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[Despatch Abstract.]

Overseas Scholarships - Govt. of Ceylon to nominate candidates to accept applt. in Ceylon Univ. - Orders passed.

From

J.C.V.Chinnappa, B.E., D.I.C., M.Sc.(Eng.)(Lond.),

Instructor in Mechanical Engineering,
College of Engineering, Guindy,
Government of Madras.

To

The Registrar,

University of Ceylon,
Colombo, Ceylon.

THROUGH THE PROPER CHANNEL.

Sir,

Sub: Appointment of Lecturers in the Faculty of Engineering in the University of Ceylon - Applications invited.

Ref: Notification in "The Times of Ceylon" dated 1-5-1950.

With reference to the notification cited above, I have the honour to submit my application for the Lecturership in Mechanical Engineering, Grade I, in the Faculty of Engineering of the University of Ceylon for your favourable consideration.

I am submitting herewith a statement of my qualifications and the details of the present post I am holding, together with true copies of eight testimonials.

Yours faithfully,

J.C.V.Chinnappa
11/5/1950.

Enclosures: A Statement regarding the Applicant and a Record of his Educational and Other Qualifications(5 Pages), and the true copies of eight Testimonials.

Copy to: The Registrar, University of Ceylon.

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A STATEMENT REGARDING THE APPLICATION AND A RECORD OF HIS EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER QUALIFICATIONS.

BLOCK 1 : PERSONAL.

Name.	:	James Chandrasekaran Virasinghe Chinnappa
Date of Birth.	:	October 5th, 1923.
Place of Birth.	:	Madras.
Father's name and Occupation	:	J.C.Chinnappa (deceased), Deputy Director of Public Instruction, Government of Madras.
Mother's name & occupation.	:	Dr.L.N.Virasinghe-Chinnappa, M.B., B.S., Assistant Directress of Public Health (Retd.) Government of Madras.
Present Address	:	"Neerveli", Rutland Gate Road, Cathedral P.O. Madras.
Religion.	:	Christianity.
Languages known (Mother tongue first)	:	Tamil, English.

BLOCK 2 : EDUCATIONAL.

Period.	Name of School/College.	Examination.	Class.
A. SCHOOL.			
1933-'38.	Doveton-Corrie Boys High School, Madras.	European School Leaving Certificate Examination.	FIRST CLASS
1939-'40.	St.Thomas' College, Mount Lavinia, Ceylon.	London Matriculation.	FIRST DIVISION.
B. UNIVERSITY.			
1940-'42.	Loyola College, Madras.	Intermediate in Arts & Science (English, Latin, Maths. Physics Chemistry)	FIRST CLASS
1942-45.	College of Engineering, Madras. University of Madras.	B.E.(Mechanical Engineering)	FIRST CLASS with HONOURS Rank:First Sir Gabriel Stokes Prizeman

Period.	Name of School/College.	Examination	Class.
B. UNIVERSITY (CONTD)			
1946-'48.	Imperial College of Science and Technology, London, University of London.	Post-Graduate Course in Mech. Engineering - (Advanced I.C.Engines & Gas Turbines, Gas Dynamics, Heat Transmission, Metallurgy, Design, Engine Stresses & Dynamics, etc.)	Awarded D.I.C. (Diploma of the Imperial College)
		Research Work in the Collection of Solar Energy.	M.Sc.(Eng) of London University

The applicant was awarded the Prize for the Best Paper in Mechanical Engineering by the College of Engineering Association in 1944 and 1945. Titles of Papers submitted:

1944 - "Investigation of the Suitability of Power Alcohol as a fuel in Compression - Ignition Engines."

1945 - "Suggestions toward the Theory of the Design of a Gas Carburettor for use on Automobile Engines running on Producer Gas."

The applicant was selected for the award of a Scholarship for Advanced Studies in Mechanical Engineering in the United Kingdom for three years by the Government of Madras in 1945.

The applicant was elected Graduate Member of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, London, in 1948.

BLOCK 3 : WORKS EXPERIENCE AS APPRENTICE.

April, 1946 - Sept. 1946	:	Messrs.Crossley Bros. Ltd. Openshaw, Manchester. Manufacturers of Diesel Engines.
June 1948 - ~~Novr~~ Oct. 1948.	:	Hams Hall "B" Power Station, (300,000 Kilowatts) Birmingham, British Electricity Authority.

BLOCK 4 : MILITARY AND TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE AS A COMMISSIONED OFFICER IN THE NATIONAL CADET CORPS (INDIA).

