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[Despatch Abstract.]

M.E.S. - Sri M. D. Paul - Posting as Pl., Teachers' College, Saidapet - on expiry of study leave - Orders.

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EMBASSY OF INDIA
2107 Massachusetts Avenue N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Our Reference No. G.273/47/48

Date 16th January 1950

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From: Education Secretary,
Embassy of India in the U.S.A.,
Education Department

To: The Secretary to the Government of ~~India~~, Madras,
~~Ministry of Education~~, Education & Public Health Dept.,
~~New Delhi~~ Madras

Sir:

I am directed to forward herewith the following Report/Reports completed by the undernoted student:

Name of Student	Your Reference
M.D. Paul	79095-A-1 Education

List of Reports sent

Study Tour Report.

Yours faithfully,

AGG/pc.

for Education Secretary

A REPORT ON THE STUDY TOUR UNDERTAKEN
BY M. D. PAUL DURING THE SUMMER OF 1949 (2)
IN THE SOUTHERN STATES OF THE UNITED STATES
OF A M E R I C A

"EDUCATION IS A BASIC INSTITUTION OF SOCIETY". In order to understand education ~~ikm~~ in its proper perspective, the society in which the education takes place has to be understood. It is a commonly accepted saying that the city of New York (where I normally live, being a graduate student at the Teachers College of Columbia University) is a world-city, and is not typical of America.

Moreover, it is generally agreed that the general conditions in the Southern States of U.S.A., particularly, the problems affecting the educational set-up, are more akin to conditions in India. Therefore, to make the best use of the opportunity, this educational tour was undertaken. It was formulated with the help of Prof. Clarence Linton, Adviser for Students from other Lands, who in turn consulted a few other Professors. It was also approved by him. Dr. Reisner of the Agriucltural Missions Inc., N.Y.City with wide experience in the field of Agricultural Education was also consulted.

Listed below are some of the towns and cities visited and the major institutions seen. More than seeing pucca and well built buildings and beautiful campuses at every place I had the privilege of meeting the Presidents or Deans of Colleges, Professors or Deans in charge of Education and other related subjects and whereever summer courses were held, students also. But a valuable part of the program was meeting ordinary people of the various places, young men in the Young Men's Christian Associations, and officers of the Y.M.C.As. Of great value was the visits to historical places, museums, art galleries, libraries, protected monuments etc. etc.

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The occasion of the stay at Washington, D.C., was made use of in meeting officers of the Education Department of the Embassy of India, and discussing with them significant problems relating to education.

PHILADELPHIA PA. Visit to Independence Hall, Historical places, institutions, museum, art gallery etc.

Baltimore Md. Visit to John Hopkins University, Teachers College, Historical Fort McHenry, visit to City etc.

WASHINGTON, D.C. Visit to Howard University and Schools. State School for Delinquent children. Visit to National Education Association, American Council on Education, International Education Depts, U.S. Bureau of Education, Children's and Agricultural Bueaus. Met and discussed with officers matters relating to Education and preparation of Teachers. Visit to National Monuments, parks, museums, art galleries, Library of Congress etc.

RICHMOND VA. Visit to State Department of Education. Discussion with Officers of the various levels of Education. Collection of valuable reports and studies. Visit to historical Institutions.

WILLIAMSBURG VA. visit to William and Mary College and Colonial village. Discussion with Dean of Education.

DURHAM N.C. Visit to Duke University - church, museum, garden, school of Engineering etc. Visit to Hosiery factory and Newpaper press. Saw Institutions run by and for Negroes.

RALEIGH N.C. Visit to the State Department of Education. Special Study of the Negro Educational Problems.

CHAPEL HILL N.C. Visit to the University.

KNOXVILLE TENN. Study of T.V.A. Visit to farms run on Electricity. Visit to Dam.

TUSKEGEE, AL. The whole of Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, was well studied including the Extension Services. Sat in seminars with 'Jeanes Visiting

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TEachers' and talkèd on "Educational Problems in India".

Could not visit Holtville School as its building was reported to have been burnt.

NEW ORLEANS LA. Visit to historical places, trip on Mississippi river. Visited Tulane University, Library and other institutions. Visit to International House and French Quarters.

NASHVILLE TENN. Visit to George Peabody Teachers College and to Vanderbilt and Fisk Universities. Study of the Social Science section of the latter University.

LEXINGTON KY. University of Kentucky. Bureau of School Service, Sloan Research Community Project, Visit to historical places.

BEREA KY. Berea College and its institutions.

YELLOW SPRINGS OH. Antioch College and its institutions.

COLUMBUS OH. State University, School of Education, Agricultural Extension Services, Collection of literature.

ATHENS OH. Visit to the Ohio State University. Detailed study of the set-up of the Schhol of Education and Laboratory School.

PITTSBURG PA. Visit to a few Institutions.

Special mention should be made of the visit to The TUSKEGEE INSTITUTE, that great school started by Booker T. Washington. "He lifted the veil of ignorance from his people and pointed the way to progress through educationx and industry". "We shall prosper in proportion as we learn to dignify and glorify labour and put brains and skill into the common occupations of life". Indeed, great spotlights for India!

Again the work done xx under the auspices of the Sloan Foundations, of meeting the BASIC NEEDS of life, food, clothing and shelter, particularly FOOD, was studied at the School of Education, University of Kentucky. This is the sort of work that has to be done in India to give our peoplx these basic necessities of life. A lot of useful literature was collected and sent to India.

Educationally the visit to several educational institutions was indeed a great privilege which very few have. Truly it has clarified a great deal of all the theoretical knowledge I accumulated for 9 months in the Teachers College. I studied how practical and day-to-day problems faced by these schools and colleges were met and solved.

The question arises, "What use this tour has been to you?" Well, frankly it is impossible to depict the value of this tour in black and white. Without a background of the social setting it is not possible to understand and assimilate fully the implications of education. So the value is inestimable.

Furthermore, man's greatest interest is in man. The opportunity to meet people of all sorts and situations in life, from Presidents of large Universities to workmen on the road is indded valuable. It was an eye opener to the social customs, mores, manners and behaviour of the people in the South, specifically the ralationship between the Whites and the Negroes.

Truly it may be said that without a study tour like this the impression a student from India would get in America would be skewed. From this angle the decision of the Government to suspend all study tours would paralyse to a great extent real education received in this country.

"WITH GRATEFUL THOUGHTS OF THE GENERATIONS OF THE PAST WHOSE CEASELESS EFFORTS HAVE PLACED US WHERE WE ARE, LET US, LIKE THEM, SQUARELY FACE THE UNKNOWN FUTURE, AND WITH COURAGE, PERSEVERANCE, PATIENCE, TOLERANCE, AND MUTUAL HELPFULNESS PUSH ON TO NEW FRONTIERS OF HUMAN PROGRESS IN SEARCH OF HIGHER LEVELS OF LIVING, IN ALL OF ITS ASPECTS, FOR OURSELVES, AND FOR THE GENERATIONS YET TO COME .....".

OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS (~~CENTRAL~~/PROVINCIAL) (7)

TRANSFER FORM

(to be filled in Triplicate)

N.B. This application must be made in time so as to reach First Secretary, Education Department, Embassy of India, Washington, D.C., at least two months before the transfer is desired.

1. Name of the Scholar. EMANUEL DEVAVARAM PAUL

2. Sponsoring Government (with year of selection in brackets) GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS (1947-48)

3. Date of commencement of scholarship (Date of arrival in U.K./U.S.A.) September 10, 1948.

4. Date of normal termination of scholarship. ~~Should report for duty in Madras on or about~~ 1st August 1950

*5. Nature of Transfer desired e.g. From one country to another.
" " institution to another.
" " subject to another.

Not transfer but visit to other educational and allied institutions.

6. Details of the courses undertaken up to date (Give full details and if the space is insufficient a separate sheet may be attached.)

Institution attended.	Date of Joining.	Date of Leaving.	Subject with exact branch.	Details of the course.	Degrees, diplomas, or certificates obtained, if any.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(a) Academic course.					
Teachers College and Columbia University.	Sept. 1948	Middle of June 1950.	Administration-Teacher-Education.	Had courses in all branches of Education, specializing in Teacher Education.	M. A. working for Ed. D.
(b) Practical Training.					
Visited a number of Training Colleges, Schools of Education, high and elementary schools, and other allied institutions.					

