.K. Benjamin do not join the College soon, they may

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not be able to put in the requisite attendance. I am, therefore, to request you to ascertain and report when exactly the candidates will join the College. If it is known that they are not joining, the seats can be offered to other applicants in this State.

An ~~very early~~ immediate reply by wire is requested.

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No.F.100-6/50 S.3
Government of India.
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi, the 3rd August 1950.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
5 AUG 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From
The Secretary to the Government of India.

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education Department, Madras.

Subject:- General Cultural Scholarships Scheme 1950-51 for studies in India - Mr. T.K.Benjamin - East Africa scholar.

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No.15950G/50-5 dated the 27th July 1950, I am directed to state that the Commissioner in British East Africa has been requested to intimate the date of arrival of Mr. Benjamin in India and that will be communicated to you on receipt.

Telegraphic inquiry has been made from the Consulate General in Philippines whether Mr. Ganzalez is willing to take B.Sc. Chemical Engineering. You will be informed of the result in due course.

The date of arrival of Mr. Maragh is being ascertained and a further communication in this regard will follow.

The Government are anxious to see that these students join the institutions as early as possible in their own interest as late arrival only leads to loss of study. You will kindly ensure that the delay is condoned.

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Yours faithfully,
M. L. Kapur
for Secretary.

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Endt. 15950 G/50-8 d 12.8.50
Communicated to the D.P.I. ~~[illegible]~~ in continuation of this Dept no. 15950 G/50-5 d 27.7.50

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To the D.P.I.
with copy of letter above as cited

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7 AUG 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NO F 100/16/50/S3 OUR TELEGRAM EVEN NUMBER ~~TENTH~~ JULY REGARDING GONZALEZ CULTURAL SCHOLAR FROM PHILIPPINES AAA ADMISSION NOT NOW REQUIRED (N) REGRET INCONVENIENCE CAUSED AAA

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Post copy in confirmation.

Copy for information to the Ministry of External Affairs ( Mr. Nanda ) with reference to their Office Memorandum No.F.29-26/50-AFRI, dated 28th July, 1950.

By Order,

M. L. Kapur

for Secretary,
Govt. of India, Ministry of Education,
New Delhi 3, the 3rd August, 1950.

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**EXPRESS DELIVERY**

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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16 AUG 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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No.F.100-6/50-S.3, New Delhi 3, the 14 August, 1950.

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From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Education Department, Bombay Castle.

SUBJECT:-GENERAL CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME 1950-51 FOR STUDIES IN INDIA MR.T.K.BENJAMIN -BRITISH EAST AFRICA SCHOLAR.

Sir,

I am directed to state that Mr.T.K.Benjamin, cultural scholar from East Africa, has been awarded a scholarship under the above noted scheme.

Mr. Benjamin has been admitted to the Government Arts College, Madras for B.A.Course.

Information has been received in this Ministry that the student has left for India on the 29th July 1950 by steamer. It is requested that arrangements for the reception of this student may kindly be made and the student directed to proceed to Madras. The particular of train and expected time of arrival at Madras may kindly be telegraphed to the Govt. of Madras in the Education Department in order to enable them to arrange reception etc.

Yours faithfully,
sd/-
(M.L.Kapur)
for Secretary.

Copy for information to:-

1. Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education Department, Madras, in continuation of this Ministry letter of even number, dated the 3rd August, 1950.

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2. The Principal, Government Arts College, Madras. Mr. Benjamin has been admitted to B.A. class in his College.

3. The Ministry of External Affairs (Mr.Nanda) with reference to their Office Memorandum No.F.29-13/50 AFRI, dated the 8th August, 1950. The name of the steamer must be informed in order to facilitate arrangements for reception.

By order,
M. L. Kapur
(M.L.Kapur)
for Secretary.

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No.F.100-33/50.S.3.
Government of India,
Ministry of Education.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

New Delhi 3, the 12th August, 1950.

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education Department,
MADRAS.

SUBJECT: GENERAL CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME 1950-51 FOR STUDIES IN INDIA - MR. H.MARAGH- WEST INDIES SCHOLAR.

Sir,

p 66 ante

In continuation of this Ministry ~~letter~~ telegram of even number dated the 3rd August, 1950, on the above subject, I am directed to state that information has been received in this Ministry that the student will not be availing of the scholarship granted to him. Under the circumstances the scholarship granted by the Government of India to Mr. H. Maragh is hereby cancelled.

The Government regret the inconvenience caused to the State Government and are grateful for the help rendered in securing the admission, ~~under trying conditions~~.

