Edn. Dept.

G.O. No. 1803 Ms.
dated 15-6-50.

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Sub. Colleges. Govt. Engg. - Rules for selection of candidates for admission (1950-51) - Modification - Orders issued.

SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE.

(COUNCIL SECTION)
7-6-1949.

STARRED.

SRI B. BHIMA RAO, M.L.C.

EDUCATION & PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

*Q.NO.59.

Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have recently received any representations and perused communications in the Press relating to the grievances of students who have been denied admissions to the Engineering Colleges in the Madras Province on the ground of their caste; and

(b) whether the present Government have decided to allow any percentage of admissions to be made on the ground of merit and if so, how much?

Draft answer

~~clauses (a) & (b): No.~~

(a) The reply is in the negative

(b) No reservation on grounds of merit only has been ordered except to the extent that seats for which candidates are not available according to the prescribed communal, linguistic and district basis, will be filled up on the basis of merit only provided district and linguistic quotas are not affected

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To the M.L. Sectt. (5 copies)
" Pub. (Ele.) Dept.
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E.P.H. u.o. 49672-1/49 A
dated 3.8.49

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Edn & P.H. Dept

very urgent

Memo No. 49672-2/49A Edn dated 3.8.49

Eng. colleges - Admissions in 1949-50

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The D.P.I is requested to obtain and forward to Govt a complete analysis of the selection of Students made to the Govt Eng. colleges for the academic year 1949-50: Information on the following points should also be furnished:-

[Here enter A. on page 3 nf]

Bg 3/8/49.

The information is required in connection with a Leg. Assly. question

BM 3/8/49

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To The D.P.I.

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Issd 5/8

Memo. No. 49672-3/49A Edn. dated 16-9-49.
Sub: Engg. colleges - Admissions in 1949-50.
Ref: Memo. No. 49672-2/49A Edn. d. 3-8-49.

The D.P.I. is requested to expedite his reply to the memo cited above.

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To the D.P.I.

admissions to be made on the ground of merit and if so, how much?

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Memo. No. 49672-3/49A Edn. dated 16-9-49.

Sub: Engg. colleges - Admissions 1949-50

Ref: Memo. No. 49672-2/49 A Edn. d. 3-8-49.

The D.P.I. is requested to expedite his reply to the memo cited above.

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To
The D.P.I.

SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE

(COUNCIL SECTION)

5-10-1949

STARRED.

SRI B. BHIMA RAO, M.L.C.

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

* Q.NO.92.

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(a) whether the Government have received any representations and perused any communications in the Press regarding the grievances of students who have been denied admission to the Engineering Colleges in the Madras Province on the ground of their caste; and

(b) whether the present Government have decided to allow any percentage of admissions to be made on the ground of merit and if so, how much?

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To the D.P.I.

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E.P.H. (A)

Memo. No. 49672-4/49 A Edn. dated 31-10-49.

Sub: Engg. colleges – Admissions in 1949-50.

Ref: Memo. No. 49672-3/49 A Edn. d. 16.9.49.

The D.P.I. is requested to expedite his reply to Memo. No. 49672-2/49 A Edn. dated 3.8.49.

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SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE
(COUNCIL SECTION)
5-10-1949

STARRED.

SRI B. BHIMA RAO, M.L.C.

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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(b) whether the present Government have decided to allow any per-centage of admissions to be made on the ground of merit and if so, how much?

PSK/5-10.

Draft Answer

clause(a): The reply is in the negative. vide (p) 1 and 2

clause(b): No reservation on grounds of merit only has been ordered except to the extent that seats for which candidates are not available according to the prescribed Communal, linguistic and district basis, will be filled up on the basis of merit only, provided district and linguistic quotas are not affected. vide (p) 1 and 2

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[Approved by H.M. (P.W.)].

To the M.L Secty. (5 copies)
" Pub. (Ele.) Dept.
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E.P.H. G.O. 49672-5/49 A
dated 31-10-49

Answered on
18-11-49

I have put the statement in the "Principal (?) which is in the file 18.11

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E.P.H.(A)

Memo. No. dated -9-49.

Sub: Colleges- Arts- Admission of M.G. Mallack to Inter Science (Medical Group)

From the G. of I., Ministry of Edn., Telegram No. XWH dated 14.9.49.

P 3 c.f

A copy of the telegram from the G. of I. Ministry of Edn. read above is forwarded to the D.P.I. and he is requested to ~~arrange~~ explore the possibilities for the admn. ~~for the admission~~ of Mr. M.G. Mallack, a Student from Mauritius, to the Intermediate Natural Science Course in any College in this Province.

16.9.49.

To the D.P.I. (with copy of) (P3 c.f. & (M)/5 c.f.)
Copy to S.G. w.r.t. his No. 54585-Ma. 12.9.49
Copy to Principal, Madras Medical college.

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28 OCT 1949

Education Department

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

Rc No. 1187 K2/49 dated 23-10-49

Sir,

Subject: Colleges - Engineering College- Admission in 1949--50
Reference: Govt. Memo No. 49672-3/49-A Edn. dated 16-9-49

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p5 ante

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I have the honour to state that a detailed report in the matter furnishing all relevant particulars, has been called for from the Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy and it will be submitted to Government as soon as it is received.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction

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~~E.P.H.(A)~~

~~The D.P.I. may be reminded for action~~

~~17.12.49~~

included in the agenda of ~~or~~ the Leg. Assembly on any day. As the information asked for will be necessary in answering supplementaries, I am to ~~request~~ ask you to obtain and furnish the particulars with the least possible delay.

Yours sincerely,

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10/11/49.

To the D.P.I.
(by name)

Reply still
awaited
17-11-49

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

16 NOV 1949
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From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

Sir,

R.C.No.1187-K2/49 dated 11-11-1949.

Sub: Engineering Colleges - Admissions in 1949-50.
Ref: This Office letter R.C.No.1187-K2/49 dated 23-10-49 and Education and Public Health Department D.O. No.49672-6/49 A Education dated 10-11-1949.

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Kept below

p 3 ante

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I am submitting herewith a copy of the statements, submitted by the Principal~~s~~, College of Engineering Guindy, showing the particulars called for by Government in their Memorandum No.49672-2/49-A Education dated 3-8-49. in respect of admissions to Engineering College in the current academic year. I enclose herewith a copy of letter from the Principal No.R.C.No.29-B/49 dated 3-9-49.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

BR, 14-11.

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COPY OF LETTER R.C.No.29-B/49 dated 3-9-49 of the Principal, Engineering College, Guindy to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Sub: Admission - Engineering Colleges - 1949-50 - Particulars called for.
Ref: Your Proceedings R.C.No.1187-K2/49 dated 6-8-1949.

With reference to your proceedings cited above, I submit the following particulars in duplicate.

A.

1. Number of applications received	Appendix 'A'
2. Number admitted from District	Appendix 'B' (Coimbatore and Guindy Colleges only)
3. No. of B.A.& B.Sc. Students	Appendix 'C'
4. Seats filled up according to the merit.	Appendix 'D'
5. No. of applications from lady students.	Appendix 'E'
6. No. of students turned up for reserved seats	Appendix 'F'

2. With reference to item 4, I wish to state that 10 per cent of the total seats was reserved for Harijan students. Due to want of suitable candidates from that community, candidates were selected from other communities according to merit on a regional basis for these vacancies.

True Copy

FOR DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

BR, 14-11.

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Memo. No. 49672-I/49A Edn. dated 5-12-49.

Sub: Colleges - Govt. Engg. colleges - Admissions 1949-50 - Report.

P19 c.f. - From the D.P.I. No. 1187 K2/49 d. 11.11.49.

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The D.P.I. is requested to state (urgently) when the report of the Selection Committee on the admissions made to the Govt. Engg. colleges in 1949-50 containing a complete analysis of the final selections, the procedure followed etc. may be expected to reach the Govt.

To the D.P.I.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

17 DEC 1949

FROM
THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
MADRAS

E.P.H.(A)

N.R. on 27.1.50.

Rc.No.1187K2/49 dated 15th December '49

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17.12.49.

19/12/49

Sir,

Sub:--Colleges--Government Engineering Colleges--Admissions in 1949-50.

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p 23 ante

Ref:--Government Memorandum No.49672-7/49-A Education dated 5-12-49

The Principal is being reminded to submit the report urgently and it will be submitted to Government with my remarks on its receipt in this Office.

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction

Clb. 15-12-49
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Memo. No. 49672-8/49A Edn. Dated 1-2-50.

Sub: Colleges - Govt. Engg. Colleges - Admns in 1949-50 - Report re:

~~Ref: Memo. No. 49672-7/49A Edn. d. 5-12-49.~~

Ref: Fr. on the D.P.I. No. 1187 K2/49 d. 15-12-49.

The D.P.I. is requested to expedite his reply to Memo. No. 49672-7/49A Edn. d. 5-12-49.

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To the D.P.I.

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R.C.NO.1187-K.2/49

EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
12 FEB 1950

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 10-2-1950.

E.P.H.(A)

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

N.R. on 30.3.50.

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

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Sir,

Subject: Colleges - Government Engineering College - Admissions in 1949-50 - Report of the Selection Committee

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R e f: Government Memo.No.49672-8/49-A Edn dated 1-2-1950.

The Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy is awaiting the report from the Chairman of the Selection Committee. He has been reminded to expedite the submission of the report.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

RVR.10/2/-

~~T.M. by Post No. dated -1-50~~

~~To the D.P.I.~~

~~Sub: Presidency college, Madras - Conve~~
~~of certain posts of Profrs. into ch. Profr~~
~~Ref: Your No. 1841 K2/48 d. 14-9-48.~~

~~Please report urgen~~
~~what the number of students taki~~
~~Sanskrit in the various classes in t~~
~~Presidency College, Madras in the curr~~
~~year and say whether a chief Profe~~
~~ship is necessary for that subject.~~
~~Please also state whether by allowin~~
~~a chief Professorship posts for Sansk~~
~~any other subject, equally deserving an~~
~~having a larger number of students stud~~
~~it, will be denied a chief Professorship~~

~~18-1-50.~~

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R.C. No. 1187-K2/49

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 10-2-1950.

From
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

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

Sir,

Subject: Colleges - Government Engineering College - Admissions in 1949-50 - Report of the Selection Committee.

Ref: Government Memo.No.49672-9/49-4 dated 1-2-1950.

The Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy is awaiting the report from the Chairman of the Selection Committee. He has been reminded to expedite the submission of the report.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

Edn.(?)

Memo. No. 49672-9/49 G dated 4-4-50

Sub: Colleges - Govt. Engg. colleges - Admns. in 1949-50 - Report of the selection Committee

Ref: from the D.P.I. No. 1187 K2/49 d. 10.2.50.

The D.P.I. is requested to obtain and forward to the Govt. the report of the selection Committee on the admissions made into Govt. Engg. colleges in 1949-50 without any further delay.

To the D.P.I.

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Report since recd. & dealt with separately in c.no. 6153/50.

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Extract from the Note File bearin C.No. 54883/47 re: Eng.Colleges Admis[illegible]n.

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Original in G.O. 2096 Edn. 29-6-49

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H.M. may be interested in the letter of the Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy. I am inclined to be in agreement with his proposal that extra-curricular activities, particularly proficiency in sports, deserve to be considered in selection of Engineers who have to perform out-door duties and command large forces of labour, in which bookish qualifications will by themselves never count. As will be clear from the note of the late H.M. the difficulty was in the proper evaluation of extra-curricular proficiency. The decision of the Cabinet against the proposal was apparently on the same ground.. The Principal has now proposed the schedule of marks which attempts to meet the difficulty.

Would H.M. like the question to be re-opened?

The proposals contained in the other para do not deserve to be re-opened.

H.M.(P.W.)

J.M.L.P.
2-8-49

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The Cabinet has taken a decision and it need not be reopened for this year. We may take up the whole question sufficiently early for the next year when the full report about this year's selections has been received.

M.B.
2-8-49

The draft memo below may now be issued. w.r.t. 'K' above, a call will be noted against 1-3-50.

P.R.B.
2-8-49

A.G.M.
2-8-49

M.B.M.
3-8-49

J.M.L.P.
3-8-49

/True extract/

Edn.(G)

'K' above: The report of the selection Committee on the admissions made into Govt. Engg. Colleges in 1949-50 has not yet been received. The D.P.I. is being reminded again in the matter. The receipt of the report may be awaited.

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Report since recd. & dealt with separately in Cmb 6[illegible]538/50

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
Health Department.
Memorandum No.55852 Q/49-7 dated 18th May 1950.

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Sub: MEDICAL Colleges - Admission - Nativity certificates of candidates - Forms - Amended.

Ref: G.O.Ms.No.2786 Public Health, dated 26.10.1945.
G.O.Ms.No.1466 Public Health, dated 13.5.1946.
G.O.Ms.No.2113 Public Health, dated 17.6.1947.
G.O.Ms.No.4115 Public Health, dated 4.12.1948.
From the Surgeon-General, Ref:No.68016-7M/50 dated 20.1.1950.

A revised form of nativity certificates to be produced by candidates for admission to the Medical Colleges as amended and approved by Government is appended to this Memo. The Surgeon-General is requested to instruct the Principals of the Medical Colleges to arrange to give effect to the revised form of the certificates in connection with the forthcoming admissions to the Colleges.

2. Final orders regarding the revision of the rules for the selection of candidates for admission to Medical Colleges will be issued in June, 1950.

3. The Surgeon-General is requested to acknowledge the receipt of this Memo.

T.M.S. MANI,
Secretary to Government.

To
The Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, Madras.

/Forwarded/By Order/

N.K. Prabhakaran
Superintendent.

K Copy to the Secy Edn. Depts for information and for issue of similar instructions regarding Engineering colleges.

K Mani
18/5/50

Edn. Secy. (Mr. Paul).

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SECRETARIAT
19 MAY 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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Pl. take action at once

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Appendix.

Revised form of nativity certificates to be produced by candidates for admission to ~~Medical~~ Colleges.

I. Govt. Engg.

Certified that . . . . a candidate for admission into the . . . . Engg. ~~Medical~~ College . . . . . son/daughter of . . . . . . resided in the district of . . . . for a total period of ten years immediately preceding the Ist of January last, exclusive of the periods spent in any other district or districts by the candidate for his/her studies, or with his/her parents while the latter was employed in Government service, or was engaged in any occupation, trade, business or profession and consequently that . . . . is a native of the district of . . . . within the meaning of G.O.No.2786 P.H. dated the 26th October 1945.

(Here enter details of residence of the candidates. If any period is to be excluded, the reasons for the exclusion should be clearly specified).

Place:

Date:

Signature:

Rank:

II.

Certified that . . . . the parent of . . . . . . a candidate for admission into the . . . . Engg. ~~Medical~~ College . . . . resided in the district of . . . . . for a total period of ten years immediately preceding the Ist of January last, exclusive of the periods spent by the said . . . . . . in Government service or in any occupation, trade, business or profession in any other district or districts, and consequently that . . . . is a native of the district of . . . . . within the meaning of G.O.No.2786, P.H., dated the 26th October, 26th October 1945.

(Here enter details of residence of the parent. If any period is to be excluded, the reasons for the exclusion should be specified).

Place: Signature:

Date: Rank:

This certificate should be signed by an Officer of the Revenue Department not below the rank of a ~~Tahsildar~~ Revenue Divisional Officer, of the District concerned, and should bear the stamp of the office of the Officer signing the certificate.

NOTE: The scheme approved in G.O.No.2786, P.H., dated the 26th October, 1945, applies only to citizens of India. The idea of exclusion of periods spent by the parents in Government service or other occupation or by the candidate over his studies is to make nativity relate really to the district to which the candidate actually belongs by birth, parentage, possession of ancestral property etc., and not to make it dependent on the accident of Government service ~~or other occupation~~ or of sojourn for educational purposes. The idea is not to let nativity be acquired in any district elsewhere to which a Government Officer might go during his service. The test is applied with reference to the candidate and he is entitled to exclude both the periods spent by him in studies elsewhere and by his parent in Government service or other occupation elsewhere if he was with them all along. For instance, if a student belongs to a family in Tanjore, spends his boyhood with a parent who is in Government service in various places elsewhere and then goes to Madras or elsewhere for his studies, he should be put down as a native of Tanjore where his father would have spent, presumably, more than ten years before he entered in Government service. If a candidate belongs to more than one district by this test, he can elect any one of the districts for purposes of the certificate.

Whichever of the forms, I and II, is appropriate to the particular case should be used.

III.

Cases in which there might not be ten years' residence as aforesaid in any district in the State will ~~dealt with~~ be dealt with, subject to the following conditions:-

(1) The candidate should be a citizen of India, and either he or his parent should have resided in the State for a total period of ten years.

(2) The district in which the candidate or his parents resided at the time of applying for admission to the college, will be taken as the district to which the candidate belongs, for purposes of the rule of linguistic representation laid down in G.O.No.1358, P.H., dated the 16th June, 1943.

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(3) ~~The candidates should be citizens of India.~~ ~~They~~ He need not be required to produce nativity certificates but should be required to furnish proof in support of (1) and (2). The certificate in this behalf should be signed by a ~~Magistrate or~~ by a Gazetted Officer. of the Revenue Dept.

W.R. Prabhakaran.
Superintendent.

Jd/18-5/

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Memo. No. 49672-10/49 G dated 19-5-5

Sub: ~~Colleges~~ - Govt. Engg. colleges - Nativity certificates of candidates - for ~~Revised form Communicated~~ Amend

vide pros. c.f. Read: G.O. Ms. No. 2786 P.H. d. 26-10-'45
G.O. Ms. No. 1466 P.H. d. 13-5-'46
G.O. Ms. No. 2113 P.H. d. 17-6-'47
G.O. Ms. No. 4115 P.H. d. 4-12-'48.

x p107-111 c.f.

A revised form of nativity certificates to be produced by candidates for admn. to the Govt. Engg. Colleges as amended and approved by the Govt. is appended hereto. The D.P.I. is requested to instruct the Principals ~~of the Govt.~~ Engg. Colleges, Guindy, to arrange to give effect to the revised form of the nativity certificates in connection with admissions to the ~~S.~~ Eng. Colleges in 1950-'51.

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2. Final orders regarding
e revision of the rules for the selection
f Candidates for admn. to the Govt. Engg.
lleges will be issued in June 1950.

3. The D.P.I. is requested
o acknowledge the receipt of this
memo.

19-5-50.

(Expt in CL)

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To The D.P.I.
" Principal, Engg. College, Guindy (with copy of p107-111 c.f.)
~~By [illegible]~~

4 S/c. (with encl.)

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras

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To

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

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
26 MAY 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Rc.No. 464-K.2/50 dated 22-5-'50

Sub: Colleges - Government Engineering College - Nativity Certificates of candidates - Forms - Amended -
Ref: Govt. Memo.No. 49672-20/49 G. Edn. dated 19.5.'50 ~~p113-114~~ ante

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of the Government Memo. referred to above.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

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~~Realor~~

T. M. ~~Reg~~ post. No. 49672-11/49 G dated 27-5-50

To

The D. P. I.

