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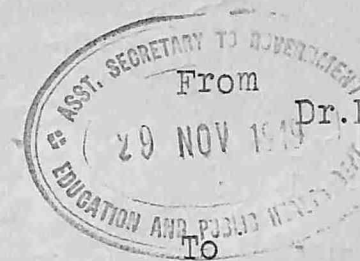
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No. 2829-A/49-1.

Madras Record Office,  
Chittoor, 28th November 1949.



From Dr. B. S. Baliga, Ph.D. (Lond.),  
Curator, Madras Record Office,  
CHITTOOR.

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

Sir,

Sub:- Establishment - Temporary - Research  
Assistant - Permanent retention -  
Proposal.

Ref:- G.O.No. 780, Finance, dated 19th July 1949.

On the basis of the orders conveyed in paragraph 3 of the G.O. cited above, I submit the following proposal for the permanent retention of the temporary post of the Research Assistant in this office.

2. There are at present in this office 2 temporary posts in the Madras Ministerial Service, viz., (1) the post of the Telephone Operator and (2) the post of the Research Assistant. Of these, the former was sanctioned in G.O.No. 2750, Public (C.D), dated 16-9-1944 in connection with the installation of a switch board in the Madras Record Office Buildings at Egmore for providing telephone service to the various offices located in those buildings. As soon as these offices find accommodations elsewhere in the city and vacate the Madras Record Office buildings, the switch board will be removed. In fact one of these offices has recently installed a separate telephone exchange for its use and for the use of its subordinate offices. It is also proposed to get a similar exchange installed in another of the offices. Consequently the switch board might soon become unnecessary. The post of the Telephone Operator will then be abolished. This post need not therefore be made permanent.

3. The post of the Research Assistant, however, is important, since it was created with the object of increasing the usefulness of this office to the various Departments of the Secretariat. This post, which was sanctioned in G.O.No. 1130, Education, dated 7-6-1946 for a period of six months in the first instance, was ordered to be continued for a period of two years from 23-12-1946 in G.O.No. 26, Education, dated 7-1-1947. Subsequently in G.O.No. 3234, Education, dated 17-12-1948 it was extended for a further period of two years from 22-12-1948. The post thus falls within 50% of the temporary posts between 3 and 5 years old, as laid down in paragraph 3 of G.O.No. 780, Finance, dated 19-7-1949. As regards the condition mentioned in paragraph 3 of that G.O., I desire to invite the attention of the Government to my letter No. 986-A/46-1, dated 15-4-1946 (disposed of in G.O.No. 1130, Education, dated 7-6-1946) in which I have dwelt at length on the need for the post. Again, in my letter No. 2931-A/46-1, dated 23rd November 1946 (disposed of in G.O.No. 26, Education, dated 7-1-1947) I have explained the variety and usefulness of the work for which the services

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of the Research Assistant are required. I have shown in that letter how his services are essential in connection with the preparation of notes on important subjects relating to administration, a work which can be done satisfactorily only in this office. There has been no decrease either in the number of searches or in the variety of subjects dwelt with, as will be seen from the Administration Reports of this office for 1946-47, 1947-48 and 1948-49 (disposed of in G.Os.No.1091, Education, dated 27-5-1947; No.1252, Education, dated 17-5-1948 and No.2009, Education, dated 23-6-1949). In fact, such searches have become a normal feature of this office and, in consequence, the services of the Research Assistant have become indispensable. In this connection I wish to invite a reference to my letter No.166-A/47-1, dated 23-2-1947 relating to the recommendations of the Cabinet Salaries Committee (disposed of in G.O.No.1110, Education, dated 31-5-1947) in which I have pointed out the necessity for the continuance of the post of the Research Assistant on a permanent basis.

4. Again, the present holder of the temporary post of the Research Assistant is nearing his age of superannuation and he is due to retire in November 1951. If the temporary post of the Research Assistant is not made permanent, he will have to retire on a pension which will fall far short of the pay drawn by him in the temporary post of the Research Assistant. If, however, the post is confirmed, he will retire on a higher pension, which is the benefit contemplated in G.O.No.780, Finance, dated 19-7-1949.