Yours faithfully,

M. L. Kapur
(M.L.Kapur)
for Secretary.

Endt. 1595[illegible] G/50-9 of 16.8.50 Edn. G.

Communicated to the D.P.I.

Continuation of Endt. no. 15950 G/50-7 of 10.8.50

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To
the D.P.I.
(with copies of p 70 & 72)
Copy to the Principal
Govt. Arts College, Madras

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Rc.No.630/50, dated 18th August 1950.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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19 AUG 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From

Sri K. Swaminathan, M.A., B.L.,
B.A., (Oxon.),
PRINCIPAL,
Govt. Arts College, Madras.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
Government of India,
NEW DELHI-3.

Sir,

Ref:- Your letter No.F.100-6/50-S.3,
dated 14th August 1950.

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Sub: Admission of Mr. T.K. Benjamin -
General Cultural Scholarship Scheme
1950-51.

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Mr. T.K. Benjamin has been here for a week.

As the regulations of the University of Madras do not permit his joining the B.A. class and as there is no provision in this College for teaching French or Latin, the question of getting the student admitted into Loyola College in Junior Intermediate or into Annamalai University in B.A. is being considered by the Director of Public Instruction, Madras. It is presumed that the scholarship will be tenable in these institutions also.

Yours faithfully,

K. Swaminathan

PRINCIPAL.

Copy submitted to the ~~Government~~ Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education Department, Madras.

Copy submitted to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

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**IMMEDIATE.**

**EXPRESS DELIVERY.**

No. F.100-6/50.S.3.
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, the 25th August, 1950.

From
The Secretary to the Government of India.

To
The Principal,
Government Arts College,
MADRAS.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
27 AUG 1950
25538
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

SUBJECT:- GENERAL CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME -
1950-1951 FOR STUDIES IN INDIA -
MR. T.K. BENJAMIN - EAST AFRICA SCHOLAR.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 630/50, dated 18th August, 1950, on the above subject, and to state that in view of the circumstances explained therein, this Ministry will have no objection to the admission of Mr. Benjamin for B.A. in the Annamalai University. It is also confirmed that the scholarship will be available for study of the student in this institution.

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This Ministry may kindly be kept posted with the developments in regard to admission of the student.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
(M.L.Kapur)
for Secretary.

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Copy to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education Department, Madras, with reference to endorsement No. 630/50, dated 18th August, 1950, of the Government Arts College Madras.

(2) The Director of Public Instruction, Madras, with the request that admission of Mr. Benjamin may kindly be finalised as early as possible as the student has already arrived in this country.

(3) Copy to the Ministry of External Affairs (Mr. Nanda), with the remark that the Principal, Government Arts College, Madras, has informed this Ministry that Mr. Benjamin cannot be accepted for B.A. in that institution. The question of admitting the student to Loyola College in Junior Intermediate or in to Annamalai University in B.A. is under consideration of the Director of Public Instruction,

By order,

M. L. Kapur
(M.L.Kapur)
for Secretary.

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**EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.**

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Rc.No.630/50, dated 28th Aug. 1950.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
30 AUG 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sri K. Swaminathan, M.A., B.L.,
B.A., (Oxon.),
PRINCIPAL,
Govt. Arts College, Madras-2.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Education,
Government of India,
NEW DELHI-3.

Sir,

Ref:- This office Rc.No.630/50 dated 18th August 1950 and your letter No.F.100-6/50, dated 25-8-50.

Pp 78-80 ante

Sub: Admission of Mr. T.K. Benjamin - General Cultural Scholarship Scheme 1950-51.

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Since The Annamalai University has refused to grant Mr. Benjamin exemption from Intermediate, I am advising him to join Loyola College, Madras, forthwith.

I hope that the Government of India will make arrangements for the payment of his Hostel dues to our Hostel for the period of his stay here (Rs. 44/- Forty four only ) and also for the payment of admission fees, College Fees and Hostel Deposit and all other expenses incurred by the student at Loyola College, Madras. I am requesting the Principal, Loyola College, Madras, to admit Mr. Benjamin on the understanding that the Government of India, or the Government of Madras will meet his expenses.

Yours faithfully,

K. Swaminathan

PRINCIPAL.

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

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OFFICE OF
THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
MADRAS.

No. R.O.C. 693 K2/50 Dated 31-8-1950.

Gr From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department, Madras.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
3 SEP 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Subject:- Admission of Mr. T.K. Benjamin- East African Scholar.