7. Whether transfer applied for will need any extension in the normal period of scholarship, if so, indicate the period.

No extension is needed. (Normally I would finish work for the Doctorate by about the middle of June. Immediately I can go to England, then to Europe and fly back to Madras.

8. Reasons why transfer is considered essential

~~The original proposal of the Govt. of Madras was that I should visit educational institutions in U.S.A., Canada, and other European countries, in order to help in the efficient reorganization of all levels of education in the State of Madras. Now that I have studied for nearly 2 years in U.S.A., and have known the schools, there is real need for me to visit educational institutions in Britain and in~~

* Mention in detail the subject and institution and/or country to which transfer is desired.

P.T.O.

9. Details of the work proposed to be done after transfer (give full details)

Institution to be attended.	Duration From	Duration To	Subject with exact branch.	Details of the course to be followed	Degrees, diplomas or certificates, if any, to be obtained.
(a) Scademic course. To visit significant educational institutions and Teacher Training Colleges, and other educational organizations in England and Scotland. To get in touch with the Ministry of Education, H.M. Chief Inspector of Schools, and the Colonial Office to arrange detailed program. To visit offices of the UNESCO in Paris. Visit Denmark, France, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland. The institutions to be visited in these countries would be selected in consultation with the Ministry of Education, England, and the officers of the UNESCO. Care would be taken to visit only such institutions that are likely to help me to solve educational problems in Madras and in INDIA. (b) Practical training.					

Signature of the Scholar M.D. Paul

10. Recommendations of the Professor, or other University authority supervising the work of the scholar. 17 Feb. 1950

I should think it most desirable that Mr. Paul's request should be approved. It would be most helpful to this able young man in further preparing him for services to his country.

Karl W. Bigelow, Prof. of Ed'n
Teachers College, Columbia Univ.

11. Recommendations of the Embassy of India.

Strongly recommended for favourable consideration.

28th February, 1950

Decision on the application
(to be filled in by the Ministry
of Education.)

17 APR 1950 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

U.O. REPLY:

Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras, Dated 14-4-1950.

CL.NO.53/45-II

Subject: Deputation of Government Servants for advanced studies overseas - Sri M.D. Paul - Course of studies - Remarks submitting.

R e f: Government U.O. No.4652-A.1 Edn dated 28-3-50.

Sri M.D. Paul appears to have already obtained the M.A. degree of the Columbia University in the subject of Teacher-Education. He has been working for the Doctorate in Education of the same University and will be completing his studies in the U.S.A. in June 1950. Thereafter he desires to visit a few of the more important educational institutions and Teacher Training Colleges and other educational organisations in England and Scotland. He also desires to visit a number of countries in Europe.

2. Sri Paul has been granted study leave for 2 years from 12-8-1948. Even while selecting him for advanced studies abroad the Director of Public Instruction and the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Madras considered that Sri Paul 'should stay in the United Kingdom for about 4 months during which he could study the modern trends in education in that country and also take the opportunity to visit important educational centres in the Continent' - A copy of my D.O. (Confidential) 53/45 dated 3-7-1947 and a copy of the Vice-Chancellors' reply thereto dated 4-7-1947 are enclosed herewith.

3. As the proposal of Sri M.D. Paul to visit the U.K. and the Continent for a few months was originally contemplated while selecting him for deputation abroad, it is requested that the same may be approved by Government. Sri Paul may be required to complete this Continental tour and arrive in India in August, 1950 so that the necessity for extending his study leave may be avoided.

4. In this connection, I may invite the attention of Government to the entries relating to items 8 and 9 of the "Transfer Form" sent with the U.O. under reference and wish to point out that the observations made therein by Sri Paul as regards the purpose of his deputation abroad, would appear to be a bit too ambitious.

for Director of Public Instruction.

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

BY AIR MAIL.

No.F.4-2/D.1/47-S.2,
Government of India,
Ministry of Education,

New Delhi 3, Dated the 24/25 March, 1950.

From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO
26 MAR 1950
4652
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

To

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

SUBJECT: SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS, MADRAS GOVERNMENT 1947 DEPUTATIONIST, MR. M. D. PAUL.....

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry letter of even number dated 11th October, 1949 on the above subject, I am directed to forward herewith a copy of transfer form since received from His Excellency the Ambassador for India in the U.S.A., Washington for your information and necessary comments, which may please be furnished to the Indian Embassy in Washington, direct under advice to this Ministry.

Yours faithfully,

M. Madhavi.

(D. MADHAVI.)
for Secretary.

D.O. No. 4652-A-1, 4-28.3.50 Edn. Dept. (4)

~~Encl. as above~~

~~Refd. to the~~ D.O.I. for very early remarks.

28.3.50

To The D.O.I.
(intimation of letter above & copy of ptrs 2-3 infra).

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(Secy may like to see this)

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U.O. note 4652-A-2, dt- 12/4/50.

Mr. M.D. Paul, offg. Dvl. Inspr., undergoing higher studies in U.S.A. - visit to European countries.

Ref:- ~~Govt~~ Edn. dept. U.O. no. 4652-A-1, dt- 28.3.50, on p.f.d., Ministry of Edn. letter no. F.4.2-D1/47-52, dt- 24.3.50.

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The D.P.I. may be requested to send his remarks in the matter without delay.

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15/4/50

D.P.I. Tel/4/50.

To the D.P.I.

Enclosure to el 53/45 (11) 10

Copy of D.O. CL.53/45 Confidential dated 3-7-1947 from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras to the Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras, Madras.

According to your suggestion to Government in your letter to the Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department dated 27-8-1945, that "one of the select Officers of the Education Department should be deputed abroad for a period of about a year, so that he might have opportunities of studying modern trends in teaching in other countries and come prepared to implement many of the trends in the work of the Teachers' College, Saidapet", Mr.M.D. Paul, M.A., M.Sc., L.T., District Educational Officer, Coimbatore has been recommended for selection to the proposed deputation. The Government propose to depute Mr. Paul to the U.K., U.S.A. and Canada for a total period of 12 months (about 6 months to be spent in the U.K and the rest of the period in other countries.) But Mr. Paul desires to attend a nine months' course of instruction in one of the Universities of the U.S.A. (Columbia or Harvard) to learn 'advanced teaching' and to come into intimate contact with great educationists. During the period of stay in the U.S.A. he proposes to study advanced methods of teaching in Canada and other institutions in the U.S.A. during holidays and vacations. I am also of the view that it would be more useful to allow him to stay in the U.S.A. for 9 months and take an advanced course in teaching as this will provide him with the necessary background for studying the working of the 'Training Institutions' in that country and will also provide him with greater opportunities to study modern trends in teaching as he will come into intimate contact with teachers and educationists. He will at the same time have opportunities to visit the various educational institutions and teachers' training centres. In the above circumstances, I consider that it would be more useful to permit Mr.Paul to stay in the U.S.A for nine months and take a regular course in 'advanced teaching' and visit the various educational centres in the U.S.A. and Canada during holidays and other intervals. His stay in the U.K may be for about 4 months during which he can study the modern trends in education in that country and also take the opportunity to visit important educational centres in the Continent.

I should be glad to have your views on the above proposal which to some extent modifies your original suggestion to Government made in your letter dated 27-8-1945.

Copy of Confidential D.O. dated 4th July 1947 from the Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras, Madras to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

...

I am in receipt of your letter D.O.Cl.53/45.

At the time when I made the suggestion to Government, my hope was that an Officer who had already had some qualification in England may be deputed, and that is why I suggested that instead of going and taking up a particular course, he may probably visit many Institutions, discuss matters wih the leading men in the Profession, and with Teachers' Committees in the light of his experience in this country, and cover a wider field than would otherwise be the case.

In view, however, of the particular nominee, who I see has got high academic qualifications but has not had that knowledge of teaching in other countries, I feel inclined to agree with you that it would be better for him to take the advanced course for nine months and then cover a three to four months' stay in the United Kingdom.

(TRUE COPIES) For Director of Public Instruction

NB 17/4

BY AIR MAIL.
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LETTER/Ref.No. 4652-A.4, d/- 25/4/50.