Principal, Engineering College, Guindy

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Sub: Govt. Engg. colleges – Nativity certificates of Candidates –

Ref: Memo. No. 49672-10/49 G d. 19-5-50

Your No. 464 K2/50 d. 22-5-50

In Form No. II in the Appendix to the memo cited, please substitute the word "Engg." for the word "Medical" occurring.

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Health Department.

NOTE FOR THE CABINET.

Sub: MEDICAL COLLEGES - Admissions - Rules - Modification of - Proposals.

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The salient features of the existing rules governing admissions to Medical Colleges, are as follows:-

(i) From the total number of seats available which is about 300, the number (19) of seats reserved for being filled by nominees of the Government of India hailing from the Colonies Centrally administered areas etc., and the nominees (16) of the United States of Travancore and Cochin, and the six seats reserved for being filled up by the Surgeon-General at his discretion in consultation with the Government, are deducted, leaving a balance of about 270 seats available for allotment. With reference to the population of the predominantly Tamil and Telugu districts and that of the West Coast districts, the 270 seats referred to above are apportioned in the ratio of 50.8 percent for the predominantly Tamil districts, 38.1 percent for the predominantly Telugu districts and 11.1 percent for the two West Coast districts of Malabar and South Kanara. The predominantly Telugu districts for this purpose are Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, Nellore, Cuddapah, Kurnool, Anantapur, Chittoor and Bellary.

(ii) The regional quotas are then distributed over the various districts in the respective regions, with reference to the population. There is however one exception to this. Notwithstanding population figures, the City of Madras is allowed a quota of 10 percent of the regional quota for Tamil districts. This is being done from 1947, in view of the large number of educational institutions, particularly colleges, in the city, and consequently the very large number of students qualifying themselves for the medical course from these colleges. (Strictly speaking, the attention should be in proportion to the number of qualified candidates in each area).

(iii) Twenty-three percent of the total number of seats (270) available for allotment to the citizens of this State are reserved for women candidates, and this is also distributed in accordance with the regional and district considerations mentioned above.

(iv) The seats so allocated are filled in, on the basis of the communal representation rule, separately for each district, except in the case of the Harijans, Indian Christian and Muslim communities, where, in view of the smallness of numbers involved, the communal rule is applied on a State-wide basis, with effect from 1949, but with reference, as far as possible, to their distribution in the regions and districts. The seats for backwards Hindus are merged in along with the seats for non-brahmins, subject to the condition that not less than two out of every 14 selected should be backward Hindus.

(v) Subject to the regional, district, sex and communal allocations, as indicated above, a system of priorities is followed with reference to the educational qualifications of the candidates in each category. First class graduates, with Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Botany or Physiology as their main subject, are naturally given first preference. Then come those who have passed the Intermediate in the first class, with Physics, Chemistry and Natural science as optionals. Second class graduates, in the subjects indicated above for graduates, are next, and then second class Intermediates. Third class graduates follow, and behind them come those who have passed the science group of the B.A. or B.Sc., but have not qualified for the degree. The next in order ~~or~~ are Intermediates with Physics, Chemistry and any other optional.

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(vi) For assessing merit in each of the classes above, the marks obtained in English and the language are not taken into account. Students who pass the Intermediate in two sittings are not penalised, so long as they have passed part III of their examination in the first sitting, but if they have passed part III in the second sitting, marks are deducted for purposes of a comparative basis vis-a-vis other candidates. No weightage is given to graduates who pass in the III class or who pass their examination in two or more sittings. Proficiency in games and extra curricular activities are not taken into account.

(vii) In view of the district representation provided for, the entire scheme is governed by the production of nativity certificates, proving the districts to which the candidates belong.

2. It will be seen that the rules and the procedure laid down are by no means simple. The complexity will make the stoutest heart quail. Last year, a number of practical difficulties were experienced, most of them arising out of the district representation principle. Some of the nativity certificates were palpably absurd, but there were no easy means of checking them. Districts which normally provided comparatively small numbers of candidates of only moderate calibre became very popular, and several persons app/eared to have become natives of those districts overnight! This state of affairs was seen to result in unfair treatment being meted out to certain better candidates of a community, compared to inferior types of candidates of the same community, claiming nativity in other districts. For instance, a candidate of one community, who, if he had been a native of the West Godavari district, would not have gained admission, was able to secure a seat by claiming as his native district Visakhapatnam, which had a larger allotment and a poorer set of candidates. Similarly, one or two candidates who are by no means connected with the Ceded districts, are known to have gained admission by an unchallengable and unverifiable claim of being natives of one those districts. It is quite impossible to devise any system of nativity certificates which would obviate irregularities, as the question depends upon the residence etc., of either the candidate or his parent, and either of them may have been in a number of districts in the exigencies either of public service, or professional calling etc.

The system of priorities with reference to educational qualifications seemed rather unsatisfactory as well.

The communal rotation principle also has worked hardship, particularly where the seats available for a district were not a multiple of 14, the total number for each cycle. In such cases, certain communities lost all chances, depending on the number of seats. For instance according to the cycle, the first six seats go to Non-brahmins and the next 2 to backward Hindus. If the district quota was only 7, six non-Brahmins and only one backward Hindu got in and the other communities, and the claims of the second backward Hindu were ignored, although on merits, some of the unsuccessful candidates in the district were probably superior to those selected from the same communities elsewhere.

The quota allotted to the city of Madras, which was only about 13, seemed to be miserably inadequate.

In view of these problems, the Selection committee was asked to consider the rules and procedure in all their aspects, and to submit specific proposals for amendment. The Committee has submitted an unanimous report, except for a dissenting view by one member, and that too in respect of a single matter only. After an examination of the Committee's recommendations, the proposals explained below are put forward in consultation with the Public and Legal departments, for a decision. The provisions of the Constitution Act have also been taken into account in the matter.

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3. As Art 29 (2) of the Constitution, relating to admissions into educational institutions maintained by the State or receiving State Aid, does not prohibit selections being made with reference to residence or place of birth, there is no objection to applicants belonging to this State being given preference. (The question of reducing the seats reserved for nominees of the Central Government has already been taken up with that Government). It seems however undesirable to continue district representation. To consider a citizen to be a native of ~~xx~~ a particular district or regions first, will tend to aggravate those parochial and fissiparous tendencies, which the leaders of the country are most anxious to put down. In the interests of the country, it is most desirable to encourage people to consider themselves to be citizens of the country first, rather than as natives of a particular province or district. Secondly, districts being purely administrative divisions, with no definite distinction or difference in the matter of language, culture etc., compared to a neighbouring district, district representation involves an inferior candidate of a community being preferred to a better candidate of the same community hailing from another, even an adjoining district. Thirdly, in many cases, it may result in applicants of a number of communities being rejected with reference to the communal rotation rule, as indicated in para 2 above. The committee has therefore recommended with but one dissentient, that district representation should be given up, so that the best candidates from each community could be chosen. The seats available for some districts being smaller than 14, the communal cycle, there is a danger, in district representation, of injustice being done to some communities.

3(ii) If for any reason this does not appeal to Government, the Committee suggests the acceptance of the lesser of two evils, and proposes allocations for a group of districts, each such group consisting of two, or at the most three, districts. As there is very little difference between district representation on the basis of individual districts and representation for groups of only two and not more than three districts, it is not necessary to pursue the alternative suggestion of the committee. It seems very desirable that as proposed by the Committee, the system of district representation should be given up altogether.

iii At the same time, the possible creation of an Andhra Province at a more favourable date in the future, and the necessity for the new Province to have adequate numbers of medical personnel belonging to areas which will be comprised in that Province, seem to suggest that, at any rate, selection on the basis of the Andhra and non-Andhra *personnel. It seems a pity to continue to speak of Andhra and non-Andhra, but the Govt. must face realities. Assuming that the seats available might be distributed between the Andhra and non-Andhra areas, the communal rotation being applied separately for each area as a whole, a further difficulty is likely to arise regarding the claims of Rayalaseema. It is an undoubted fact that the Ceded districts do not offer candidates either in sufficient numbers, or of adequate quality, to stand a favourable chance of competitive selection for the Andhra quota as such.

iv In the circumstances, if, for any reason, it is felt that district representation should not be abolished altogether, the seats available for allotment by the Selection Committee may be distributed over three groups, consisting of the Circars area (Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Nellore), the Rayalaseema area (Bellary, Anantapur, Cuddapah, Kurnool and Chittoor) and the non-Andhra area (all the remaining districts), in proportion to the population in each group. The seats allocated to each group may then be allotted with reference to the communal rotation rule, applied to the group as a whole, to obviate the chances of members of some of the communities being left out of consideration, which is likely to happen under the

*Areas may be desirable, especially as it is possible that some sections of Andhra opinion, as well as the case recently may not be in favour of employing non-Andhra.

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the existing rules and to secure that the best candidates in each community in the region are selected.

In other words, the new group system proposed is more or less similar to the existing group system, with this difference that there will be no further sub-division on the basis of districts within each group, and the communal rule will be ~~no further~~ applied in respect of all communities, for the group as a whole, as is now done in the case of Harijans, Muslims and Christians for the Province as a whole. Such a system will also obviate the very undesirable practices noticed regarding nativity certificate.

4. If, for any reason, it is felt that the existing district representation system should continue, which it is hoped will not be the case, it is suggested that as the number of seats allottable to the Brahmin community in the communal cycle is small, selection of candidates belonging to this community may also be made on a State basis, with reference as far as possible to their distribution in the regions and districts, as is now provided for in the case of Harijans, Muslims and Christians.