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Sir,

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Ref: (i) Government Endorsement No. 15960 G/50-9 Edn. dated 16-8-1950.
(ii) Letter R.C. 630/50 dated 18-8-1950 from the Principal Government Arts College, Madras.
(iii) Letter from the Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Education, New Delhi, No.F. 100-6/50 S.3. dated 25-8-1950.

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I have the honour to state that Mr. T.K. Benjamin has since been admitted in the Junior Intermediate Class, Loyola College, Madras.

2. I request that the Government of India, Ministry of Education, may kindly be moved to sanction the admission and College fees, hostel deposit and all other expenses to be incurred by the student in the College , and also the hostel dues to the hostel attached to the Government Arts College, Madras for the period of his stay.

vide p 82 ante

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

Copy to:-
The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Education, New Delhi.

The Principal, Government Arts College, Madras.

The Principal, Loyola College, Madras.

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Rs.44/- due to the hostel of his college will be paid by the student as soon as stipend is disbursed to him.

2. Copy to the Principal, Loyola College, Madras. The Government will be responsible for the payment of tuition fee and examination fee besides stipend of Rs.200/- P.M. which is payable to the student. A separate letter will follow in this connection.

3. Copy for information to the Secretary to the Govt. of Madras, Education Department, Madras.

4. Ministry of External Affairs ( Mr. Nanda ) together with a copy of letter No.630/50, dated 28th August, 1950, for information.

By Order,

for Secretary,
Govt. of India, Ministry of Education,
New Delhi 3, Dated the 2nd Sept. 1950.

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G of I's General Cultural Scholarship Scheme - Mr. T. K. Benjaman - Admission of

p 84 cf From the D.P.I. No. 693 K2/50 of 31.8.50

29/11/9 Memo No. 15950 G/50-10 of 11.9.50

p 3 cf The attention of the D.P.I is invited to para 6 of the G of I's letter No. F. 101-19/50-S.7 of 14.6.50 in the matter and he is requested to furnish the information required therein urgently.

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The D.P.I

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Govt of India General Cultural scholarship scheme – Mr T.K Benjamin – Admission of

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

FROM

The Director of Public Instruction,,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
MADRAS.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
29 SEP 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

RC.NO.693 K2/50 dated 22-9-1950.

Sub:-Government of India's General Cultural Scholarship scheme-Mr.T.K. Benjamin-Admission of.

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Ref:- Government Memo.No.15950 G/50-10 Education dated 11-9-50.

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The Government of India's letter No.F.101-19/50-S.7 dated 14-6-50 was resubmitted to Government in original with this Office Telephone Message (by post)No.693 K2/50 dated 4-7-50 with reference to Government T.M.No.15950 G/50-3 Education dated 3-7-50. The particulars that are yet to be furnished may kindly be indicated.

pp 1-5 ante
p52 ante
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Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction.

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G of I's General Cultural Scholarship Scheme. Mr. T.K. Benjamin - Admission of.

From the DPI no. 693 K2/50 of 31.8.50 / 22.9.50 p84 cf

Memo no 15950 G/50-11 Edn dated 3.10.50 p90 cf

A copy of telegram no. F.100/6/50/S3 of 2.9.50 from the G of I to the Prl, Govt Arts College, Madras, is forwarded to the DPI w.r.t. ~~to~~ para 2 of his letter dated 31.8.50, read above. No further action is called for in the matter.

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To
The DPI
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Government of India.
Ministry of Education.
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No. F.2-6/51-S.3. New Delhi 3, Dated the 2/3 ~~FEBRUARY~~, 1951.

From

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
8 MAR 1951
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Vice-Chancellors,
All Indian Universities.

The Education Departments of all States Governments.

SUBJECT: GOVERNMENT OF INDIA'S GENERAL SCHEME OF CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO FOREIGN SCHOLARS FOR STUDIES IN INDIA - PROVISION OF FACILITIES...

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter No. F.101-1/50-A.I.(S) dated the 9th March, 1950, on the above subject, and to state that the Government of India have decided to continue in 1951 the scheme of scholarships awards to foreign students for studies in India with a view to promote cultural relations between India and its neighbouring countries. Under the Scheme 70 scholarships will be awarded to foreign students for studies in India in 1951-52.