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To

The Edn. Secy.,
Embassy of India in the U.S.A.,
Washington D.C.

Despatched 25/4

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Sir,

Mr. M.D.Paul, Madras Govt. 1947 deputationist - Visit to U.K.

Ref:- Your remarks d/- 28-2-50, on the officer's 'Transfer Form' recd. thro' the G.of I., Ministry of Edn.

This Govt. ~~approve~~ of the proposal of ~~Mr.~~ M.D.Paul to visit the United Kingdom and stay in that country for a short time, after his studies in the United States are over. But they do not consider it necy. to permit him to tour on the Continent also. In any case, as his study leave is due to expire on 11-8-1950, there is no time for him to visit other European countries. I am accordingly to request that the officer may be instructed to drop the idea of a visit to ~~Europe~~ the Continent to spend as long a time as possible in the United Kingdom and then get back by boat so as to reach ~~be~~ India ~~by~~ before his expiry of his study leave. ~~the 1st of August 1950.~~

Yrs. ~~sincerely,~~

24/4/50

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Copy to the DPI.
(Ref:- His Letter No.53/45-II, d/- 14-4-50.)

Copy to the G. of I.,
Ministry of Edn.,
New Delhi 3.
(Ref:- Their No.F.4-2/D1/47-S2, d/- 24-3-50).

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No. 7.4-2/D-1/47.S.2. (13) A:
Government of India
Ministry of Education.
New Delhi, the 28/4 April ~~1949~~ 1950.

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From

The Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras
Department of Education
Madras

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY 30 APR 1950 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

SUBJECT:-Scholarships for advanced studies Overseas
Reports in respect of Provincial Governments ~~Sponsored scholars~~/Deputationist~~s~~ in ~~U.K.~~/U.S.A./ ~~Australia/New Zealand~~.

pp. 16-17

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith for the information of the Provincial Government, a copy of the progress report in respect of Mr. M. D. PAUL a 1947-48 Government of Madras ~~sponsored scholar~~/deputationist.

~~The Provincial Government may kindly forward suggestions, if any, from the point of view of the employment of Mr. ______ is expected to take up on his return.~~

Yours faithfully,
[signature]
for Secretary.

Endt: no. 9409-A.1 Edn. dept. (A) d/- 15/5/50.

/Commd. to the D.P.I.

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To the D.P.I. (with copy of letter above & copies of pp. 16-18 infra).

12/8/50

FORM 4

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NOTE TO STUDENTS PROGRESS REPORT

I In every case, it is essential for you to state the degree, if any, for which you are studying. The likely date of taking the degree should in all cases be mentioned. If you are not studying for a degree, please mention the likely date when you hope to complete the course of study you are pursuing. Where you have already taken a degree, please give the date of taking it, and state what you have been doing since taking the degree, and when you hope to complete the course or training you are undergoing at present. Of the four copies that are being sent to you, three are to be returned; one is for your record.

II This report must be submitted through your Professor or Supervising authority in-charge. (See reverse).

Name in Block Capitals MANUEL DEVAVARAM PAUL File No. G.253/47/48.

Scholarship/Study Leave/Deputationist Study Leave.

SPONSORING AUTHORITY Government of Madras.

1. Date of arrival in U.S.A. September 9, 1948.

2. Subject for which selected Teacher Education

*3. Course of study or training undertaken Study at the Teachers College Columbia University, New York, leading to Ed.D. Degree. Courses have been taken in Administration, Guidance etc.

4. Degree sought/obtained Doctor of Education. (Obtained so far M.A.)

5. Approximate date of degree-award May 1950

6. Institution in which student is pursuing study/training Teachers College, Columbia University, City of New York, N.Y.

*7. Course of study or training attended during period under review Had full time study at the above institution.

*8. All Examinations (including subjects) taken, with dates, and results. (In the final examination the degree or diploma obtained should be stated, with subjects taken, and honours, if any.) The grades obtained in the final examination must be stated. Grades should be explained.

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Please see separate sheet attached.

9. Any Prizes or other Distinctions

10. FOR STUDENTS TAKING PRACTICAL TRAINING:
Name of Concern: Date of Joining: Stay to last until: Nature of Training

*If space provided is not sufficient, please attach additional sheet.

11. This Report covers period beginning from September 1949

and lasting up to February 1950.

12. University or Institution Supervisor's Report on the work of the student during the period under review:

Mr. Paul continues to make satisfactory progress. His plan for a doctoral project has been approved and he has begun work on it.

Date 5 April 1950 Signature

KARL W. BIGELOW

Professor of Education, Teachers College, Columbia University

13. Observations of the Education Department, Embassy of India.

His return passage by the first sailing available after 15.6.50 is being arranged.

Date Signature

Signature M.D. Paul

Place City of New York

Date March 27, 50.

PROGRESS REPORT. for the Semester from September 1949 to February 1950.

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TEACHERS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK CITY

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Record of Manuel Devavaram Paul.

Admitted 9/48 to graduate study from

Degrees conferred Master of Arts, June 1, 1949.

Course number.	Points	Grade.	Temp. Grade	Descriptive Title
...	...	....		.....
				Winter Session 1949-50.
Educ. 207 A.	2	C+		Educational Psychology
Educ.200 GA	3	A-		Survey, Principles & Procedures of Guid.
Educ.200 C	2	A-		General Course in Curric.Developmen
Educ.500 A	3	P		Guided Professional Development.

Certified to be a correct copy of official Records.
Karl W. Angelow

From
Mr. M. D. Paul,
Divisional Inspector of Schools, Madras (on leave),
at 817 John Jay Hall, New York 27, N.Y.
To
The Education Secretary, Embassy of India, Washington, D.C.

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DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
8-JUN 1950
MADRAS

June 1, 1950

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Sir, Sub: Payment of my revised leave salary with reference to letter No. G.IV Edn. 558 dated 28th October 1949 of the Accountant General, Madras.

In accordance with voucher No. 92 dated May 15, 1950 of the Embassy of India at Washington, D.C., you have authorized the payment of a net leave salary of Eight hundred and sixty three dollars and ninety cents ($ 863.90). Leave salary has been calculated from August 11, 1948 to September 21, 1949 at the rate of Rs.340/- or $102.64 per month (Rs. 1 = .301875 £) amounting to $ 1301.21. And leave salary from Sept.22, 1949 to April 30,1950 has been calculated at Rs.340/- or $ 71.40 per month (Rs. 1 = .21 £) amounting to $ 521.22.

From this amount a sum of $ 958.53 has been deducted being the payment made by the Embassy as leave salary at the rate of Rs. 170/- per month, August 11, 1948 to March 31, 1950 at an exchange of Rs. 1 = .301875 £. Hence the net payment of $ 863.90.

With reference to the above payment the following facts are brought to your kind notice for consideration and further action. Soon after a revision in the rate of exchange between the dollar and the rupee was made as on Sept. 22, 1949, the leave salary of Rs. 170/- that was being paid regularly every month to me by the Embassy in the equivalence of $ 51.32 (Rs. 1 = .301875 £) was reduced to $ 35.70 (Rs. 1 = .21 £). But then as a result of further orders from the Government of India this lower rate of exchange which had adversely affected all Government officers was again restored to the former rate . Hence the reduced amount was compensated and I was continued to be paid at the former exchange rate. Thus, being a Government officer, my leave salary was protected and I continued to be paid at the same rate of exchange as beore devaluation till the very end of February 1950.

Now, however, as a result of your recent order (voucher No.92 referred to above) I am made to forgo this favourable rate of exchange with retrospective effect from September 22, 1949. In other words, I have been asked to refund, in a way, a portion of the salary already paid to me from Sep. 22, 1949 till the end of Feb. 1950. The Government order on which this reduction and consequent refund has been made has not been made clear to me. The order of the Accountant General, Madras, authorizing revision in my salary, which, by the way, is dated 28th October 1949, is not in my opinion, directed to deprive me of an amount of money that has already been authorized and regularly paid to me. It may be pointed out that I am a permanent officer of the Government of Madras with over 10 years of service and that it is only in the larger interests of the Government that I have been deputed for advanced studies.

In these circumstances may I request you to revise the case and order the restoration of the former rate of exchange at which rate I have continually received my salary for over 6 months even after devaluation.