5. The City of Madras has a number of colleges imparting education in the sciences, and the number of students passing the Intermediate examination or graduating from the city colleges is very large. Further, it will be unfair to have as the basis the city of Madras on the one hand, so far as the Madras district, which consists only of the city is concerned, while in the case of the other districts, the entire population both urban and rural, is taken into account. In short, the fact that the district of Madras consists of an entirely urban area, studded with colleges, and particularly colleges imparting instruction in the sciences, must be given due weight. Many of the bright students from the mofussil of all communities come to Madras for higher education. In the circumstances, 13 seats for the city of Madras is a ridiculously small number, as already indicated. It is, therefore, proposed that the City of Madras, should be allocated 20 percent of the seats from the predominantly Tamil districts, if the existing system of grouping and district representation is to continue. Even this will not be doing full justice to Madras city, but the percentage proposed may be deemed adequate for the present. If the other system proposed, of grouping into Circars, Rayalaseema and non-Andhra, is however agreed to, there will be no need for any specific reservation for the city.

6. It is a matter for regret that women students admitted to Medical colleges sometimes give up their studies on getting married, or, if they have graduated or are practising after graduation, give up their profession, in favour of that of raising children. It costs the State not less than Rs.1000 per annum per student, to impart medical education, not to mention the expenses incurred by the students themselves on books, fees, conveyance, food etc. In the circumstances, it is open to question whether as many as 23 percent of the seats should be specifically reserved for women candidates. Such reservation may result in inferior candidates being selected who, had they been men, would not have been anywhere near selection. Under the Constitution there can be no limitation of the number of seats for women to any percentage, but at the same time there can be provision to admit an adequate number of women candidates, to provide women doctors, in the interests of the public. It is, therefore, proposed, that instead of the specific reservation of 23 percent, the proper course would be merely to treat men and women candidates on an equal footing, as laid down in the Constitution, but as permitted by the Constitution, provide that not less than 20 percent of the seats should be filled by women. In this manner, women candidates of real merit, who are normally less likely to give up their profession than inferior types, can be admitted in sufficient numbers.

7. As regards order of preference with reference to educational qualifications, the committee points out that as the pass marks for

for a II class in the B.A., or B.Sc., ~~should~~ examination are 50 percent, the II class B.A., or B.Sc., should have preference over a first class Intermediate. Similarly, as the percentage of marks for a III class B.A. or B.Sc., is the same as for an Intermediate II class, the committee suggests that the former should be preferred to the latter. The Committee's views are sound and may be accepted. The order of preference will then be:

1) B.A. or B.Sc., I class with Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Botany or Physiology.
2) B.A. or B.Sc. II class with ~~Bx~~ " "
3) Intermediate I class with Physics, Chemistry and Natural Science.
4) B.A. or B.Sc. III class with (as in 1 above).
5) Intermediate II class, with (as in 3 above)
6) The other lower preferences will be as at present.

The Committee also suggests that in assessing merit in each class, under each community and district the total marks, including marks in English and the language should be taken into account, and that candidates who pass in all the subjects in the first attempt should be preferred to those who pass in instalments. A further proposal is that other things being equal, weightage should be given for proficiency in games and for extra curricular activities, in which the student has displayed a ~~fix~~ gift for leadership, but H.M.(Law) while he agrees with the reasoning, feels that it is not desirable to give such weightage as all colleges are not provided with equal facilities.

8. At present physical fitness certificates are being insisted on from all candidates. This seems unnecessary. On the otherhand, the medical course being a very tough and strenuous one, it is essential to exclude people with very poor physique, in the interests of the public whom the medical graduates will be serving in the future. It is, therefore, proposed that selected candidates should undergo examination by Medical Boards in their own districts, and that those who are declared unfit should be replaced.

9. The Committee further recommends that it is not necessary to prepare any reserve list, as such, of candidates, especially as vacancies have to be filled with reference to the community, district etc., of the persons, who after selection are not available for admission, and this can be done from the data sheets straight-away. The Committee also proposes that there need be no reservation (now 10 percent) for ex-service personnel. These recommendations may be accepted.

10. If the final decision of the Government is that district representation should continue, nativity certificates will continue to be essential. Even otherwise, they may be necessary to distinguish citizens of this State from others. In view of the changed status of this country, certain amendments are also necessary to the nativity certificates. These will be issued.

11. The case was circulated to H.Ms., Health, Education and Public Works and to H.C.M. The minutes recorded are extracted below:

"I agree with the Secretary that any grouping of districts into groups of only two or three districts is no better than the existing representation for individual districts. On general grounds of policy, and to maintain a national feeling as opposed to parochial feelings, it is certainly desirable to abolish the system of district representation, as incidentally this will result in people being very straight forward and not submitting questionable nativity certificates. If, for any reason, my colleagues consider that complete abolition of regional considerations is not desirable, then the allocation of seats may be made on the basis of only three groups viz., Circars, Rayalaseema and non-Andhra. But personally I would prefer to see the regional distribution abolished in the interest of the unity of the country. The communal principle will them apply for the State as a whole for all communities and we would be securing that the best of each community in the State will be selected which will all be to the good.

The order of preference with reference to educational qualifications now proposed is certainly better for the reasons given by the Committee.

I fully support the proposal that selected candidates should be examined by a Medical Board in their own districts to secure that only persons who can stand the strain of the course are actually trained. There is no use spending large sums of money on training persons who may not stand the course or who after having completed the course, may not live long enough to be of service to the State.

I agree to the other proposals.

The entire subject may be discussed at a Cabinet meeting.

T.S.S. Rajan.
13-3-1950."

"However much we may try to rationalise things and wish for an ideal condition that there should be no communal or district proportions, the difficulty will be there as long as we have not sufficient number of colleges, to admit all those who apply. Under such circumstances I am afraid we cannot give up district representation absolutely. If Andhra H.Ms. are agreeable to the suggestion of Secretary of three regions, I have no objection. Since this was discussed by Cabinet more than once, it is better it goes before the Cabinet.

K. Madhava Menon.
14-3-1950."

"The District representation is not satisfactory at all. But conditions in Rayalaseema have been pointed out in defence of the District representation. I would in the circumstances agree that there may be regional representation as Circars, Rayalaseema, Tamil Districts and West Coast Districts. I would also like to show some consideration for proficiency in sports.

May be discussed in the Cabinet.

M. Bakthavatsalam."
14-3-1950.

P.S. Kumaraswami Raja.
15-3-1950.

12. To sum up the points for decision are:

1) Whether, to discourage fissiparous tendencies and district feelings and to secure the smoother operation of the communal rule, district representation may be abolished altogether, and the entire State treated as one unit for purpose of selection, applying of course the communal rule.

2) In the alternative, whether selection may be based on the basis of the population of three groups only, the Rayalaseema area, the Circars area and the non-Andhra area, if necessary splitting up the non-Andhra area into Tamil area and West Godavari area,

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there being no district representation within each group and the communal rule being applied separately for each group as a whole.

3) If both the above are not acceptable and it is decided that district representation should continue, whether

(a) the quota for the City of Madras may be 20 percent of the allocation for the predominantly Tamil area, and

(b) the selection of Brahmin candidates may be made on a State -wide basis, with reference as far as possible to their distribution in the regions and districts, as in the case of the Harijans, Muslims and Christians.

(4) Whether, in keeping with the provisions of the Constitution, it may be prescribed that not less than 20 percent of the seats should be filled by women.

5) Whether the system of preferences, with reference to educational qualifications, proposed by the Committee may be approved.

6) Whether weightage should be given, in making selections, for proficiency in games and for extra curricular activities, displaying a gift for leadership.

7) Whether selected candidates may be examined by Medical Boards in their own districts, and rejected if physically unfit.

8) Whether the preparation of a reserve list and the reservation of seats for ex-service personnel may be abolished.

T. S. S. RAJAN,
Hon'ble Minister for Health.

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GOvernment of Madras.

Meeting of the Council of Ministers held at Fort St.George, on Friday the 21st April 1950, at 11 A.M.

The Hon'ble the Chief Minister presided.

PRESENT:- The Hon. Dr. T.S.S. Rajan
" Sri. M. Bhaktavatsalam
" " B. Gopala Reddi
" " K. Madhava Menon
" " H. Sitarama Reddi
" " A. B. Shetty
" " K. Chandramouli
" " B. Parameswaran
" " N. Sanjiva Reddi
" " C. Perumalswamy Reddi
" " J.L.P. Roche Victoria.

AGENDA. - 3. Medical Colleges - Admissions - Rules - modification of - Proposals.

ORDER:-

It was decided to request the Hon'ble Ministers for Health, Public Works, Educal & Law, and Revenue, to examine the proposals for amendments to the rules for admissions to Medical Colleges including the procedure for the grant of Nativity Certificates, and formulate a common set of proposals applicable both to the Medical and Engineering Colleges, for decision at the next meeting of the Cabinet.

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Addl. Secy.
for C.S.
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P.S. Kumaraswamy Raja.
Chief Minister.

Health Deptt.

Note for the Council ~~and~~ of Ministers.

As desired by the Council of Ministers at its meeting held on the 21st April last, we have very carefully examined the existing rules for admissions to the Medical and Engineering Colleges, and the proposals for amendments to the rules for admission to Medical colleges contained in the note for the meeting of the Council on the 21st April, and make the following recommendations applicable both to the medical and engineering colleges:-

(1) We feel it is very necessary that the existing system of district representation, which often results in inferior candidates of a community being selected in preference to better candidates of the same community, by the production of irregular nativity certificates, should be given up. At the same time, we feel that it will not be desirable, particularly in the interests of the Ceded districts, to do away with the principle underlying district representation altogether. We therefore propose that selection should be made on the basis of the population of groups of districts, the communal rule being applied separately for each group. The Ist group of districts should be, the districts of Chittoor Bellary, Anantapur, Cuddapah and Kurnool; the second group, the districts of Vizagapatam, East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, & Nellore and Chittoor; the third group, the predominantly Tamil districts, including Madras City, as at present; the fourth group, the West coast districts of Malabar and South Kanara, as at present.