The General Cultural Scholarships Scheme has been most favourably received by countries participating in it. Evidence of this is to be found in the fact that some of these countries have, in their turn, offered scholarships to Indian nationals. In no small measure the success of the Scheme is due to the splendid manner in which your University / Institution has cooperated. It is hoped that with your help the fostering of cultural relations will achieve even greater success. We hope to approach you early in April for the admission of scholars to be placed at your University / Institutions. Scholarships under the Scheme will be awarded, once again, for studies in Arts and Humanities, Sciences, Agriculture, Medicine, Technology, Education and Law. While the Government fully appreciate that the Indian Universities and Institutions, particularly the Engineering, Medical and Technical Institutions, are already overcrowded, they nevertheless are sure that you will kindly do your best to accommodate scholars selected under the scheme for whom admission is sought at your Institution.

It need hardly be emphasised that the success of the Scheme will largely depend on the extent to which we can make stay of the selected scholars in the country a comfortable and congenial one. The main problem in this connection appears to be that of providing suitable lodging and boarding facilities. It is hoped that you will kindly make proper arrangements for the scholars in the matter.

In view of the importance of the Scheme the Government of India have decided to continue it in the year 1951, in spite of severe financial stringency. Government has acted on the assumption that you will kindly exempt these students from the payment of capitation charges, as hitherto.

Yours faithfully,

P Gangulee
( P. GANGULEE )
for Secretary.

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Copy with 20 spare copies forwarded to

1. Ministry of Health / Food and Agriculture / Works Production and Supply for necessary action so far as Institutions under their control are concerned.
2. Technical Division ( T.II ), and General Education Division ( G.III ) Ministry of Education for necessary action.
3. Ministry of External Affairs.

By Order,

P. Ganguli

( P. GANGULEE )
for Secretary.

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U.O. Note. 8324 G/51-1 Edn dt 12-3-51

A copy of the G of I's letter may be sent to Health / Dev / Food & Agr Deptt in continuation of Edn U.O. No. 1922-2/50G. dt 11-4-50.

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To
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Draft II Endt. No 8324 G/51-2 Edn dated 12-3-51
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To
The D.P.I
(with copy of letter)

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Education Dept. (G)

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From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Education,
No.101-1-50-AI(S) dated 9-3-1950.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SCHOLARSHIPS to students from abroad for studies in India.

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p. 1-3 c.f.

vide (Q)/1 c.f.

In order to promote cultural relations with neighbouring Asian and African countries, the Govt. of India recently formulated a scheme for the award of 70 scholarships every year to Indian and non-Indian students of those countries for studies in India. In that connection, the Govt. of India requested this Govt. that a few seats should be reserved for foreign students ~~schools~~ in the educational institutions in this State. This Govt. agreed to admit the foreign students in the colleges in this State, subject to certain conditions. Please see the reply at pp.31-32 c.f. in G.O.No.3364-Edn., dated 4-11-1949.

para 4 on (Q)/1-3 c.f. and
para 4 on (Q)/15 c.f.
x para 3 on (Q)/32 c.f.

The Govt. of India ~~has~~ also suggested that special attention should be given to the foreign scholars and ~~that~~ some regular machinary should be set up for that purpose. This Govt. agreed x to designate a suitable officer as Adviser to Foreign Students.

2. In pursuance of this scheme, three students have been admitted in the colleges in this State. Their names are given below:-

vide para 1 on (Q)/49 c.f.
vide (Q)/32 c.f.
vide (Q)/145 c.f.

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| 1) D.A. David | Engg. College, Guindy. |
| 2) M.P. Padhyae | -do- |
| 3) M.G.Mallick | Christian College, Tambaram. |

B on p. 2 c.f.

In their letter in the c.f. the Govt. of India have requested this Govt. that the officer designated for the welfare of foreign students should be asked to furnish them with ~~the~~ quarterly reports regarding the welfare and progress of the students. A copy of this Govt.'s reply at pp.31-32 c.f. of (Q) was sent to the D.P.I. It is not known whether he has designated any officer ~~in his office~~ as Adviser to foreign students. If not, the Deputy D.P.I. who

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who is in charge of Govt. colleges, or the Principal, Presidency College, may be appointed as the Adviser to foreign students and he may be asked to send quarterly reports to the Govt. of India. The D.P.I. may see the file u.o. for remarks on the above ~~subject.~~ suggestion.

3. Copies of the Govt. of India letter may also be sent to the Health, Development and Food and Agriculture Departments also for necessary action with reference to the ~~colleges~~ institutions under their control.

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D.P.I. u.o.

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To the Health Dept.
" Dev. Dept.
" F. & A. Dept.
(with copy of p1-3 c.f. & para 3 above)

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From the G.G.I., Ministry of Edn. No. F.101-1/50 A.I(S) d. 9-3-50. p 5-7 c.f.