In the above voucher (No.92) it is stated that payment on leave salary has been made to March 31, 1950. As far as I could see from my reforde leave salary has been paid only till the end of Feb.1950 and the cheque for the leave salary for March 1950 has not been received by me. Would you, therefore, please ask your office to scrutinize the accounts and check my receipt, if any, and take further action in this matter? Separately, I have already acknowledged the receipt of the cheque for $ 863.90 to the Accountant of the Embassy.

Thanking you for very early action

Yours faithfully,
M.D. Paul
June 1,'50

Copy submitted to the Secy. Ed. & P.H. Dept. Govt. Of Madras thro' the DPI, Madras.
Copy submitted to the D. P. I, MADRAS 6, India.

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12-6-50

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
15562
18 JUN 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Submitted.

For Director of Public Instruction

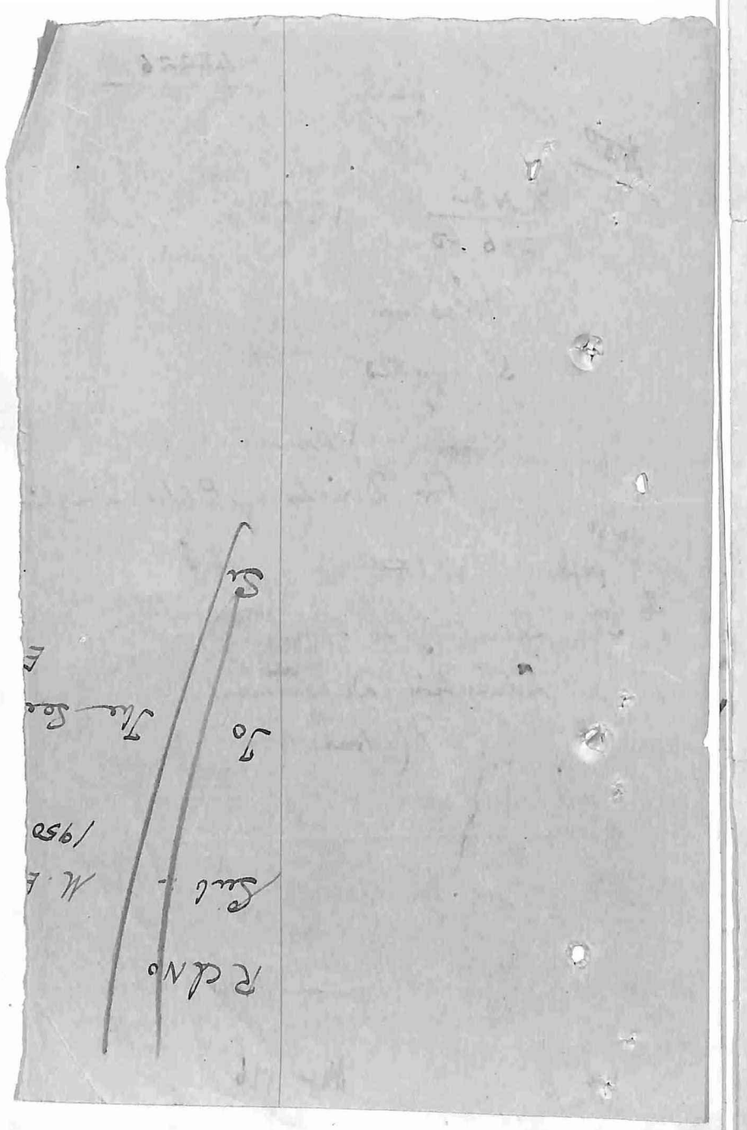
To The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Madras.

Lr. M.D. Paul's Letter at p.1 ante

Gov. debt. (A)

It is for the Indian Embassy in U.S.A. to look into the matter & correct mistakes, if any have occurred. The Govt. need not take any action now. If an appeal is rew. again the matter may be gone into. May be filed

Mr 1576



"Confidential"

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
10 JUL 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
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From

The Director of Public Instruction,

Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Education Department,

Madras.

R.CL. No. 55/50, Dated the 9th July 1950.

Sir,

Subject:- Madras Educational Service - Sri M.D. Paul - Posting on return from study leave - Proposal submitted.

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Reference:- G.O. Ms. No. 2651 Edn., dated 25-10-1948 and G.O.No. 2299 Edn., dated 13-9-1948.

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IN the G.Os. referred to above Sri M.D. Paul, was Officiating Divisional Inspector of Schools, was granted study leave for a period of two years from 12th August 1948. Sri Paul has completed his studies in the U.S.A. and is due to return to India after visiting the United Kingdom on his way back. He has asked for a posting.

2. Sri M.D. Paul is a probationer in the category of Divisional Inspectors of Schools. He officiated as Divisional Inspector of Schools, Anantapur Division, from 30th March 1948 A.N. to 11th August 1948 A.N. and thereafter proceeded on study leave. Ordinarily, he should be re-posted on return from study leave as Officiating Divisional Inspector of Schools, reverting Sri K.P. Govinda Menon, the junior-most probationer in the Divisional Inspector's category as Principal or as District Educational Officer. But in view of the fact that he was deputed overseas for advanced studies with a view to his ultimate appointment as Principal of the Teachers' College, Saidapet, and also in view of the fact that the post of Princi-

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Principal of the above College will fall vacant if the recommendation contained in my Confidential letter CL.No.45/50, dated 6-6-1950 for the appointment of Sri V.R. Ranganathan as Deputy Commissioner for Government Examinations is accepted, I recommend that Sri M.D. Paul may be appointed to officiate as Principal, and Senior Lecturer (in Education), Teachers' College, Saidapet, on his return from study leave. In this connection I may point out that in paragraph 2 of ~~their~~ Government order Ms. No. 1938 Education, dated 4th July 1950 the post of Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet has been placed in the scale of Rs.600--100/2--1,000 with the usual allowances and hence there will be no complication about his pay, probation, seniority, etc., if Sri Paul were to be posted as Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet, now.

3. I solicit the favour of early orders.

Yours faithfully,

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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M.E.S. - Sri M.D. Paul, offg. Dvl. Inspr. of Schools - Posting as Prl., Teachers' College, Saidapet, on expiry of study leave ordered.

Read:- From the D.P.I., No.55/50, d/- 9-7-50.

G.O.(MS.) No. 2158 Edn., d/- 1/8/50

The follg. notfn. will be pubd. in the F.S.G. Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION.

Transfer.

Sri M.D. Paul, D.E.O. and offg. Dvl. Inspr. of Schools (on study leave), to officiate as Prl., Teachers' College, Saidapet, on ~~his return from abroad after higher studies~~ completing his study leave on the expiry of his study leave.

To the DPI.
" A.G.
" S.G.P.
" R.B.
" P.W.(I.&.P.
" Pub.(CL).

Confidential.

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From

The Director of Public Instruction, M a d r a s.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department.

R.Cl. No.53/45/II dated 2nd August 1950.

Sub: Deputation of Government servants for advanced Studies overseas - Sri M.D. Paul - Course of Studies - Arrangements for return passage.

Ref: Government's letter Ref.No.4652 A.4 Edn., dated 25th April 1950 addressed to the Education Secretary, Indian Embassy at Washington (Copy endorsed to the Director).

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In the letter referred to above Sri M.D. Paul was required to spend as long a time as possible in the United Kingdom and then get back BY BOAT so as to reach Madras before the expiry of his study leave. In his letter dated 27th July 1950 (copy enclosed) Sri Paul reports that he could reach United Kingdom only on 21st July 1950 and that passages to India will be available only by the third week of August or early in September. Sri Paul has stated that His Excellency the High Commissioner for India has already intimated this fact to the Government of Madras seeking further instructions.

2. In this connection, I invite the attention of Government to my confidential letter No.55/50 dated the 8th of July 1950 recommending Sri M.D. Paul for appointment as Principal of the Teachers' College, Saidapet. The post of Principal in the above college, is kept vacant from 18th July 1950 and it is very essential in the interests of the college that it should be filled up as early as possible. In view of the fact that Sri Paul may not be able to join duty before the middle of September 1950 were he to return by sea, and having regard to the fact that the work of the college would greatly suffer if he is not enabled to join duty early this month, I request that the Government may be pleased to inform His Excellency the High Commissioner for Indiax in London by cable that arrangements may be made immediately for the return of Sri M.D. Paul by air.

for Director of Public Instruction.