(2) In keeping with the provisions of the Constitution, it should be prescribed that not less than 20 per cent of the seats should be filled by women, separately for each group of districts.

(3) We are not in favour of the proposal, in the Health Department's note for the Cabinet, suggesting that second class Graduates in Science subjects should be preferred to first class Intermediates with Physics etc. We consider that the existing system of preference with reference to educational qualifications should continue without change.

(4) We consider that as between candidates of the same community and with the same, or practically the same, marks, preference should be given to candidates proficient in games and with extra curricular activities, to their credit, displaying a gift for leadership.

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(5) As regards medical certificates of candidates, we consider that it will not be desirable to have selected candidates examined by medical boards, even in their own districts, as such a procedure may constitute, more or less, a second selection. We therefore propose that the existing state of affairs should continue.

(4) (6) As regards the last point in the Health Department's note for the Cabinet, we agree that it is not necessary to prepare a reserve list as such, as the filling up of vacancies will depend upon the community and group of the persons not taking up the seats offered, and vacancies can be filled up from the data already tabulated. We (5) also agree that there need be no reservation of ~~xxx~~ seats for ex-service personnel.

(7) The nativity certificates, as at present prescribed, will need some slight modifications, e.g., deleting references to "British subjects" etc. The certificates as proposed to be modified in the Health Department's file will be adequate.

(8) The certificates were hitherto being signed by officers of the Revenue Department, not below the rank of a Tahsildar. We consider that these certificates should be signed by officers of the Revenue Department, not below the rank of the Revenue Divisional Officers. Instructions may also be issued to all officers of the Revenue Department not below the rank of Revenue Divisional Officers, to exercise great care in issuing the certificates and to see that there is no delay in their issue.

Dated 18th May 1950.

T.S.S. Rajan.
M. Bhaktavatsalam.
K. Madhava Menon.
H. Sitarama Reddi.

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STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.

Government of Madras.

Meeting of the Council of Ministers held at Fort St. George, on Monday the 12th June 1950, at 11.A.M.

The Hon'ble the Chief Minister presided.

PRESENT:- The Hon. Dr. T.S.S. Rajan.
" Sri M. Bhaktavatsalam
" " K. Madhava Menon
" " H. Sitarama Reddi
" " A. B. Shetty.
" " K. Chandramouli
" " B. Parameswaran
" " N. Sanjiva Reddi
" " C. Perumalswami Reddi
" " J.L.P. Roche Victoria.

AGENDA;

3. Medical Colleges - Rules for the selection of candidates - Revision - Recommendations of Hon'ble Ministers for Health, Public Works, Education & Law, and Land Revenue.

ORDER:--

The proposals put forward were approved except that it was decided that the District of Chittoor should be added in the first group along with Bellary, Anantapur, Cuddapah and Kurnool. It was further decided that the number of seats at the disposal of the Government should be twelve and that the selection of candidates for these 12 seats should be taken up only after the general selection, the candidates being selected by the Hon'ble the Chief Minister, H.M.(Health) and the Surgeon-General sitting together. In the case of students for the Engineering Colleges the same principles will apply except that in the place of the Hon'ble Minister for Health, the Hon'ble Minister for Public Works will ~~xx~~ sit along with the Hon'ble the Chief Minister and that the Director of Public Instruction will take the place of the Surgeon General.

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P.S. Kumaraswamy Raja
Chief Minister.

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Please see the final decision of the Cabinet at p 13 ante.

These papers may be sent to Edn. deptt. for necessary action in regard to admissions to Engineering Colleges.

Action is being taken on the orgl in this deptt

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Sub:- COLLEGES - Government Engineering - Rules for selection of candidates for admission - Modification - Orders issued.

Read: G.O. No. Ms. 997-Education, dated 22-7-1943.
G.O. No. Ms.1364-Education, dated 27-6-1947.
G.O. No. Ms.1254-Education, dated 17-5-1948.
G.O.No. Ms.2096-Education, dated 29-6-1949.
Memorandum No.51500-3/49-A-Edn., dated 16-7-1949.

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Order Ms. No. 1803 Edn., dated 15-6-1950

In connection with the admissions into the Govt. Engg. Colleges in 1950-51, the Govt. have examined the question whether any modification is necessary to the existing rules for the selection of candidates for admission into these colleges and they have decided that the following modifications should be made:-

(1) The existing system of district-war representation will be given up; and selection of candidates will be made on the basis of groups of districts, the communal rule being applied separately for each group. For purposes of this rule the State will be divided into four groups of districts. The 1st Group will consist of the districts of Cuddapah, Kurnool, Bellary, Anantapur and Chittoor; the 2nd Group will consist of the districts of Visakhapatnam East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Nellore; the 3rd Group will consist of the districts of Madras, Chingleput, North Arcot, South Arcot, Salem, Coimbatore, Tanjore, Tiruchirapalli, Mathurai, Ramanathapuram, Tirunelveli and the Nilgiris; the 4th Group will consist of the districts of Malabar and South Kanara.

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(2) Not less than 20 per cent. of the seats will be filled by women, separately for each of the above four groups of districts.

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Item (2) on p 57 f

(~~3~~2) As between candidates of the same community and with the same, or practically the same marks, preference will be given to candidates proficient in games and ~~with extra-curricular activities to their credit~~, displaying a gift for leadership, in extra curricular activities.

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(~~4~~3) The preparation of a reserve list of candidates for admission against the seats falling vacant after the initial admissions are over, will be given up; Vacancies should be filled up from the data already tabulated

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(~~5~~4) The existing reservation of 10 per cent of

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the seats for ex-service personnel, ~~who are natives of this State,~~ will be abolished.

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(5) The existing reservation of seven seats in the Govt. Engg. Colleges for being filled up by the D.P.I., at his discretion, in consultation with the Govt. will be raised to twelve; and selection of candidates for admission against these seats will be made, after the general selection of candidates by the Selection Committee is over, by the H.C.M., H.M.(P.W.) and the D.P.I. sitting together.

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2. The revised form of nativity certificates to be produced by candidates for admission into the Govt. Engg. colleges, as amended and approved by the Govt. is appended hereto. These certificates were hitherto being signed by officers of the Revenue Dept., not below the rank of a Tahsildar. The Govt. have now decided that these certificates should hereafter be signed by officers of the Revenue Dept. not below the rank of R.D.Os. The Collectors of all Districts are requested to instruct Revenue Officers of the rank of R.D.Os. in their districts to exercise great care in issuing the certificates and to see that there is no delay ~~in their~~ in issuing them to the applicants.

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APPENDIX.

Revised form of nativity certificates to be produced by candidates for admission to ~~Medical Colleges.~~ the Government Engineering Colleges.

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I.

Certified that. . . . . .a candidate for admission into the . . . . ~~Medical College~~ Engineering college son daughter of . . . . resided in the district of. . . . . for a total period of ten years immediately preceeding the Ist of January last, exclusive of the periods spent in any other district or districts by the candidate for his/her studies, or with his/her parent while the latter was employed in Government service, or was engaged in any occupation, trade, business or profession and consequently that. . . . . is a native of the district of. . . . . within the meaning of G.O.No.2786 P.H. dated the 26th October 1945.

(Here enter details details of residence of the candidate. If any period is to be excluded, the reasons for the exclusion should be clearly specified).

Place:
Signature:
Date:
Rank.

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Certified that. . . . . .the parent of. . . . . a candidate for admission into the. . . . . ~~Medical~~ Engineering College . . . . .reisded in the district of. . . . . . for a total period of ten years immediately preceding the Ist of January last, exclusive of the periods spent by the said. . . . . in Government service or in any occupation, trade, business or profession in any other district or districts, and consequently that. . . . . .is a native of the district of. . . . . . . within the meaning of G.O.No.2786 P.H. dated the 26th October 1945.

(Here enter details of residence of the parent. If any period is to be excluded, the reasons for the exclusion should be specified).

Place
Date
Signature
Rank.

This certificate should be signed by an officer of the Revenue Department not below the rank of a Revenue Divisional Officer of the District concerned and should bear the stamp of the office of the Officer signing the certificate.

NOTE: The scheme approved in G.O.No.2786 P.H. dated the 26th October, 1945, applies only to citizens of India. The idea of exclusion of periods spent by the parents in Government service or other occupation or by the candidate over his studies is to make nativity relate really to the district to which the candidate actually belongs by birth, parentage, possession of ancestral property etc., and not to make it dependent on the accident of Government service or soujourn for educational purposes. The idea is not to let nativity be acquired in any district elsewhere to which a Government Officer might go during his service.

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The test is applied with reference to the candidate and he is entitled to exclude both the periods spent by him in studies elsewhere and by his parent in Government service or other occupation elsewhere if he was with them all along. For instance, if a student belongs to a family in Tanjore, spends his boyhood with a parent who is in Government service in various places elsewhere and then goes to Madras or elsewhere for his tudies, he should be put down as a native of Tanjore where his father would have spent, presumably, more than ten years before he entered in Government service, If a candidate belongs to more than one district by this test, he can elect any one of the districts for purposes of the certificate.

Whichever of the forms I and II is appropriate to the particular case should be used.

III

Cases in which there might not be ten years' residence as aforesaid in any district in the State will be dealt with, subject to the following conditions:-

(1) The candidate should be a citizen of India, and either he or his parent should have resided in the State for a total period of ten years.

(2) The district in which the candidate or his parents resided at the time of applying for admission to the college, will be taken as the district to which the candidate belongs for purposes of the rule of linguistic representation laid down in G.O.No. ~~[illegible]~~ [illegible] dated th~~e [illegible]~~ [illegible] 1943.