The letter d. 9-3-50 from the G.G.I., Ministry of Edn. may be perused. w.r.t. the last para of the letter, it may be noted that it has been decided separately to abolish the system of levying capitation fees from students coming from outside this State with effect from the next academic year. No action is called for w.r.t. the present letter of the G.G.I. The D.P.I.'s reply to the u.o. reference on p1-2 above may be awaited. In the meantime, copies of the letter on p 5-7 c.f. may be sent to other Depts. The draft u.o. note below is for approval.

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[Issued as u.o. No. 1922-2/50 G. d. 11-4-50.] p 19 c.f.

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p 21 c.f. From the D.P.I. No. 1330 K2/48 d. 15-4-50.

The D.P.I.'s letter
ibid d. 15-4-50 may be perused. The Director
ibid states that it is not desirable to appoint
the Principal, Presidency College, Madras, as
Adviser in respect of the students studying
ibid in other colleges and that it is not also
possible for the Dy. Director of Public Instn. in
charge of collegiate edn. to be in charge of
the duties referred to. ~~He~~ ~~Director~~ considers
that the Principals of the colleges in which the
ibid students are studying may be appointed
as advisers, as, because of the opportunities
for contact with the students concerned, they
ibid would be in a better position to advise the
ibid students. If necessary, the D.P.I. suggests
the Principals of the colleges may be instructed
to send regular periodical reports about the progress
of the students to the G.G.I. It is for orders
whether the views of the D.P.I. may be
accepted and the G.G.I. informed accordingly.

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A draft letter to the G.G.I. is subd. for approval.

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No.F.101-31/50-S.3.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION.

New Delhi-2, the 5/4 1951.

Dear Mr. Unithan,

As you are already aware, in pursuance of their desire to promote cultural relations between India and foreign countries, Government of India inaugurated a Scheme to award 70 scholarships every year to Indian and indigenous students of other Commonwealth and foreign countries for higher studies in India. We have worked this Scheme for the last two years and encouraged by its results, are continuing it.

Last year the selection and arrival of scholars was a little delayed but we are now, taking necessary steps to ensure that you are approached at the appropriate time for the admissions of these scholars. We rest our hopes in the knowledge that you will do your best to accommodate such students selected under the Scheme for whom admission is sought at your University/Institution.

In this connection it may be mentioned that there are varying academic standards in the countries included in the Scheme, and in many cases it may not be easy to establish any exact equivalance between degrees taken in foreign countries and those prevailing in Indian universities and institutions. As the main purpose of the Scheme is to promote cultural relations and to encourage students to have an opportunity of acquainting themselves with our country and its civilization, it would be appreciated if foreign students are admitted for the University courses and examinations for which they may be found suitable. Refusal of admissions on the ground that they come from Institutions or Universities not recognised by Indian Universities would defeat the purpose for which these scholarships are being awarded.

You will appreciate that if the objectives of the Scheme are to be achieved it is essential that the sojourn of these students in India is made as fruitful and pleasant as possible, and that they carry back to their homes happy memories. It will, therefore, be necessary to make special arrangements for the supervision and welfare of these students who come to

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study here and also to provide them adequate facilities for and opportunities of seeing places of interest during their vacations and other holidays. We shall be grateful if you kindly, give your attention to this aspect of the Scheme and make arrangements for:-

(i) giving warm reception to these scholars as soon as they come to join your University/Institution.

(ii) advice and guidance to these scholars on all matters concerning their work and welfare and to encourage them to take part in healthy extra-curricular activities.

(iii) suitable boarding and lodging for these scholars. This is of utmost importance as these scholars are quite new to this country and require adaptation to the new environments. Indeed, admission would not be of much value if hostel accommodation were not arranged.

(iv) lodging these students during their vacations with Indian families as paying guests or otherwise, so that they may come to know Indian life.

Sight (v) site seeing tours of these students i.e. planning of holidays of these students if possible in batches in such a way that they should see the maximum number of historical and other places of interest during their stay in India.

I earnestly hope that you will kindly give all possible assistance and cooperation in the implementation of the Scheme. I need hardly add that were it not for the unflinching cooperation given us by you in the past, the plan would have not met with the success it has.

I would be very much obliged if you were to let me have your comments on the various points raised in this letter.

Yours sincerely,

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(Tara Chand)
SECRETARY.

Mr. K.M.Unithan, I.C.S.,
Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Education Department,
MADRAS.