Copy of D.O. letter dated 27-7-1950 from Sri M.D. Paul, C/o Education Department, India House, Aldwych, London, W.C.2 to Sri D.S. Reddi, Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Since writing to you last requesting you to issue the posting order, the normal time by which I was expected to arrive in Madras has been changed.

Although I was ready to leave U.S.A. after the middle of June to enable me to get to Madras on or before August 10, it was only possible for the Embassy to arrange my passage by a boat which left New York to Liverpool on the 13th. I arrived at Liverpool on the 21st and London on the 23rd. July

Immediately after arrival I went to the Education Officer at India House and talked to him about the need for my speedy return. The India House has not yet arranged any passage for us. He thinks that passages to India will be available only by the third week of August or early in September. However, on studying my file, he has written a letter to the Government of Madras stating the position and asking them to extend my leave beyond August 10. He has also added that if the Madras Government authorizes them they will send me by air to enable me to join duty in time.

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In case they refer the matter to you, it will be greatly helpful if you could kindly recommend air passage for me. Living away from the family for nearly two years is quite a strain. As a matter of fact on arrival at this City I was taken up with flu. Many of the schools are closed for summer. I could only visit few of the schools and Universities which are working in Summer. After seeing London probably my time will be wasted here. Hence this request.

With kind regards,

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for Director of Public Instruction.

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Cablegram.

Today

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London

Please send M D Paul Madras Government deputationist to India by air

~~from United States~~

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~~Copy~~ by air mail
to the ~~Edn. Secy., Office of the~~ H.C. for India
in London, India House (Edn. Dept.),
Aldwych, London, W.C.2.

Copy to the D.P.I.

Edn. ~~and x P x H~~. Dept.(A)

From the G. of I., Ministry of Edn., No.F.4-2/D1/47-S2, d/- 24-3-50.

From the D.P.I., No.53/45-II, d/- 14-4-50.

Sri M.D.Paul, offg. Dvl.Inspr. of Schools - European tour.

Sri M.D.Paul, permanent D.E.O. and offg. Dvl.Inspr. of Schools in the M.E.S., was sent by this Govt. in 1948 to the U.S.A. for Teacher's Training with special refce. to Psychology. He was granted study leave for two years from 12-8-48. The object of the deputation was to make him more competent to occupy, on his return to India, the post of Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet.

Sri Paul has visited many training colleges and high and elementary schools in the U.S.A. and is due to complete his studies there and leave that country in the middle of June 1950. Before returning to India, he desires to visit institutions in U.K. and other European countries - France, Denmark, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Swden and Switzerland - and requests permission to do so. The Professor (of the Columbia Unty.) under whom the officer works in the U.S.A. considers it most desirable that ~~and the Indian Embassy have~~ the request should be allowed. The Indian Embassy also ~~endorsed his request~~ strongly recommends it.

Even at the time of sending Sri Paul abroad, his stay in the U.K. and the other European countries for about four months, so that he could study the modern trends in education in those countries and visit important institutions there also, was considered necessary, in addition to his taking a regular course in the U.S.A. Therefore, the D.P.I., to whom the request was refd. for remarks, recommends the sanction of the request. His recommendation may be accepted.

2. The Dir. says in this connection that Sri Paul may be asked to come back to India in August 1950 after finishing his ~~training there~~ continental tour so that the necessity to extend his study leave beyond 12-8-50 may be avoided. He also remarks that the reasons for ~~his~~ Sri Paul's transfer to U.K. and Europe and the details of the work he proposes to do there, given by Sri Paul in the form of appln. at C.F.2-3, would appear

to be a bit too ambitious. Perhaps the ~~implies~~ implication is only that the officer will not be able to ~~all~~ fulfil all the items of the programme as it stands drawn by him. If Sri Paul leaves U.S.A. in the middle of June 1950 (as he proposes to do), he can reach U.K. only in the first week of July. His leave expires on 12-8-50. Some ~~all~~ days have to be allowed for his return voyage to India. It does not seem that he will be allowed to fly to India; he will have to travel by steamer. There will consequently be left barely one month for his European tour. This would not, it seems, be sufficient. His leave will ~~have~~, in all probability, have to be extended by about 2 months. Such extensions were contemplated in the general scheme and were granted in specific cases before. The officer may be asked to leave U.S.A. immediately his studies there are over and apply for extension of study leave in due course, if necy., to cover the period of his stay in Europe. We have no idea of the addl. expenditure involved. In any case it cannot be much and it should only be treated as part of the cost of his trng. 3. Finance may see before circn.

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Sd. 13/4/50 (23.6.4)

— ref at p. 2 of (X)

— vide (U) 8/95-A 96

DSM 21/4/50 S

A visit, and a short stay in ~~England~~ the United Kingdom - already decided upon and planned - is necessary and may be permitted. It does not seem necessary to permit touring on the Continent. In any case there is no time for it. I think we should visit only the Universities. He may later apply for a visit to Europe spent as long a time as possible in the U.K. and then get back by boat so as to be here by August.

DSM 21/4/50

Fin. may agree with the views of the Education Secretary at X above.

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Fin. U.O. 46521.3 21/4/50

Fin. U.O. No. 28796 CSR-1, 22/4/50

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Sri M.D.Paul, offg. Dvl. Inspr. of Schools, is now undergoing higher studies in the U.S.A., at Govt. expense, with a view to further qualifying himself for the Principalship of the Saidapet Teachers' College. ~~He~~ desires to visit the U.K. and the other European countries after his trg. in the United States is over. This dept. propose to permit him to visit U.K. only - X at p.2 ante. Finance agree. A draft letter is subd. May be circd. to H.M.(E.&L.) for approval.

P.S. 24-9.50

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24/4/50

H.M.(E.&L.)

Issued as Letter No. 46521-A-4, dated 25-4-50.

From the D.P.I., No.55/50, d/- 8-7-50.

Sri M.D. Paul's study leave is due to expire on 11-8-50. He will return to India very shortly and is now perhaps on his way back. The D.P.I. has proposed that he may be posted as Prl., Teachers' College, Saidapet, on the expiry of his study leave. The Principalship has been vacant consequent on the transfer of Sri V.R.Ranganatha Mudr. as Dy.Commr. for Govt. Examns. The Dir.'s proposal may be accepted. Sri Paul will continue to be eligible for the Dvl. Inspr.'s scale of pay of Rs.600-1000. The previous scale of Rs.800-1000 for the Principal has recently been revised to Rs.600-1000. A draft order is subd. H.M.(E.&L.) and H.C.M. may see.

(Issued as G.O. No. 2458 dated 1-8-50)

25.7.50 26-7-50 27/7/50 HM(E&L) HCM 3/7

No.4652/50-A

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From the D.P.I., No.53/45-II d/- 2.8.50.

Orders appointing Sri M.D.Paul as Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet, have been issued. But he is now held up in U.K. for want of an early sea passage. He requests that the High Commissioner in London may be instructed to arrange for an air passage for him. The D.P.I. recommends the request since it is essential that the Principal's post, which has been vacant ~~since~~ from 18-7-50, is ~~to be~~ filled very early and since Sri Paul's coming back by sea would enable him to join duty only in the middle of Sept. The Dir.'s recommendation may be accepted. A draft cable (to the High Commissioner) is subd.-subject to orders. The Dir. has separately reported, in connection with his proposed visit to the U.K., that the diffce. between the air and sea fares for both the to and fro journeys would be about £66. The extra expenditure in this case will be a little more than £33 as Sri Paul is not entitled to travel first class in the steamer.

Fin. may see for acceptance of cable before circn. to H.M.(E.&.L.).

P.I. 8.8.50 — cmca 4.8.50 — 4/8/50 — S. 4-8-50

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE DEPARTMENT 67702 4 AUG 1950

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The Draft Cable may be perused and the case returned to Edn.

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H.M.(E&L) may see

5/8/50 — S. HM(E&L) May I move — 7.8.50

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HM(E&L) — 7/8

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY 26 AUG 1950 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

No.F.4-2/D.I/47.S.II.
Government of India,
Ministry of Education.

New Delhi 3, the 23rd August, 1950.