May 1949 - Sept. 1949	:	Pre-Commission Military Training at the I.E.M.E. Training Centre, Jalahalli, Bangalore (for two months)
		Pre-Commission Technical Training in Armoured and Transport Vehicles, Guns, and Tele-Communication Equipment at the I.E.M.E. School, Kirkee, Poona (for three months).
May 1950 - June 1950 (six weeks)	:	Training in Workshop Administration at I.E.M.E. Station Workships, Madras.

The applicant was commissioned on 29-9-1949 as a Second Lieutenant in the National Cadet Corps (India), Senior Division, and is now second-in-command of the 2nd (Madras) Electrical and Mechanical Engineer Unit, N.C.C., College of Engineering, Guindy. He is directly concerned with the military and technical training of the cadets.

BLOCK 5 : DETAILS OF PRESENT POST HELD.

The applicant is at present holding the post of the Senior Instructor in Mechanical Engineering - equivalent to Assistant Professor. He was directly appointed to this post in November 1948, on his return from the United Kingdom. The post is Gazetted.

Since his appointment the applicant has been in charge of the Mechanical Engineering Laboratory of the College, consisting of Steam Plant, Internal Combustion Engines (Compression-Ignition and Spark-Ignition), Refrigerating Plant, and the fuels and Lubricants Testing Section, and covering a floor area of 8450 sq.ft. He has been directly concerned with and responsible for the erection, maintenance, and repair of equipment, the purchase and accounting of fuel and stores, and the supervision of the work of the two Mechanical Engineering Laboratory Assistants and fifteen workmen serving under him.

The applicant lectures to the first and second B.E. Classes on Mechanical Engineering and to the third and final B.E. year classes on Thermodynamics and Design.

In addition to his lectures, the applicant has been responsible for and has super-vised the experimental work of the under-graduate classes. He has assisted the Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy, in the supervision of Research Work carried out in the Department.

In addition to the routine duties stated above, the applicant has supervised the conducting of tests for the Government and Private Firms. One such recent test was the investigation of the suitability of a petrol-alcohol mixture as fuel in automobile engines conducted for the Transport Department of the Government of Madras.

The post of the second Instructor in Mechanical Engineering was vacant till December, 1940: and from the date of this appointment (November, 1948) till December, 1949, the applicant assisted the Professor in the administration of the Department - I.E. :

i) supervision of the work of six Assistant Instructors:
ii) attending to Time Tables.
iii) arrangement of works visits for students
& iv) correspondence.

The applicant is at present serving on the Editorial Board of the College Magazine.

BLOCK 6 : OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

A.Games. Represented St.Thomas' College, Mount Lavinia, Ceylon at Hockey (First Eleven)

Represented College of Engineering, Guindy, Madras at Cricket (First Eleven) and Boxing.

Awarded Full Colours for Cricket, 1947 & 1948 at Imperial College, London.

B. U.O.T.C. Served in the First (Madras) Bn. U.O.T.C. from 1942 to 1945. Rank: Sergeant.

Awarded Prize for the Outstanding Recruit for the year 1942.

ENCLOSURES: True copies of Testimonials from:--

1. Revd. R.S.de Saram, M.A., (Oxon) Warden St.Thomas' College, Ceylon.
2. Revd. Father J.D'Souza, S.J. Principal Loyola College, Madras.
3. Rao Bahadur Lt-Col. S.Paul, B.E., Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, Guindy (now Principal)
4. Dr. J.J.Rudra, M.A., Ph.D., M.B.E., Principal, College of Engineering, Guindy.

ENCLOSURES (CONTD):

5. Wm. B.Underwood, Personal Manager, Messrs.Crossley Bros. Ltd. Openshaw, Manchester.
6. D.N.Ø. Woodroffe, Station Superintendent, Hams Hall "B" Power Station, Birmingham.
7. Dr.H.Heywood, Ph.D., D.Sc., M.I.Mech. E. Assistant Professor, City and Guilds College, Imperial College, London.
8. Dr.O.A. Saunders, M.A., D.Sc., Professor and Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, City and Guilds College, Imperial College, London.

ENCLOSURE 1

Telephone No.227 Mt.Lavinia.
REV. R.S. de SARAM,M.A. (Oxon)
Warden.
R.L. HAYMAN, M.A. D.Phil: (Oxon)
Sub-Warden.

When replying please quote. 3337.

THE COLLEGE OF ST.THOMAS
THE APOSTLE. 1851.

S.Thomas' College,
Mount Lavina, Ceylon.

at 1111, Getambe,
Peradeniya, Ceylon 9.2.45.