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D.O No. 13193 G/51-1 Edn of 11.4.51

Dear Dr. Tara Chand,

Ref. your D.O No. F.101-31/50-S.3 of 5.4.51 re. G of I's General Cultural Scholarship Scheme.

I am to say that ~~as in~~ the ~~previous year~~, this Govt will render all possible assistance ~~and co-operation~~ in the successful ~~co-operation~~ implementation of the Scheme. The Principals of the Colleges in which the scholars will be placed will act as advisers to them and be in charge of them.

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To
Dr. Tara Chand ✓ Dpd
Secy to the G of I. for
Ministry of Edn
New Delhi

Copy to the DPI ✓
" Health / Devt. / Food & Agr. Depts } with copy of Cf.
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G of I: General Cultural Scholarship Scheme. Facilities for foreign scholars

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From the G of I. D.O. No. F. 101-31/50-S.3 of 5.4.51

With the object of promoting cultural relations with the neighbouring Asian and African Countries, the G of I formulated a Scheme for the award of 70 scholarships every year to the Indian and non-Indian students of those Countries for studies in India. The Scheme came into operation from ~~H~~ 1949-50. The papers relating to the last two years are at Ⓠ and Ⓢ. The G of I propose to continue the Scheme during 1951-52 and have invited comments on the various points raised in their letter.

GO 3364 Edn 4.11.49
GO 1547 Edn 18.5.50

It will be seen that the present letter is on the same lines as that of the previous year. Vide pp 1-2 of Ⓢ. Last year, the G of I suggested that a senior member of the staff might be entrusted with the responsibility of taking care and looking after the welfare of the foreign scholars and on the suggestion of the DPI they were informed that the Principals of the Colleges in which the scholars were placed might be appointed as advisers ~~to~~ ~~to~~ by virtue of the opportunities for contact with the students concerned, they would be in a better position to advise them.

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No special remarks seem called for on the points raised in the letter. The G of I may be informed that as in the previous years this Govt will render all possible assistance and co-operation in the successful implementation of the Scheme and that the Principals of the

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Colleges in which the students will be placed will act as advisers to the students and be in charge of them.

Subject to orders a draft D.O. to Dr Tara Chand is submitted for approval. Copies may be sent to the DPI and to the Health, Dev and Food & Agr Depts for information.

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SECRETARY 9 MAY 1951 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

No. F.2-24/51-S-3.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi, the 7/5 1951.

Dear Shri Unnithan

I write to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your D.O. letter No. 13193-9/51-1-Edn... dated the 11th April 1951... to Dr. Tara Chand, regarding provision of facilities to Indian and Indigenous students of other Commonwealth and foreign countries selected for studies in India under the General Cultural Scholarships Scheme. The helpful attitude taken encourages us to feel that with your unflinching cooperation, the real purpose of the Scheme will be achieved.

The names of the candidates, if any, who are to be placed at your Institution/University will be communicated to you in due course.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

(P. Gangulee)

To
K. M. Unnithan Esq.
Secretary to the Govt. of Madras
Education Department
Madras.

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SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
8 FEB 1952
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

URGENT

No.2-45/51 S.3
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 2, the 6th February, 1952.

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

1. The Vice-Chancellor,
   All India Universities.
2. The Education Secretaries of Part A & B
   States.

Sub:- Government of India's General Scheme of Cultural Scholarships to foreign scholars for studies in India - Provision of facilities.

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Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that the Government of India's General Scheme of Cultural Scholarships to foreign scholars for studies in India, which was inaugurated in 1949, will be continued during 1952. Under the Scheme 70 scholarships will be awarded to foreign students for studies in India in 1952-53.

The General Cultural Scholarship Scheme has been most favourably received by countries participating in it. Evidence of this is to be found in the fact that some of these countries have, in their turn, offered scholarships to Indian nationals. In no small measure the success of the scheme is due to the splendid manner in which your University/Institution has co-operated. It is hoped that with your help the fostering of cultural relations will achieve even greater success. We hope to approach you early in March 1952 for the admission of scholars to be placed at your University/Institutions. Scholarships under the Scheme will be awarded, once again, for studies in Arts and Humanities, Science, Agriculture, Medicine, Technology, Education and Law. While the Government fully appreciate that the Indian Universities and Institutions, (particularly the Engineering, Medical and Technical Institutions,) are already overcrowded, they nevertheless are sure that you will kindly do your best to

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accommodate scholars selected under the scheme for whom admission is sought at your University/Institutions.