From

The Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To

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

SUBJECT: SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ADVANCED STUDIES OVERSEAS (1947-48), EMPLOYMENT FORMS IN RESPECT OF PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT'S DEPUTATIONIST IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith in duplicate for information and necessary action of the Provincial Government the Employment Form along with a copy of letter No.G.273/47/48 dated 19th July, 1950 in respect of Mr. M.D.Paul, a Madras Government 1947 deputationist, received through the Indian Embassy in Washington.

Mr. Paul sailed for India via United Kingdom on 18th July, 1950. The exact date of his arrival in India and also his employment position may kindly be furnished to this Ministry at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

D. Madhavi

(D.Madhavi)
for Secretary.

Encl. no.25362-A.1, dt. 6/9/50.

Edn. Dept. (M)

Comm. to the D.P.I. is requested to ascertain & report the ~~Exact~~ date on which Sri M.D.Paul arrived in India & the date on which he took charge of the post of Principal Teachers' College, Saidapet

29/9 — 29.9.50

To The D.P.I. (with copy of D.I above & p.2 infra & Encl. from Govt below)

IMPORTANT SECRETARY
2 0 AUG 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Copy of letter No.C.272/47/48 dated the 10th July, 1950 from the Indian Embassy in Washington to the Ministry of Education, New Delhi.

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I am directed to enclose herewith in triplicate the Employment Application of Mr. M.D.Paul.

Mr. Paul arrived in this country on the 9th September, 1948. Throughout his stay at the Teachers College, Columbia University, he made a very satisfactory progress. He was awarded the M.A. Degree in June, 1949, and his final thesis for the Doctor of Education Degree was due to be completed just before he sailed.

Mr. Paul's professors have spoken very highly of the ability and character. Prof. Karl W.Bigelow reports:-

It gives me great pleasure to testify as to the personal character and professional competence of Mr. Manuel D. Paul, who is now on the verge of completing his work for the degree of Doctor of Education at Teachers College. Mr. Paul has proved himself to be an earnest, hard-working purposeful student of educational problems, especially of those relating to the administration of institutions devoted to the ~~preparation~~ preparation of teachers".....

"Perhaps I should add that Mr. Paul has met all the requirements for the Ed.D. degree except the final revision of his project report, already mentioned, and that there is no reason to doubt that this will be successfully completed within a few weeks".

Mr. Paul sailed for India via England on July 13, 1950.

TRUE COPY

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

TEACHERS COLLEGE
COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY
New York 27, N.Y.

July10, 1950.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Mr. Manuel D. Paul has met all requirements for the degree of Doctor of Education in Teachers College, Columbia University, except the sumission of his final typed copies of his project on Teachers Education.

Mr. Paul has made an excellent record with us as a student, as a person, and as a professional worker. He made a significant contribution to a Conference on Modern Indian Education organised and conducted by Indian students at Teachers College. He served most effectively as a narrator for films on Teachers Education, Health and News Reels for India prepared by the United States Department of State. He has visited schools, teacher education institutions, and universities extensively in the United States.

On the basis of my personal association with Mr. Paul as one of my students, one of my advisees, and in many social and professional activities, I confidently expe expect him to become one of the outstanding leaders m in Teacher eEducation in India.

Sd. Clarence Linton
Prof. of Education,
Advise to Students from other land

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Overseas Scholarships (Provincial) - Application for Employment of Scholars

N.B. - This application must be submitted (in quadruplicate) at least FOUR months before a scholar's stay abroad is to come to an end.

1. Full Name (in block letters)	MANUEL DEVAVARAM PAUL
2. Date of Birth	April 4, 1913
3. Father's Name	G. Manuel
4. Full address in India to which correspondence should be addressed to the scholar on his return	C/O Director of Public Instruction, Madras 6, India.
5. (i) Subject of Scholarship (ii) Exact Branch	Teacher Education Preparation of teachers for Secondary Schools of INDIA
6. Year of Selection	1947
7. Name of Sponsoring Province	Government of Madras
8. Date of commencement of scholarship (Date of arrival in the country of study)	September 19, 1948
9. Date on which the course of his studies is due to terminate	July 12, 1950 (date of leaving America)
10. Approximate date of return in India	August 10, 1950

11. Qualifications prior to selection

	Name of College, Institute or University attended	Examination Passed	Division obtained	Year	Subjects Taken
(a) Academic (i) Degree & post-graduate examinations only	Master of Arts.	M.A. March 1935	II	1935	Zoology and Botany
	Master of Science.	Original Research.	.....	1938	Marine Biology
(ii) Post-graduate training or research	Licentiate in Teaching.	L.T.Degree	II	1938	Compulsory subjects and Biology
	Master of Science.	By research - Already mentioned.			
(iii) Published Works (give names of the papers published, if any).	Studies on the growth and breeding of certain Sedentary Organisms in the Madras Harbour, Published in Journal of Madras Academy of Science. Note on the growth and breeding of Do. Do. Published Do.				

	Institution, Co., or Office where trained or employed	Post or capacity in which employed	Pay if any drawn (with scale)	Period
(b) Practical training and industrial or professional experience gained (including apprenticeship)	Visited a number of Universities, Teacher Educational Institutions and all types of Schools.	Nil	Nil	

(c) Additional qualifications not covered in (a) and (b) above

IN INDIA
Teacher in High school classes,
Tutor and Demonstrator in College,
Lecturer in Zoology in Madras Christian College, Madras
For nearly 8 years a District Educational Officer in the Government Department of Education,
Served as Divisional Inspector of Schools, which post I now hold.

(d) Post held at the time of selection:

(a) Name of the Post — Divisional Inspector of Schools, Anantapur Division, State of Madras.

(b) Pay last drawn and the scale of pay — Rs. 600/- Scale. Rs. 600- 100/2- 1,000.

(c) Office or Government where employed — Government of Madras, Department of Education

(d) Did you resign, or go on study leave terms or on extraordinary leave? — Deputed by the Government of Madras for advanced study in Education, specifically Teacher Education.

12. Overseas Qualifications Acquired:

(a) Name of the country of study

(b) Details of the course of study (covered upto-date):-

	Institution or University, etc., attended	Duration From	Duration To	Subject With Exact Branch	Some details of the course (if the space is not sufficient, attach a separate sheet)	Degree, Diploma or Certificate if any, obtained
(i) Academic						

Teachers College, Columbia University in the

See separate sheet attached

(ii) Practical Training

The courses taken were integrated with a lot of practical work. The course on Psychological measurements, for instance, involved actually administering standardized tests in New York City schools, scoring them, and reporting the results. The course on American Culture and Education involved visiting educational institutions of several types, Elementary, High, Trade Schools, Special schools and the like.

(iii) Educational visits and study tours

A Study Tour was undertaken during May and June 1949 in which several Educational institutions were visited and the working of some of which, mostly Teachers Colleges was studied. Particularly mention may be made of the Tuskegee Institute at Alabama and the University of Kentucky at Lexington. In these, the extension work done for the welfare of the public, especially the underprivileged, was studied.

Copies of the report on this study tour have already been submitted to the Embassy of India and may be referred to in this connection.

(iv) Any papers published? Please give details or attach copies

I do hope the dissertation prepared by me for the Doctorate will eventually be published as a book on Teacher Education in India.

13. (i) Do you have any suggestions about your employment?

(ii) Would you prefer a

(a) Administrative

(b) Technical or

(c) Teaching Post?

It is presumed that I will be posted as the Principal of the Teachers College, Saidapet, Madras, for which purpose I was specially deputed for advanced studies.

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14. Testimonials attached (Attach at least 2 testimonials from Professors or Supervisors under whom you worked during your studies overseas and give their names and addresses)

Prof. Karl W. Bigelow, Professor of Education, Teachers College, Columbia University, and Director of the Commission on Teacher Education of the American Council on Education, which studied problems of Teacher Education for over 6 years. My Major Adviser throughout.
Prof. Clarence Linton, Professor of Education, Teachers College, Columbia University, New York 27, N.Y. Also Adviser for students from other Lands. One of the 3 members on my Doctoral Project.

M W Paul

Signature of the Applicant

Date July 11, 1950, city of New York.