(3) He need not be required to produce nativity certificate but should be required to furnish proof in support of (1) and (2). The certificate in this behalf should be signed by a Gazetted officer of the Revenue Department.

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~~Superintendent~~.

14-6-50.

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Edn Dept

Memo no. 16669A-2/50 of Edn dated 22-6-50.

Colleges - Engineering - Reservation of seats for students from agency areas.

A copy of the minutes of H.M. (Prohibition) and H.M. (P.W) is communicated to the D.P.I. for necessary action.

21/6/50.

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To The D.P.I.

(with copy of the minutes)

21.6.50.

Copy to the Principal, Engg College, Guindy (with copy minutes) as a native of Tanjore where his

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Education Department (G)

Memorandum No.16857A-2/50 Edn., dated 23-6-50.

Sub:- Colleges - Engineering - Selection of students - Instructions.

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The D.P.I. is informed that the selection of students to the Govt. Engg. Colleges should be made strictly in accordance with the formula and principles laid down by Govt. therefor. If any deviations are made from the observance of the said formula or principle, the reasons for making such deviations ~~xhox~~ and the number of cases in which such deviation~~s~~ is made should be submitted to Govt. ~~and~~ The selection made by the Committee should not be announced before it is approved by ~~the~~ Govt.

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To

The D.P.I.

Despatched 23/6/50

By special messenger

Issued today

23/6/50

Edn. (G)

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Memo. No. 49672-12/49 G Dated 24.6.50.

Sub: Colleges - Engg. - Particulars of admns. in 1949

From the D.P.I. No. 1187 K2/49 d. 11-11-49.

(1) 17 c.f. removed.

The enclosures to recei[illegible] with the letter of the D.P.I. cited above are returned herewith.

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Spe[illegible] 26/6

22.6.50.

✓ To the D.P.I. (with enclosures)

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Kept below

22.6.50

Em depr

Memo no. 17183 G/50-3 Edn dated 4.7.50 G.

Colleges - Govt. Engineering - Rules for selection of candidates for admission - Amendment.

Read: G.O. Ms. No. 1803 Edn. dated 15.6.50.

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For the rule in para 1 (3) of G.O. Ms. No. 1803 Edn. dated 15.6.50, the following rule shall be substituted:—

AA. The preparation of a reserve list of candidates for admission against the seats falling vacant after the initial admissions are over will be given up. If any vacancy arises after the selection

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Madras Legis. II-3—1,206—11-12-39.

SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE,

Fort St. George, dated the 27-6-1949.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

49672

QUESTION No. 59 for the next meeting of the Legislative Council ~~to be held on the 19~~.

Two copies of this question are forwarded to the E and P. H. Department.

The question has been admitted.

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To

The E and P. H Department

5634/49-26 M.L.
29-6-49

E. & P. H. Dept. (A)

Please see the Council question (starred) in the c.f.

Clause (a):- The Govt. have not received any representations in the matter. There were comments in the Press now and then on the subject.

Clause (b):- Selection for admission into Engineering Colleges used to be made on linguistic, communal and district-war basis. Even under this arrangement selection was made on merit. Only the best students were selected after classifying them under certain groups.

In connection with admissions into the Govt. Engg. Colleges in the current year, the Govt. ~~have~~ ordered that the existing communal × and linguistic + proportions should be maintained. But, if there are any vacancies

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vide para 1 of G.O. No. 2096 Edn. 29-6-49

× G.O. 1754 Edn. 17-5-48 P/5

+ G.O. 997 Edn. 22-7-43 P/3

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of candidates, due to the failure of any selected candidate to join the College within the time specified by the College authorities, the vacancy should be filled up strictly in accordance with the general principles governing the selection of candidates, i.e. by candidates next in the order of preference from the same Community in the same region as put down in the tabulation. Such vacancies may be filled up by the Chairman of the Committee.

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due to want of suitable candidates from a particular community, such vacancies shall be filled according to merit subject to the condition that the regional and district quotas are not affected. It has also been ordered that selection for Muslims, Christians and Harijans should be made on a provincial basis, with reference as far as possible to their distribution in the regions and districts. It has further been ordered that the two seats reserved for backward communities shall be merged with the six seats reserved for non-brahmins. Both non-brahmins (forward) and candidates belonging to backward communities will be eligible to compete on merit for the eight seats, provided that where the selection of backward communities is less than two seats, the deficit will be made up only from the backward communities.

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vide Memo. No. 51500-3/49A

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ibid

ibid

ibid

There is no question, however, of Govt. reserving any percentage of the seats in the Govt. Engineering Colleges for being filled up purely on merit.

For orders whether the answer ~~may be given to clause~~ (may be) ~~(b) (c)~~ to the question on the above lines.

29.7.49

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NM 30/7/49

S H.M. (Edn)

may reply as indicated in the draft below

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H.M (B.W)

MP 1.8.

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I would like to have a complete analysis of the selection of the students, the marks, communities etc. when the selection is completed to be submitted to me along with the answer for the Assly to enable me to answer supplementary questions MP 1-8

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Please see the minute of H.M.(Edn) on the previous page. The draft answer on page 1 of may issue.

2 With reference to A on the previous page the D.P.I may be requested to obtain and forward to Govt the following information

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(1) Total number of applications recd: district-war, community-war with the marks of each student in Part III of the Intermediate.

(2) Number admitted from each district, community-war with marks in Part III of Intermediate

(3) Number of BAs, BScs, and Hons students who applied and the marks obtained by them in Part III of Intermediate. and number admitted community-war.

(4) Seats filled up according to merit basis and the circumstances under which they were filled.

(5) No of applications recd: from lady students, community-war & district-war with their marks and number admitted

(6) No. of students that turned up for reserved seats (outsiders) and number that were filled up by allotting (students)

~~Statistics~~ Information on the above points may give a complete picture of the selections made. A draft memo is subd.

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p 3 c.f. [Issued as Memo. No. 49672-2/49A Edn. d. 3.8.49]

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The cl. Qn. on p1 c.f. has lapsed, consequent on the prorogation of the Legislature. But the D.P.I.'s reply to the memo on p3 c.f. may be awaited. He may be reminded. A draft memo is subd. for approval.

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[Issued as Memo. No. 49672-3/49A Edn. d. 16.9.49.] p5 c.f.

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Secretariat of the Madras Legislature,

Fort St. George, dated the 18. 10. 1949.

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81082 QUESTION No. 92 for the next meeting of the Legislative Council ~~to be held on the~~ ~~19~~.

Two copies of this question are forwarded to the E and P.H. Department.

The question has been admitted.

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To

The E and P.H. Department

W.O. 7774/49 - 14 M.L.
18-10-49.

E.P.H. (A)

The ~~Assembly~~ Council Qn. No. 92 starred on page 7 c.f. is practically the same as the one on p1 c.f., which lapsed, consequent on prorogation of the Legislature. ~~The~~ A draft answer is subd. ~~after~~ before for approval, following ~~answer already approved on p1 c.f. may~~ the one on p1 c.f., previously approved. A memo reminding the D.P.I. for his reply to the memo on p3 c.f. is also subd.

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p9 & 11 c.f. [Issued as Memo. No. 49672-4/49A Edn. d. 31.10.49 and E.P.H. u.o. 49672-5/49A d. 31.10.49]

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From the D.P.I. No. 1187-K_2/49 d. 11.11.49.

The D.P.I.'s letter d. 11.11.49 and the enclosures thereto may be perused. The d.o. has since been answered on 18-11-49. The D.P.I. may now be asked to state when the report of the Selection Committee on the admissions made to the Govt. Engg. colleges in the current year containing a complete analysis of the final selections, the procedure followed etc. may be expected to reach the Govt. A draft memo is subd. for approval.

~~After issue, the file may be circulated to H.M.(P.W.) for perusal~~, w.r.t. his minutes at the ~~bottom of p2 ante and on p11 c.f.~~

p21 c.f. placed at the bottom.

Recd. separately with ... no. 6153/50

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[Issued as Memo. No. 49672-J/49 A Edn. d. 5-12-49.] p23c.

VI

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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"It was decided that the Hon'ble Ministers for Health, Education, Public Works and ~~Prohibition~~ Revenue should examine the proposals for amendments to the rules for admissions to medical colleges, evolve a common set of proposals applicable both to the Medical and Engineering Colleges and place them before the Council for final decision."

T.M.S.M.
21/4/50.

(E) A copy of the Health Minister's note for the Council of Ministers considered by the Council this morning is placed below.

Education Secy may kindly get his papers ready, to assist the H.Ms indicated above. As revised nativity certificates have to be printed well in advance, the matter is very urgent.

21/4/50.

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Education Secy

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Education Department

This file relates to the question of ~~the~~ amending ~~ment of~~ the rules for admission to Govt. Engineering colleges. Please see the Note for the Cabinet of the Health Department in regard to admission to Medical colleges and the note of the Health Secretary on p.7 ante. The Cabinet, after considering the proposals made by the Health Dept., has decided that the Hon. Ministers for Health, Education, Public Works and (Rev.) Prohibition should examine the proposals in the note for amendments to the rules for admission to Medical colleges ~~. It involves~~ and evolve a common set of proposals applicable both to Medical and Engineering Colleges ~~to~~ and place them before the Council for final decision.

vide p7 ante

ibid ×(E)

vide p7 ante

ibid

2. The number of seats in the four Govt. Engg. colleges at present is 395:-

Engineering College, Guindy	-	125
Arthur Hope College of Technology, Coimbatore	-	75
Engineering College, Anantapur	-	85*
Engineering College, Kakinada	-	110*
		395

vide p63 c.f.

ibid

vide p63 c.f. & bottom of p41 c.f.