5. As regards the 12½% cut in staff mentioned in paragraph 5 of G.O.No.780, Finance, dated 19-7-1949, I wish to invite the attention of the Government to my letter No. 2247-A/47-2, dated 12-12-1947 in which I submitted a scheme of retrenchment in respect of this office. The proposals for the retrenchment made by me in that letter were approved by the Government in G.O.No.440, Education, dated 4-3-1948. I also invite attention to paragraph 4 of G.O.Ms.No.1625, Education, dated 18-5-1949 in which the Government have stated that the question of effecting a cut of 12½% in the establishment in the Madras Record Office will not be pursued.

6. In view of what I have stated above, I request that the temporary post of the Research Assistant may be made permanent. I could not submit this proposal earlier, as I received G.O.No.780, Finance, dated 19-7-1949 only this month.

Yours faithfully,

CURATOR,

28-11-1949.

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Establishment - Madras Record  
Office - Research Assistant -  
permanent - Retention - Sanctioned

Read: - G.O. No. 1130 Edn. Dated 7.6.1946  
G.O. No. 3234 Edn. Dated 17.12.1942

From the Curator, M.R.O. No. 2829  
- A - 49-1 Dated 28.11.49

Order 163 Edn. D/20-1-50  
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Sanction is accorded to the  
from the date of  
this order permanent Retention of the  
temporary post of Research Assistant from  
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Sanctioned in G.O. No. 1130 Ed. dated  
7th June 1946, for the Madras  
Record Office.

2. The Curator is requested to submit  
a draft of the amendments to be made  
to the Madras Ministerial Service rules.

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The Curator  
W.R.P.  
" Ag. Secy.  
In -

CM. 93325 From the Curator, M.R.O.  
No. 2829-A-49-1 Dated 28.11.1949

Subject: - Madras Record Office -  
Research Assistant - Temporary  
post - permanent Retention

The temporary post of Research  
Assistant in the Madras Record Office  
was first sanctioned for a period of  
six months in G.O. No. 1130 Ed. dated  
7th June 1946 and has continued on  
a temporary basis since then. The  
old scale of pay for the post was  
Rs 175-15/2-220 and the scale now  
applicable is Rs 190-10-240. The  
last sanction for its temporary  
continuance <sup>for two years from 22-12-1948</sup> was  
accorded in G.O.  
No. 3234 Ed. dated 17.12.1948.

2. The Curator has now  
submitted proposal for the permanent  
Retention of the post, for the follow-  
ing Reasons: -

(i) The post is essential in con-  
nection with the preparation of  
notes on important subjects re-  
lating to administration, which  
can be done only in the Record  
Office.

(ii) The post falls under the  
category of temporary post  
eligible for permanent reten-  
tion under the orders in par-  
t of G.O. No. 780 Finance dated

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July 1949.

(iii) The present ~~holder~~ holder of the temporary post is due to Retire in November 1951 - It is only if the post is confirmed that he will become eligible for a higher pension on Retirement.

3. As regards the usefulness of the post, attention is invited to the list of Subjects on which notes were prepared by the Assistant, as on pages 3-9 of G.O. No. 3234 Edn dated 17.12.48.

This Dept. may agree that this work is important as these searches are necessitated by Requisitions from the Secretariat or the heads of departments. Reasons (i) in para 2 above may be accepted. These Reasons alone (apart from Reason (iii)) seem to justify the permanent retention of the post. It may therefore support the proposal.

4. Finance may see the case for remarks.

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Finance (EU) 933259/471 4-7-50.

The proposal relates to the permanent retention of the post of Research Assistant. The Madras Record Office. The post was originally created in G.O. No. 1130 Edn dt 7.6.46 and is

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being continued since then. It is stated that this post falls within 50% of the temporary posts between 3 and 5 years old, as laid down in para 3 of G.O. No. 780 Fin dt 19.7.49. The circumstances leading to the creation of this post and the necessity for continuing it on a permanent basis are explained by the curator, M.R.O. in para 3 on pp 1-2 C.F.

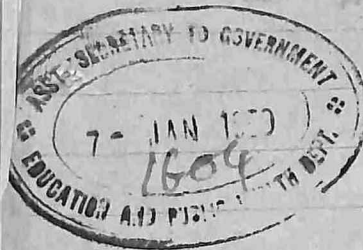
In the circumstances explained therein Finance may agree to the permanent retention of this post.

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