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15 Tutor's Remarks:	Please see recent testimonials of Advisers enclosed.
16. Forwarding Report by the Indian Embassy or H.C.'s Office concerned on the Scholar's work and general conduct (if necessary any confidential report may be sent separately.)	

Signature of the forwarding authority

Date

N.B. Separate sheets to be attached in case space in any column is found insufficient. Please denote carefully.

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TEACHERS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK CITY

Record of Manuel Devavaram Paul.

Degrees conferred. MASTER OF ARTS June 1, 1949.

Finished all requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Education.

Courses.

Winter Session 1948-49.

1. American Culture and Education.
2. Fundamental Course in Educational Administration
3. Administration of Teachers Colleges and Schools of Education
4. The Development and Organizationf of Programs for the Professional Education of Teachers.
5. Purposes and Educational Policies of Institutions of Higher Education
6. Introduction to Measurement

Spring Session 1948-49.

7. Education as Personal Development
8. Human Relations and the College Program
9. Curriculum Problems in Professional Schools for Teachers
10. Tests and Measurements in School Practice; Secondary and Higer Level
11. Vocational Guidance and Adjustment
12. Magazine Article Writing.

Summer Session 1949.

13. Educational Administration and Adaptability of School Systems
14. Improvement of Reading for College Students and Adults

Winter Session 1949-50.

15. Educational Psychology
16. Survey, Principles and Procedures of Guidance
17. General Course in Curriculum Development.
18. Guided Professional Development. --- involving courses in Introduction to Educational Research, Mental Hygiene, Educational Economics and Audio-visual Aids.

Spring Session 1949-50.

19. Advanced Non-Fiction
20. Guided Professional Development -- involving courses in Psychology of Social Change, Psychology of Communication and Psychology of Personality.

TEACHERS COLLEGE

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

NEW YORK 27, N.Y.

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July 10, 1950

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

It gives me great pleasure to testify as to the personal character and professional competence of Mr. Manual D. Paul who is now on the verge of completing his work for the degree of Doctor of of Education at Teachers College. I have been Mr. Paul's major adviser here, and he has taken a number of courses under me, so that I have come to know him very well.

Mr. Paul has proved himself to be an earnest, hard-working, purposeful student of educational problems, especially of those relating to the administration of institutions devoted to the preparation of teachers. He has pursued a broad program of studies, with the major emphasis just noted, and has acquitted himself competently. He is now revising a project report on the improvement of teacher education in Madras with special reference to Saidapet College, of which he is scheduled to become Principal upon his return to India. The report in question, already fully approved as to content, shows that he has truly benefitted from his studies in the United States and is capable of adapting what he has observed and read of here to the requirements of the situation existing in his own country.

I have personally had much enjoyment from my association with Mr. Paul. His devotion to his country and to his profession have impressed me, and his modest, pleasant personality has appealed to me. I know that my colleagues with whom Mr. Paul has worked closely share my liking and regard for him. We are all confident that his services to India will prove great and that he himself will win increasing recognition.

Perhaps I should add that Mr. Paul has met all requirements for the Ed.D. degree except the final revision of his project report, already mentioned, and that there is no reason to doubt that this will be successfully completed within a few weeks.

SIGNED Karl W. Bigelow

Professor of Education

(TRUE COPY)

Education Department.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department, Madras.

R.C.No. C1 53/45 dated 12-9-1950

Sir,

SUB: Overseas Scholarships--Mr. M.D. Paul, Madras Government Deputationist--Date of arrival in India on completion of higher studies abroad--intimated

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REF: Endorsement No. 25362 A/ Education Department dated 6th September 1950

I have the honour to report that Mr. M.D.Paul arrived in India on 18-8-1950 and took charge of the post of the Principal Teachers College, Saidapet on 21-8-1950 Forenoon.

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction

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Edn. Dept. (A)

Letter/Ref. no. 25862-A.1, dt. 24/9/50.

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

Sir,

Technical education overseas - Sri M.D. Paul Madras Govt: 1947-8 Deputationist - Return to India.

Ref:- Your letter no. F.4.2-DII/47-SII dt. 23.9.50.

Sri M.D. Paul arrived in India on the 18th Aug. 50. He has been appt. as Pal. of the Teachers' College Saidapet (Madras), with effect from the 21st Aug.

Yours faithfully,

Dy.
24.9.50
Asst
22-9-50

dt. 24/9/50

dt. 29/9

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29 AUG 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Washington, D.C.
16th August, 1950.

C. 273/48/A

From: The Education Secretary
Embassy of India in the U.S.A.

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

Subject: Mr. M.D. Paul - 1947 Madras Government Deputationist.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose the Last Pay Certificate issued by the Embassy of India in the U.S.A. in respect of Mr.M.D. Paul showing leave salary having been paid by this office for the period August 11th, 1948 to June 30th, 1950. A Detailed Financial Statement of all payments made to or on behalf of Mr. Paul during the period of his stay in the U.S.A. is also enclosed for further action.

Yours faithfully,

for Education Secretary.

Copy to: The Accountant General, Central Revenues, New Delhi.

The Accountant General, Madras, Fort St. George, Madras.
for necessary action

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

V.P. Shastry
for Education Secretary.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
29 AUG 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

DETAILED FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS MADE TO OR ON BEHALF OF GOVERNMENT SCHOLARS OR DEPUTATIONISTS IN THE U. S. A. OR CANADA

1. Name: M.D. Paul — Year of selection: 1947-48
2. Sponsoring Government: Madras
3. Date of arrival Sept.9th, 1948 — 4. Date of Departure: Jule 13th, 1950
5. Payments:

(a)	Transportation and miscellaneous expenses on arrival, on transfor from one place to amother of study, and on departure, including/excluding $220.00 cost of sea passage from N.Y. to U.K.	265.25
(b)	Tuition Fees, including Thesis charges if any	1152.50
(c)	Maintenance Allowance at the rate of $6.00 per diem from Sept.9/48 to Sept.21/49 and at the rate of $160.00 per month from Sept.22/49 to July 13th, 1950	3823.09
	Less: Recovery of Maintenance Allowance at the rate of ____ per ____ from ____ to ____ on account of ____ Net	
(d)	Book Allowance from Sept.9/48 to Sept.20/49	125.81
(e)	Study Tour Allowance, from Sept.9/48 to Sept.20/49	225.30
(f)	Medical Expenses, in excess of $60.00 per year paid by student	-
(g)	Sea Journey Allowance on departure	-
(h)	Miscellaneous Payments as follows: American Express Company expenses re meeting student on arrival	9.04
(i)	Leave Salary at the rate of Rs. 340/- or $102.64 per month from Aug.11/49 to Sept.21/49 and at the rate of Rs.340/- or $71.40 per month from Sept.22/49 to June 30/50	1965.23
	TOTAL:	7566.22

Certified Correct

V.P. Bhaskar
Asst. Accounts Officer

Date 10th August, 1950

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

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Issued by

EMBASSY OF INDIA IN THE U.S.A.

On Behalf of: M.D. Paul

Debitable to: Government of Madras

in accordance with Letter No. F.4-2/D-1/47. OD IV
from Govt. of India Ministry of Education,
dated 29th March, 1948

Nature of Payment	Period From	Period To	Rate in Rupees	Rate in Dollars	Total drawn in dollars	Total drawn in Rupees
Leave Salary	Aug.11 1948	Sept. 21 1949	340/- p.m.	$102.64	$1301.21	4310/6/10
	Sep.22 1949	June 30 1950	2 340/- p.m.	$71.40	$664.02	3162/-/-
					$1965.23	7472/6/10

Less the following deductions

Nature of deduction	From	To	Rate in Rupees	Rate in Dollars	Total deduction in Dollars	Total deduction in Rupees
Nil						

Remarks:
Leave Salary ~~payable~~ shown above are revised rates in accordance with Letter No. G.I.V.Edn 558 dated 28th October, 1949 from the Accountant General, Madras.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

V.P. Shastry
for Second Secretary,
Embassy of India,
Washington, D.C., U.S.A.

Date: 10th August, 1950

THE HIGH COMMISSION OF INDIA

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Please quote the undermentioned reference, and address any further communications to—

THE HIGH COMMISSION OF INDIA,
Education DEPARTMENT,
INDIA HOUSE,
ALDWYCH,
LONDON, W.C.2

and not to any individual by name.