(* the strength of each college was increased by 10 temporarily last year)

Of these, ~~23~~ 21 seats are reserved for students from outside the State (as shown in the margin) ~~. Details are given on p.61 c.f.~~ 10 per cent. of the seats are reserved for ex-service men. Seven seats are also reserved to be filled by the D.P.I. at his discretion in consultation with the Govt. The balance of seats are filled on linguistic and communal basis in the same manner as for Medical Colleges as in sub-paragraphs (i) and (iv) on p.1 of the Note for the Cabinet at 'E'.

Travancore-cochin union	2
Ceylon	2 + 2 for Ceylon Indians.
S. & E. Africa	2
Coorg	2
Orissa	2
Refugees from Pakistan	3
Indonesia	4
Jammu & Kashmir	2
	21

vide para 1 of G.O. 1364, Edn. 27-6-47

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x w.r.t. item (v) on (E)/1

3. No priorities ~~is~~ are followed with reference to educational qualifications as in the Medical colleges. But the following principles are followed:-

1) The total marks obtained in the Intermediate Examination in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry Group is taken into account in selecting the candidates. The marks obtained in English and Language are not taken into account.

para 2 on (P)/7-8

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2. Candidates who passed the Intermediate examination in parts and who passed the Part III at the first instance were also considered this year but a deduction of 25 marks was made to the candidates who passed Part III in the second sitting. item (2) on (P)/9-10

3. Candidates who passed the Intermediate examination after the second chance were not considered. item (3) on (P)/10

4. Weightage was given to extra academical awards to students who had a combination of subjects consisting of Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry, i.e., for first class B.A.(Hons.), and B.Sc.(Hons.), 50 marks was added to the marks obtained in Part III of the Intermediate, and 25 marks for second class B.A.(Hons.), and B.Sc.(Hons.). ~~No weightage was given last year.~~ vide (P)/10.

5. No weightage was given to the B.A., and B.Sc., candidates who appeared for the examination more than once. vide bottom of p 37 c.f.

6. No minimum standard of attainment was insisted for any community, as it was done in the previous years. ditto

7. No weightage was given for proficiency in games and for extra-curricula activities. ~~Same as last year.~~ ditto

4. The candidates have to produce a nativity certificate proving the district to which they belong as for the candidates in Medical colleges. The certificate is the same for Engg. and Medical Colleges. vide 7/1-4

5. The selection of candidates for the Engg. Colleges is made by a Committee consisting of the Principals of the four Engg. Colleges and 2 non-officials nominated by Govt. each year. One of the nominated members is the Chairman of the Committee. Please see G.O.No.18[illegible]-Edn., dated 8-6-49. In the selection of candidates for admission into Medical Colleges also, 3 non-officials are associated with the Principals of the different colleges. removed (B)/3 c.f. distributed c.no.6153/50

6. The report on the Selections made last year (to Engg. colleges) is on pp.33-49 c.f. in L.7 and it may be perused. The Principal, Engg. College, Guindy, has suggested that ~~the~~ non-officials need not be nominated for Selection Committee. The Director agrees with this. He has proposed that the selection may be entrusted to a committee consisting of the four principals with the Dy. Director of Public Instruction in charge of Collegiate Education as Chairman. L.7

In the note of the Health Dept. the question whether non-officials should be associated with the selection of candidates has not been raised. Orders on this point may be taken in circulation.

7. The proposals for amendments to the rules have been summarised in para 12 on pp.6-7 of the Note for (E

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(E)/6-7 distributed

vide para 12 (3)(a) on (E)/7

vide p 67 c.f.

vide 'K' on p 45-46 c.f.

the Cabinet at 'E'. This Dept. may accept proposal (2) in regard to the regional representation. Please see in this connection page 45 c.f. (13 c.f. in L.7) If district representation should continue, the quota for Madras City may be raised suitably in consultation with the D.P.I. The quota of seats for Madras is only 5. 23 candidates were selected from Madras in 1948 and 22 in 1949 - vide pp.45 (13) c.f. in L.7 – distributed

(E)/7

Point 3-(4): The selection of brahmin candidates may be made on state wide basis with reference as far as possible to the distribution in the regions and districts. 76 Brahmins were actually selected ~~last~~ this year out of a total number of 391 candidates actually admitted into the Engg. Colleges. According to the communal ratio, brahmins are entitled to only 56 seats. A larger number of brahmins than admissible according to the ratio were selected, because vacancies in the seats for Harijans were filled by candidates belonging to all communities according to merit with reference to para 1 of G.O.No.2096-Edn., dated 20-6-1949.

$$\frac{391 \times 7}{49} = 56$$

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(E)/7

Point (4) in the Cabinet Note: There is no need to ~~serve~~ reserve seats for women. There is no bar to the admission of women candidates. The women candidates who apply may take their chances along with men. 3 women were selected last year out of 4 who applied.

(E)/7

Point (5): A system of preferences with ref. to qualifications has not been followed in regard to admision to Engg. Colleges. If such a system is to be adopted, the Director may be consulted.

(E)/7

Point (6): The question whether any weightage need be given for proficiency in games and for extra-curricular activities was considered last year and the Govt. decided that it was not necessary to do so. The question was again raised by the Principal and the D.P.I. (later on &) H.M. minuted that the question might be considered in connection with the selections for 1950-51. H.M(P.W.) is (now) in favour of some consideration

vide (P)/8

vide p 33 c.f.

ditto

vide 'K' on (E)/6

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being shown for proficiency in sports. It may however be pointed out that there will be difficulty in the proper evaluation of extra-curricular proficiency. vide p.33 c.f.

Point (7): At present candidates have to produce a certificate of physical fitness along with their applications. The remarks in para 8 of the Note for the Cabinet apply equally to Engg. Colleges also. It seems that the selected candidates may be examined by the Medical Boards in their own districts and rejected if physically unfit. In that case, there is no need to ask the candidates to produce a certificate of physical fitness along with applications. It is a point to be considered whether it will be practicable to arrange for the examination by medical boards of this large number of candidates in a reasonably short time. The question of cost involved in constituting the boards should also be taken into account. ×(E)/7

Point (8):- A reserved list does not seem necessary in view of what is stated in para 9 of the Note for the Cabinet. // Last year there was only one war service candidate. Reservation of seats for war service candidates does not appear necessary. ×(E)/7

Point (9): While forwarding the report of the Principal, Engg. College, Guindy, in regard to admissions last year, the Director has pointed out that against 7 ~~candidates~~ seats originally decided upon to be filled at the discretion of the Director in consultation with Govt., 13 candidates were filled in by Govt. In view of this, he says that there is a case for increasing the number of candidates to be selected by him in consultation with the Govt. from 7 to 20. ×(E)/7

para 4 on p.1-2 c.f. in L.7.

vide (P)/8 c.f.

para 4 on p.1-2 c.f. in L.7.

ibid

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The points to be decided upon are:

1. Should or should not an order of preference according to educational qualifications be prescribed. I think it should be.

2. Should nativity certificates go or be retained? I think they should go.

3. Should the selection be on a district basis or on a provincial basis. I think the latter.

4. Should the selection committee consist partly of non-officials. I think following the recommendations of the Principal, Guindy, & the Director, the Committee should consist only of the four Principals & the Dy. Director.

5. Rendition of quotas of seats
The recommendations made in respect of the medical college may be accepted - except that in the Engineering College there is no need to reserve any seats for women.

6. Whether preference should be given for proficiency in sports. ~~It~~ It seems necessary to do so. H.M. (P.W.) is definitely for it. The criterion will not be a candidate's proficiency (real or alleged) in local or school or college sports & games: but ~~[illegible]~~ his having won successes in inter-college or provincial competitions.

7. Medical certificates of physical fitness.
May agree with the proposals re medical college - i.e., certificates to be demanded only in the case of selected candidates - examination to be by local (district) medical boards.

8. No reservation for war service personnel or any 'reserve' list necessary. Nor any reservation of seats to be filled at the discretion of either the ~~Director~~ Director or the Government.

I presume that the meeting of the H.M.'s may be awaited & no note need be put up to H.M. (P.W.) or H.M. (E. & L.).

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A.B.C.K.
Andhra
all other parts. 187
Tamil Dts. including cities 187.
West Coast. (S. Kanara & Malabar) 187.
} within each 8 p.c. communal rotation will be observed

Women:
Ed. Qualifns. = Status quo.
Sports: - between particular games & events & performance in particular physique - as in Mad.
Med. Certifs. - no need.

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vide p. ante

It would appear that it is proposed to evolve a common set of rules regarding admission applicable both to the Medical and Engineering Colleges, and that the proposals are to be considered by a Committee of four of the Hon'ble Ministers. The following note is submitted for perusal.

ibid

The rules now in force regarding admission to Govt. Engineering Colleges have been consolidated from the different Government orders in force and are put up below. (L) The proposed rules for admission to the Medical Colleges prepared by the Health Department is also kept below. (E) The following are the points at which the present rules regarding the Engineering Colleges will have to be modified in order to come into line with the proposed rules relating to the Medical Colleges:-

(1) Preferences in admission based on educational qualifications: At present the total marks obtained in the Intermediate Examination in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry are taken into account in selecting the candidates. Marks obtained in English and in the Language portion are not taken into account. Weightage is given to applicants who are Honours Graduates and Graduates in Arts and Science by adding to the marks obtained by the candidates in Part III of the Intermediate further marks as below:-

vide (L)/2

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ibid

ibid

For I Class B.A. and B.Sc.(Hons.)	50 marks.
For II Class B.A. and B.Sc.(Hons.) and First Class B.A. and B.Sc.	35 "
For II Class B.A. and B.Sc.	25 "

Provided that these Graduates have taken as their Optionals, main or subsidiary, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Mechanical or Electrical Engineering.

vide (E)

As far as Medical Colleges are ~~is~~ concerned, it is now proposed to give preference~~s~~ to Graduates in Arts or Science, First and Second Class ~~preferenc~~

over Intermediate First Class candidates and Graduates in Arts or Science who have taken a Third Class ~~are given~~ preference over Intermediates who have taken only a Second Class.