It need hardly be emphasised that the success of the Scheme will largely depend on the extent to which we can make stay of the selected scholars in the country a comfortable and congenial one. The main problem in this connection appears to be that of providing suitable lodging and boarding facilities. It is hoped that you will kindly make proper arrangements for the scholars in the matter.

In view of the importance of the Scheme the Government of India have decided to continue it in the year 1952, in spite of severe financial stringency. Government has acted on the assumption that you will kindly exempt these students from the payment of capitation charges, as hitherto.

Yours faithfully,
Vikram Singh
(Vikran Singh)
for Secretary.

Copy with 20 spare copies forwarded to

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2. Technical Division (T.II), and General Education Division (G.III) Ministry of Education for necessary action.
3. Ministry of External Affairs.

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By order, etc.
Vikram Singh
(Vikran Singh)
for Secretary.

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Edn.(G.)Dept.

U.O.NOTE .NO. 5145G/52-1 EDN., DATED 19.2.52.

A copy of the G.of I's letter may be sent to Health/Dev./ Fd.&Agri. depts. in continuation of Edn.U.O.Note No. 8324G/51-1 dt.12/3/51.

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To
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Fd.&Agri
(with a copy of I)

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Endt. No. 5145G/52-2 Edn. dt. 19.2.52.

Communicated to the D.P.I.

To
The D.P.I.
(with a copy of Gf.)

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No.F.4-7/52-S.3
Government of India
Ministry of Education

New Delhi 2, the 21 February, 1952.

From
The Secretary to the Government of India.

To
Vice Chancellors and Principals etc.

SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
22 FEB 1952
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

SUBJECT:- GOVERNMENT OF INDIA GENERAL SCHEME OF CULTURAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO FOREIGN STUDENTS FOR STUDIES IN INDIA - WELFARE ARRANGEMENTS -

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to state that in order to promote cultural relations between India and foreign countries, Government of India instituted a scheme, in 1949, to award 70 scholarships every year to Indian and indigenous students of other Commonwealth and foreign countries for higher studies in India. As you are, no doubt aware, the Government of India have worked this scheme for the last three years and encouraged by its results are continuing it inspite of financial stringency. You will appreciate, that if the real purpose of the scheme is to be achieved it is essential that the sojourn of these scholars in India is made as fruitful and pleasant as possible and that they carry back to their homes happy memories and a feeling of respect for India and our culture. It is felt that this would be possible only if some special arrangements are made for the supervision and welfare of the students who come to stay here and also to provide them adequate facilities for and apportunities of seeing places of interest during the vacation and other holidays. The whole purpose of the scheme of Scholarships to foreign students will be defeated if welfare arrangements of these scholars are not properly arranged. The Government of India, therefore, attach much importance to this aspect of supervision and welfare of the scholars, and strongly stress its need. It is hoped that you will kindly, notwithstanding your preoccupations, devote your special attention to the welfare arrangements of the scholars and cooperate with the Government to achive the desired objects of the scheme. You are requested to give personal attention to the welfare of the students specially with regard to accommodation, food studies and extra curricular activities. It is felt that such work could best be done if a young member of your staff and some senior students could be deputed for this purpose under your personal supervision. It would of course be preferable if each scholar could have attached to him one senior student. The senior member of the staff would be directly incharge of and responsible for:-

(a) Advice and guidance in all matters concerning the welfare of the students;

(b) Arrangements for suitable food and accommodation of the students;

(c) Arrangements for occasional social gatherings in small groups where Indian as well as foreign students should be given an opportunity for mixing with one another. If necessary, the assistance of the local Y.M.C.A. may be obtained;

(d) Arrangements for sight seeing tours of the students

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during vacation and other holidays, that is planning of holidays for the students who desire to go out on tour during long holidays in such a way that they could see the maximum number of historical and other places of interest during their stay in India;

(e) To encourage the students to take part in healthy extra curricular activities;

(f) Reception of the students on arrival in India to join their respective University/Institution, and to make sure that they settle down to their work in new environments and conditions.

As the Government of India are very anxious that the foreign students who come to India under the scheme should utilize this opportunity to the fullest extent, it would be appreciated if this Ministry is kept informed, off and on, about the welfare programmes and arrangements made for the benefit of these scholars, admitted to your University/Institution. The Government of India earnestly hope that you would kindly render all possible assistance and cooperation in making this scheme of cultural scholarships a real success.

Yours faithfully,

A S Grewal
( A.S.Grewal )
for Secretary.

Copy forwarded for information to the Ministry of External Affairs.