J.C.V.CHINNAPPA was admitted to S.Thomas' College, Mount Lavinia, January, 1931. He left us for a time when he attended another school, rejoined us and then left in June, 1940. He had a very good record for conduct and character. He had exceptionally good ability, won his Form Prize and secured a Pass in the First Division in the London Matriculation Examination of January, 1940.

He took an active part in the life of the School, captained the Junior Division of his House in Hockey and Football, and was a member of the School First Eleven in Hockey. He was Secretary of the Junior Literary, Historical and Scientific Society and a member of the Senior Literary, Historical and Scientific Society.

He was an excellent boy of whom I had the highest opinion.

Sd/- R.S.deSaram.

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Original Sent Copy.
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ENCLOSURE 2

No. 2676

LOYOLA COLLEGE, MADRAS

Character Certicate.

This is to certify that J.C.V.Chinnappa has been a student of this College for two years. He has studied upto and inclusive of the Senior Inter Class. His general conduct has been Very Good: his attendance Regular: his abilities are Very Good. A gifted student with an exceptionally good record. Has had Latin for Pt. II. I gladly recommend him as a young man of fine talent and excellent behaviour.

3rd. June 1942.

(Sd.) J.D'Souza, S.J.
Principal.

Certified true copy

ENCLOSURE 3.

MAJOR S.PAUL, B.E.
Prof. of Mechanical Engineering.

College of Engineering
Guindy, Saidapet.
D/- 16th March 1945.

I have know J.C.V.CHINNAPPA for several years. He comes of a good christian family and is well connected. A very bright and intelligent student, he is completing the prescribed course for the Mechanical Engineering Division of this College and is appearing for the final B.E. Degree Examination of March 1945 of the Madras University in the same branch. In all the previous examinations of the Madras University he was placed in the Honours list. Holding the second rank in his class, I am sure he will secure the Honours place in the final examination as well.

Apart from his normal studies Mr.J.C.V.Chinnappa has evinced a very keen interest in work of an original nature. Utilising his spare time and holidays he has carried out investigations in the Mechanical Engineering Laboratory of this College and has submitted two papers for each of which he was awarded a special Prize by the Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Association of this College. I consider the standard of the papers very good.

A talented actor and musician, he took a full share in the extra mural activities of the College. A good sportsman, he represented the College very creditably in Cricket and Boxing.

As a Sergeant in the I.E.M.E. Detachment of the 1st (Madras) Bn. U.O.T.C. he carriedout his duties efficiently and well and would have been promoted to the rank of an Under Officer, except for want of such vacancies in the Technical Sub Unit. He secured the prize for the outstanding recruit and for the Best Shot in the Detachment.

I have therefore great pleasure in giving this testimonial to Mr.J.C.V.Chinnappa as I am of opinion that young men of this type only will really benefit by studies abroad and will turn out to be keymen in the development of Technical studies in this country in the post-war reconstruction.

Sd/- S.PAUL,
MAJOR.

Certified True Copy
1945

ENCLOSURE 4.

COLEGE OF ENGINEERING, GUINDY, (MADAS).

This is to certify that Mr.J.C.V.CHINNAPPA was a student of the College during the sessions 1942 - 1945. His conduct, while in the college was GOOD.

He passed the First Examinationin Engineering of the University of Madras in 1943, securing the 17th rank among 112 successful candidates. In the examinations conducted by the College in the various sessions, he secured a total of 4,356 marks out of 6,000. He has appeared for the B.E. Degree examination in Mechanical Engineering of the University of Madras held in March 1945 and is expected to pass with distinction.

Besides being a brilliant student, Mr.Chinnappa played an important in the extra curricular activities of the College which train students for life and citizenship besides a career. Mr.Chinnappa was a distinquished member of the Cricket XI of the College and represented the College in Boxing. He has an outstanding record in the U.T.C. in which he rose to the ranks of a Sergeant. He tood part in the plays staged at the College and is an actor of merit.

Guindy, D
Dated:- 24-4-'45.

SD/- J.J.RUDRA.

PRINCIPAL.

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ENCLOSURE 5.

CROSSLEY BROTHERS LTD.

Openshaw,
Manchester - 11.