It seems desirable to adopt a similar provision for the Engineering Colleges also, giving outright preference to Arts and Science Graduates who have taken First or Second Class in the necessary subject over ~~the~~ First Class Intermediates and to Arts and Science Graduates who have taken a Third Class preference over Second Class Intermediates. It is true that the minimum qualifications for admission to the Medical and Engineering courses is the Intermediate; but when a selection has to be made from a large number of applicants, such preferences are necessary and will tend to raise ~~the~~ standards all round.

(2) As regards the Medical Colleges, selections are ~~hereafter~~ proposed to be made not on a district basis, but on an entire State basis applying of course the communal rule; and in consequence it is proposed to abolish Nativity Certificates which are asked for in proof of ~~nativity~~ birth in a particular district. The arguments against the continuance of district representation have been set forth in the Health Department's Note to the Cabinet and they are on the whole acceptable. The New group system proposed may be accepted with reference to the Engineering Colleges also.

vide para 12 on (E)/6-7

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(3) It seems desirable not to nominate non-officials on the Committee which is to decide on the admissions. The Committee may consist of the four Principals with the Deputy Director of Public Instruction in charge of Collegiate Education as Chairman.

(4) So far as Engineering Colleges ~~is~~ are concerned, there is no need to reserve seats for Women.

agreed
B

(5) So far as Engineering Colleges ~~is~~ are concerned, it seems also necessary to give some weightage to proficiency in games and sports. It does not seem necessary to lay hard and fast rules about this, except to say that weightage must not be given ~~not~~ to the fact that an applicant has received some prizes and cheap medals in School and College Sports but that importance should be attached only to his having distinguished ~~results~~ himself in Inter-Collegiate and Provincial competitions.

(6) We may also come into line with the proposals made as regards Medical Colleges by agreeing that Medical Certificates may be demanded only in the cases of selected candidates: and that the Certificates may be of Boards in the Candidates own district.

(7) There need not be any reservation for War-service personnel, nor need there be any reservation of seats to be filled at the discretion of either the Director or the Government.

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29.6.50.

The question of revising the existing rules for admn. to the Govt. Engg. & Medical colleges was considered at a conference of the H.Ms. (Health), (Edn.), (P.W.), & (Revenue) on 8-5-50. and the decisions taken at that conference are being placed before the Cabinet for approval separately in the Health Dept. In the meanwhile they have communicated to this Dept. a copy of the revised form of nativity certificates to be produced by candidates for admn. to the Medical & Engg. Colleges and a copy of the memo issued by them to the S.G. asking him to arrange

ascertained from Health.

vide p105 c.f.

p107-111 c.f.

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to give effect to the revised form of the certificate in connection with admns. to the Medical Colleges in 1950-51, so that similar instructions may be issued by this Dept. in regard to Govt. Engg. Colleges. A draft memo to the D.P.I. is subd. for approval. — K on p105 c.f.

19-5-50.

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S. B.
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[Issued as Memo. No. 49672-16/49 Ed. 19-5-50] p41-42 c.f.

The note for the cabinet at p57-58 c.f. and the Cabinet decision on p59 c.f. may be perused. A draft order, w.r.t. the modifications to be made in the existing rules for selection of candidates for admission into the Govt. Engg. Colleges is subd. for approval. ~~After issue, [illegible] may see w.r.t. para 2 of the draft.~~

14-6-50.

It is presumed that the decision re: reservation of 20 p.c. of the seats for women need not be applied to Eng. Colleges. After all only a few women apply and they will be admitted if they are qualified.

H.M. (P.W.) may see

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Draft may be accepted.

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SECRETARY
15 JUN 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

H.M. (P.W.).

M. B.
15.6.

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2 drafts

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
21 JUN 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

H.M.(Public Works)

Apart from the reservation of seats for particular areas in the Province for admission to the Colleges, we have to take into consideration the question of the Agency tracts also. I think it is better that we reserve a few seats in the Engineering and Medical Colleges ~~also~~ for the benefit of the boys coming from the Agency areas. A boy by name Sri K.Venkata Rao (Register No.6077) coming from Agency Lakshmipuram, Vizagapatam District came to me for help in getting himself admitted in the Engineering College. He has passed only in second class, but still we will have to admit that it is a good thing that boys from the Agency tracts also are able to come up slowly. If possible, if you can help him to get into the College, it will be doing a lot of good to the area.

Secy E

May be forwarded to the D.P.I. who may see if any of the seats in circars may not go to Agency area.

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H.M.Prohibition.

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EDUCATION DEPART

Edn Dept

The draft below is for approval. After issue the file may be sent to Health Dept. for necessary action in regard to the reservation of seats in the medical colleges for students coming from the agency areas.

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Better send a copy of the minutes to Health & retain orb here

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To the Health Dept.
(Copy of p1 n.f.)
Edn. u.o. 16669A-1/50 of
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Chief Secretary

The special Committees constituted for selection of students for admission into the Government medical, engineering, and other professional colleges, are to be informed that the selection shall be made strictly in accordance with the formula and principles laid down. If any deviations are made from the observance of the said principle, the reasons for making such deviation and the number of cases in which such deviation is made, should be submitted to the Government. And the selection made by the Committees shall not be announced before being approved by the Government.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
23 JUN 1950
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CHIEF SECRETARY

H.C.M. 22/6/50

SECRETARY
JUN 1950
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Secy ~~Health~~ Edn may issue necessary instrs.

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Secy Health

I have taken as orgs. 23/6/50.

Secy Edn.

SECRETARY
28 JUN 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

AS Pl. put up orders at once

28.6.50

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A draft memo to the D.P.I. is submitted.
Copies of the minutes above may be sent to Dev and Food and Agri Depts also for issue of necessary instructions.

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S. 28.6.50

To the Dev. / F. & A. Depts.
(with copy of Inf.)
Edn. u.o. 16857A-1/50-9 23.6.50
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The file may now be circulated to H.M. (P.W) for perusal of H.C.M's minute on page 1 ante and the memo issued in pursuance thereof.

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H.M. (P.W.)

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SECRETARY
26 JUN 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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To the Secretary, Education Dept.

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Rule (3) of the revised rules for selection of candidates for admission into the Engineering College states that the preparation of a reserve list of candidates for admission against the seats falling vacant after the initial admissions are over, will be given up; and that the vacancies should be filled up from the "data already tabulated".

From this, clarification is needed on two points:

(i) Does the "data already tabulated" mean the general data prepared in respect of all candidates who have applied for admission, or any data prepared by the Selection Committee specially for the purpose of admission for such vacancies arising subsequently;

(ii) By whom are such subsequent vacancies filled up.

This is to be put up urgently.

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H. C. M.

SECRETARY
26 JUN 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Special

Submitted that rule 3 of the rules issued in G.O. Ms. No. 1803 Edn dated 15.6.50 is based on the proposal contained in item (6) of the Note for the Council of Ministers approved by the Cabinet on page ~~[illegible]~~ 59 of ~~[illegible]~~ of (V).

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The "expression" "data already tabulated" means the general data prepared in respect of all candidates who have applied for admission.

As regards the filling up of subsequent vacan

it is suggested that they may be filled up by the

Chairman of the Selection Committee, viz. the D.P.I. with the approval of Govt. Health may see before circulation

~~Health may see before circulation~~

~~May be circulated to H.M. (P.W.) and H.C.M.~~

Rg
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Health.

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dated 26-6-50

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY 19404 27 JUN 1950 HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The following is the rule in ~~the~~ regard to filling up of vacancies in the admissions to Medical Colleges:–

"If there are any vacancies due to want of suitable candidates from a particular community in any region, such vacancies should be filled up according to merits by candidates from the same region".

H.C.M. has ~~so~~ separately asked how these vacancies will be filled up. He was informed that the selection Committee would fill up the vacancy from among the applicants in the same region where the vacancy arose observing of course the principles of communal rotation. Secy has noted that if necessary clear instructions will be issued in the matter. This file is now in circulation to H.M. (A) and H.C.M.

May be returned to Education Dept.

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The vacancies referred to in H.C.M.'s note ~~are those that~~ arise after initial admns are over; that is, those caused by selected candidates not turning up at all. These are to be filled from the 'general list' referred to in H.C.M.'s note – ~~[illegible]~~ the Secy's note mentioned at [illegible] above.

J.R.K.
27/6/50

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This is raised. It ~~seems~~ is better to wait for the return of the case concerned, from circulation. As soon as it returns, it will be sent to Edn:

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY 27 JUN 1950 19448A EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Health u.o. No. 19404/50 G-1
27.6.50.

May lie over till 29.6.50

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S. [illegible] 27.6.50

Health may be requested to state at what stage the matter now stands.

Rg
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30/6/50 Health u.o.

Edn. u.o. 17183-2/50 G.
dated 30-6-50

Health

The file in question is being sent to Edn. separately. This is returned to Edn.

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SECRETARY 4 JUL 1950 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Attention is invited to the notes and orders in the Health Dept. file linked below. The rules for the selection of candidates for admission into Engineering Colleges may be amended on the lines of Memo. 18948(A) G/50-1 Health dated 30.6.50.

The draft below is for approval. May be circulated to H.M. (P.W.) and H.C.M.

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H.M. (P.W.)

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