Copy forwarded to Education Secretaries of Part A and B States with the request that necessary facilities may kindly be provided to the Institutions/Universities within their jurisdiction to enable them to work out the suggestions given above.

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By order,

A S Grewal
(A.S.Grewal)
for Secretary.

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U.O.
~~Endt~~ No. 6845 G/52-1 Edn. dt. 27.2.52

Communicated to Health, Dev., Fd + Agri. depts in continuation of U.O. Note No. 5145 G/52-1 Edn. dt. 19.2.52. — p 2 ante

To
The Health
Dev. +
Fd. + Agri. depts
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of pp 3-4 above)

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No. F2-26/52 S3.
Government of India
Ministry of Education

From

Dated, New Delhi, the 23/7 March, 1952.

Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education Department,
MADRAS

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SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY
23 JUL 1952
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sub:- General Cultural Scholarships Scheme 1952-53 for studies in India - admission of selected scholars in institutions in India.
Mr. R. SEVALINGAM — Ceylon Scholar.

Sir,

pp 133-134 (M)

I am directed to refer to this Ministry letter No. F.2-45/51-S.3., dated the 6th February 1952, and to forward herewith a statement showing particulars of scholars who have been selected for studies in India under the above noted Scheme during the academic year 1952-53.

2. In column 5 of the statement the course of studies of the particular scholar is required to follow is indicated while in column 6 is stated the institution at which the scholar could usefully study. If for any reason admission at the desired institution etc. is not possible, an alternate suggestion may kindly be sent. Full particulars of the scholars are stated in their applications and other relevant papers which are forwarded herewith. These may kindly be returned to this Ministry as soon as the admission is finalized.

3. In view of the fact that these selected scholars are new to this country and almost coming on a mission to promote cultural relations, it will not be desirable for the Government to ask them to make their own arrangements for boarding and lodging. You are, therefore, requested to reserve a seat in the hostel attached to the institution and keep it ready for occupation of the scholar immediately on reporting to the institution. It is hoped you will kindly make boarding and lodging arrangements for the scholars as you will appreciate that without suitable accommodation arrangements, the scholars' stay in India will not be

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pleasant which is essential from cultural point of view.

4. Since the scholars have to come from distant places it is necessary that they are informed sufficiently in advance about their admission to enable them to make preliminary arrangements for their journey to India and to reach India in time to take up their courses. You are requested to intimate the date on which they should join the institution on its reopening after the vacation together with the duration of the course of study. The outer date up to which the admission can be kept open and the final date on which it would lapse may also please be stated. You are therefore requested to convirm the admission immediately on the "INTIMATION OF ADMISSION" form, specimen copy enclosed.

5. If the selected scholars are unable to join the institution on due date, the admission so generoudly offered be kept open till the arrival of the scholar in India as you are fully aware that passage position to this country is far from satisfactory and insecure also.

6. The scholars coming to study are not conversant with Hindi and may not be able to offer it as a subject of their study. They may kindly be granted exemptions and where necessary, such exemptions may be secured for them as far as possible.

Yours faithfully,

(Vikram Singh)
for Secretary.

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F.2-28/52.S.3 JUST RECEIVED INTIMATION ADMISSION R.SIVALINGAM CEYLON CULTURAL SCHOLAR FOR INTERMEDIATE COURSE AAA OUTER DATE ALREADY EXPLAINED ELEVENTH AUGUST AAA SCHOLAR HAS TO COME FROM CEYLON AAA REQUEST KEEP ADMISSION OPEN TILL ARRIVAL SCHOLAR AAA KINDLY TELEGRAPH CONFIRMATION AAA HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED.

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Copy in confirmation to:-

The intimation of Admission f~~o~~orm has been received in this Ministry without any conivering letter and almost after expiry of the final date. The scholar will not be able to join on 11th August, 1952 as proposed. His outer date may kindly be extended and admission kept open till arrival of the scholar as a special case.

2. The Secretary to the Government of Madras, Education Department, Madras, with reference to their Ministry letter of even number, dated 23-7-52. The Principal, Government Arts College, Madras, may kindly be asked to keep the admission so offered open till arrival of the scholar.

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Copy for information to the Ministry of External Affairs (Mr. A.G.Meneses) together with a copy of the Intimation of Admission Form. This has reference to the Ministry Office telephonic message of 12-8-52.

By Order

for Secretary
Government of India
Ministry of Education
New Delhi

(Malik)

New Delhi 2, the 12 ~~16~~ August, 1952

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