Ref.No.WBU/IM

D/- 25th September 1946.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

MR. J.C.V.CHINNAPPA has been in our establishment from the 23rd April 1946 to the 28th September 1946, during which time he has studied the various processes in our Foundry, Pattern Shop, Machine Shops, Engine Erection and Test Departments, also Fuel Pump Assembly Department. During this time he has shown a very great Willingness to do work allotted to him, and also a marked ability for assimilating the complexities in connection with the various processes involved in the manufacture of Marine and High Speed Diesel Engines. His general conduct at all times has been of the highest order.

MESSRS. CROSSLEY BROTHERSLIMITED.

SD/- WM. B. UNDERWOOD.

PERSONNEL MANAGER.

Certified true copy

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Number.	Place.	Physical verification done on.	Item.	Excess.	Shortage.
38.	..	..	Measuring cylinder 50 cc.	5 Nos.	..
39.	..	..	Glass rod.	4 lb.	..
40.	M.C.N.	22nd October 1956.	Beaken 250 cc.	..	35
41.	..	..	Beaken 150 cc.	..	20
42.	..	..	Beaken 100 cc.	..	6
43.	..	..	Beaken 25 cc.	..	6
44.	M.C.N.	..	Nickel spathula.	..	4
45.	..	..	Porcelain Annicible.	3	..
46.	..	..	Clay pipe triangle.	..	6
47.	..	..	Crystalization basin.	..	9
48.	..	..	Measuring flask.	2	..
49.	..	..	Weighing bottle.	3	..
50.	..	..	Pressure tubing.	..	93 ft.
51	..	..	Tripod Slaid.	..	2
52.	..	..	Test tube.	..	15
53.	..	..	Spirit lamp.	..	7
54.	..	..	Camel stain brush.	..	4
55.	..	..	Test tube cleaning brush.	..	61
56.	..	..	Watermaa filter paper.	..	2 boxes.
57.	..	..	Silica basin.	..	1
58.	..	..	Solvent naptha.	2 gl.	..
59.	..	..	Liquor ammonia.	13 lb.	..
60.	..	..	Chloroform B. P.	..	2 lbs.
61.	..	..	Glycerine B.P.	..	¼ lb.
62.	..	..	Filter lay thin.	..	406 Nos.
63.	..	..	Do.	..	210 Nos.
64.	..	2nd November 1956.	Caustic soda	..	8004 lb.
65.	..	..	Arrowroot starch.	..	2 lb.
66.	..	..	Liquid ponappin.	..	2 lb.

NOTE.—It would be seen from the above that bulk of the excesses and shortages relate to Manufacturing Chemist, Naduvattam. It would appear necessary that a proper maintenance and control of stores records are essential.

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15 JUL 1958

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Abstract

CINCHONA - Audit Report for the half-year ended 30.9.156 - Recorded with remarks.

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FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms.No.2200 Dated 25th June 1958

Read the following:

(i) From the Accountant-General letter No.O.A. CAW.III 31-3/57-58/101 dated 18.5.1957

(ii) From the Director, Cinchona Department, letter Rc.2268 G/57 dated 20.11.1957

(iii) From the Director, Cinchona Department, letter Rc.2268 G/57 dated 11.1.1958.

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ORDER

The Audit Report of the Cinchona Department, for the half-year ended 30.9.1956 is recorded with the following remarks.

Replies in respect of the following outstanding items of the previous Audit reports have been furnished in the references noted against them below. Where replies have not yet been furnished, remarks have been offered under the relevant audit paragraph or paragraphs.

1. Outstanding Audit paragraphs.	Number and date of reference in which reply was furnished
(i) Audit report for the period ended 30.9.1952	Government letter No.91910 DIII/57-5 Food and Agriculture, dated 1.4.1958.
Paragraph V(b) - Data for dryage of bark.	
(ii) Audit Report for the period ended 31.3.1953	
a) Paragraph VI (a) - Physical verification of stores	
b) Paragraph VII(b) - Comparison of private bark with that of department bark.	
(iii) Audit Report for the period ended 31.3.1954	
Paragraph VIII(b) - Reconciliation of bark accounts.	
(iv) Audit Report for the period ended 30.9.1954	

(P.T.O.)

a) Paragraph IV - Consumption of chemicals.
b) Paragraph IX - Despatch of bark from Hooker to Naduvattam factory.

(v) Audit Report for the period ended 31.3.1955

a) Paragraph II(b)(ii) and (iii) Accounts of bark - Discrepancies in Government Cinchona Plantations, Nilgiris.
b) Paragraph III - Plantation Labour.
c) Paragraph X(9) - Works in progress
d) Paragraph X(10) - Works in progress, Anamallais Factory
e) Paragraph X(14) - Stock of manufactured products.