SECRETARY
20 FEB 1951
EDUCATION DEPT.

Reference E.B. 9086 16th February, 1951.

FROM : The High Commissioner for India,
Education Dept.

TO : The Madras Government,
Secretary, Education Department,
India.

Subject: M. D. Paul (Dr), 1947/48 Madras Deputationist in transit from the U.S.A.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herein the Individual Financial Statement, in triplicate, in respect of Dr. Paul who arrived here from the U.S.A. on the 21st July, 1950 and left for India by air on the 17th August.

Yours faithfully,
(B.C.Nag)
For Secretary,
Education Department.

Encl: Statement (3)

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The Government of Madras has already sanctioned a study tour for me in Great Britain with the stipulation that the program should be drawn up in consultation with the officers of the High Commissioner for India. Accordingly in consultation with Miss C.H. Bose, Educational Officer at India House, it has been arranged that I should attend the Summer conference conducted by the National Union of Teachers on Modern Educational Problems at Oxford from August 4th to 11th. The fee for this is £8. This amount may kindly be sanctioned. If, however, the Government of Madras does not sanction this amount of £8. I am prepared to refund the same.

London
July 31st 1950

(signed) M.D. Paul
Divisional Inspector of Schools
Madras, - on leave.

C O P Y

Educational tour of Mr. M.D. Paul, Deputationist of the Government of Madras during his stay in England.
Due to lack of passage arrangements from the U.S.A. in time to visit schools and other educational institutions they were closed for summer. But while in London through arrangements made by the Educational Dept. of the India House, particularly Miss Bose, the following officers were interviewed There was free discussion and many useful suggestions were gathered.

July 27th Former Director of the Institute of Education, London University, London.

Aug. 2nd H.M. Inspectors of Schools, Officers of the Ministry of Education in Charge of Teacher Education.

Aug. 1st Officer in Charge of Compulsory Education of London County Council.

Then I visited the Summer Course arranged by the University of Nottingham, I met Prof. Piers (Adult Education) and the Director of the Institute of Education of Nottingham University. With the latter I visited the Institute and studied its organization and working. Also I attended a demonstration and lecture regarding Broadcasting in Schools arranged by the B.B.C.

A unique experience was the Summer Conference at Oxford from 4th to 11th August arranged by the National Union of Teachers to discuss Modern Educational problems. Not only did I hear distinguished Educationists of England discuss these problems but also had discussions with them and the many teachers as to how exactly these problems are tackled in the everyday working of schools. These experiences have more and more helped me to confirm my educational philosophy and ideas. With this I go back to India to do my best for the cause of good education, to help to make people

"..... think like men of action
and act as men of thought"

Expenditure:

		£	s	d
3rd Aug.	Train fare from London to Nottingham	1.	5.	2.
4th "	" " " Nottingham to Oxford	-	18.	9.
	Charges for Summer Conference (the receipt given by the Secretary has already been to Madras with my luggage)	8.	0.	0.
11th "	Train fare from Oxford to London		13.	5.
		£10.	17.	4.

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Advance drawn from India House Account
Section on 1.8.50. 10.17.4.

(signed) M.D.Paul
15.8.50.

To:
The Education Secretary,
Office of the High Commissioner for India,
Aldwych, London, W.C.2.

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OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS SCHEME

Individual Financial Statement.

1. Name of Scholar.	Paul M.D.
2. Central Provincial (Please state here whether sponsored or deputationist) or state Scholar: if Provincial or State Scholar, the name of the Province or Indian State concerned.	Madras Govt. Scholar (in transit from the U.S.A)
3. Year of Selection.	2947/48
4. Date of commencement of scholarship.	
5. Date of embarkation after completion of studies abroad.	17th August, 1950 by the Air India International vide your Cable dated 7th Aug. 1950.
6. Date upto and including which stipend or leave salary has been paid and the rate of stipend or leave salary.	-
7. Daily allowance paid during the period of waiting for return transportation.	Maintenance Allowance @ 19/- per day for the period 21.7.50-15.8.50.
8. Amount, if any, paid as journey allowance.	-
9. Amount, if any, paid towards railway journey in India: (In case on authority to the travel agents for providing a railway ticket for journey in India has been issued, it should be mentioned here).	Direct by Air to Madras.
10. Any other allowances, advance payments, overpayments, or disputable payments, made to the scholar or outstanding against him, which require recovery or regularisation in India.	The sum of £10.17.4. advanced to scholar for travelling expenses as per copy letter enclosed.
11. Amounts, if any, due to the scholar but not paid to him.	Maintenance Allowance @ 19/- per day for one day the 16th Aug. 1950 only as well as baggage charges of two Gns. from Liverpool to London.

Signature of competent authority.

Date: 16-2-51.

R.C. 193/51.

Saidapet, Madras-15,
February 21, 1951.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
22 FEB 1951

From
The Principal,
Teachers' College,
Saidapet.

To
The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

Sir,

I am submitting herewith a copy of my letter dated 23rd January 1951 to the Accountant, Office of the High Commissioner for India, Education Department, London, and the reply of the Assistant Education Officer, Office of the High Commissioner for India, London, No. E.B.9086 dated 16-2-1951.

In view of his reply kindly address the Government to sanction the payment of the amount due to me.

I request that very early action may kindly be taken.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

PRINCIPAL.

Copy of letter dated 23rd January 1951 from Dr. M.D. Paul, Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet, to the Accountant, Education Department, Office of the High Commissioner for India, Aldwych, London W.C.(2).

Somewhere in October I wrote to you about the payment of a sum of 2 Guinies and 19 Shillings due to me from the Office of the High Commissioner for India in London. I am sorry that so far no payment has been made to me. Would you kindly see that the matter is looked into and the amount due to me sent to me urgently?

I am a permanent officer of the Education Department of the Government of Madras deputed for studies in America. As per orders of the Government of Madras I flew back from London on the 16th August 1950.

As per my accounts a sum of 2 Guinies (charges for transport of personal effects from Liverpool to London) and a sum of 19 Shillings Daily allowance for one day in London is due to me. As far as I could remember these amounts were passed for payment but I could not receive them because I had to leave London suddenly. Would you kindly arrange to send these amounts direct to me at your earliest convenience?

(True Copy)

Copy of letter E.B.9086 dated 16th February 1951 from the Assistant Education Officer, The High Commissioner for India, Education Dept., India House, Aldwych, London, W.C.2. to Dr. M.D. Paul, Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet, Madras-15, India.

In reply to your letter dated 23rd January, 1951, I am writing this to inform you that we have already informed your Government giving them all the details regarding the amounts due to you in connection with your Maintenance Allowance and Transportation Charges.

We hope that the Government of Madras will be able to reach a final decision on this point in your favour.

With kind regards,

(True Copy)

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Office of the Accountant General, Madras.

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Returned.
The amount has been authorised for payment by this office.

G. Mukund Rao

Asst. Accounts Officer.

20/4/51.

To
The Assistant Secretary
To the Government of Madras.
Education Department
Madras.9

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May be filed.

26.4.51

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MADRAS.
R.C.No. 3080 C3/48 dated 26.2.1951.

Sub :- Madras Educational Service - Dr.M.D.Paul - Officiating Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet - Overseas Scholarship - arrears of Maintenance Allowance and Transport charges - payment of.

Ref :- Letter Rc.193/51 dated 21.2.1951 from the Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet.

Submitted to the Secretary to Government, Education Department, Madras.

2) Necessary sanction may kindly be accorded for the payment of amounts due to Dr.M.D.Paul in connection with his Maintenance and Transport charges.

For Director of Public Instruction.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY 8 MAR 1951 8248 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department.
G.O. 27/2/51

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Education Department (A)

Endt. no. 8248 A-1 dated 26/8/51

Referred to the Accountant-General for remarks as to whether the drawal of the amount has been authorised by him with reference to the Individual Financial Statement received from the High Commissioner for India, London, vide Govt. Endt. no. D.1/50 forwarded to him with Govts. Endt. no. 6805-A-1-Edn., dated 27-2-51, or whether its payment requires Govt's specific sanction.

(By Order)

Asst. Secy. to Govt.

To

The Accountant-General
(with pp. 1-5 only to be returned).

P.T. 24.9.51 26/9/51

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