(vi) Audit report for the period ended 30.9.1955

a) Paragraph III(a) Water supply
b) Paragraph IV(a) - Consumption of Chemicals
c) Paragraph XIX - Works in progress
d) Paragraph XXII(b) - Selling Agents.

2. (vii) Audit Report for the year ended 31.3.1955

a) Paragraph I - Chemicals consumed.	Government Memorandum No.26342 EII/57-9 Food & Agriculture, dated 4.1.1958
b) Paragraph VII(c) - Cost sheets - Consumption of Chemicals, etc.	Government letter No.26343 EII/57-11 Food & Agriculture dated 31.12.1957

3.(viii) Audit Report for the period ended 30.9.1955

a) Paragraph IX - Loss in harvesting younger blocks	Government Memorandum No.118972 DIII/58-4 Food & Agriculture, dated 28.3.1958
b) Paragraph XI - Defects in ~~this~~ initial Plantation accounts.	Government Memorandum No.51603 EII/57, Food & Agriculture, dated 14.10.1957

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c) Paragraph XVI - Reconciliation of bark despatches and receipts.
d) Paragraph XXIX - Security deposits
e) Paragraph XXXIII - Stores
f) Paragraph XXX - Penal interest — Government letter No.77225 DIII/57-8 Food and Agriculture dated 4.3.1958

g) Paragraph XXXI (a) -Eucalyptus Oil — G.O. Ms.No.1230, Food and Agriculture, dated 29.3.1958

5. Audit Report for the period ended 30.6.1955

a) Paragraph XXVII - Cost of similar operations
b) Paragraph XVIII - Out-turn and Scheduled rates.

An extract from the letter of the Director, Cinchona Department, Rc.2423 G/56 dated 18.6.1957 containing the his replies to the above outstanding items is enclosed. It is considered that the reply may be accepted and the question dropped.

6. (ix) Audit Report for the year ended 31.3.1956 - Entire report. — G.O. Ms.No.~~3196~~ 3193, Food and Agriculture, dated 16.10.1957

7. Audit Report for the half-year ended 30.9.1954

Paragraph VI - Expenditure on Labour.

In Memorandum No.84871 EII/56-7, Food and Agriculture dated 18.4.1957, it has already been stated that the expenditure of Rs.1,727-7-0 on the employment of mazdoors could not be considered as infructuous and that no further action was considered necessary. The Government consider that further action may be ~~x~~ dropped.

(P.T.O.)

8. (i) Audit report for the half-year ended 30.9.1954

a) Paragraph XI (ii) - Collection of security deposit from stall holders.
b) Paragraph XI (iv) - Non-execution of agreements.

(ii) Audit report for the year ended 31.3.1955

Paragraph X(i)(b) - Propagation Section expenditure.

(iii) Audit report for the half-year ended 30.9.1956

a) Paragraph VI - Sale of Wattle bark
b) Paragraph VIII - Tenders for transport
c) Paragraph X - Shortages in Anamallais bark accounts.

The Director, Cinchona Department, is requested to expedite his final reply in regard to the outstanding paragraphs noted ~~in the margin~~ above.

9. Audit Report for the period ended 30.9.1955

Paragraph III 10 (c) - Disposal of surplus material taken over from Public Works Department:

The Director, Cinchona Department, has stated that it has been estimated that the availability of lead pipes and steam x fittings in the Government Quinine Factory, Anamallais, will be required for the use of thw two factories and that the present stock of these materials need not therefore be considered as surplus to requirements. The Government consider that the reply of the Director, Cinchona Department, may be accepted.

(P.T.O.)

10. Audit report for the half year ended 31.3.1955

Paragraph III - Purchase of Stores for all the units in the Cinchona Department.

Paragraph IV - Purchase of double sifted slaked lime at Anamallais and Naduvattam Factories.

The attention of the Director, Cinchona Department, is invited to his letter No.2268 G/57 dated 4.3.'58 addressed to the Accountant-General, and copied to the Government. He is requested to send a copy of Accountant-General's reply.

11. Audit report for the half-year ended 31.3.1956

Paragraph V - Physical verification of stores
Paragraph XII - Arrears of Rent collection
Paragraph XV - Advance to Maistries
Paragraph XIX - Pice packet - treatment - acknowledgment from Post-masters.
Paragraph XXIII - Hospital-Anamallais.

The Director, Cinchona Department, is requested to expedite the further reports on the above items.

12. Audit Report for the half-year ended 31.3.1956

Paragraph VI - Cinchona Plantations - Levy of grazing fees for cattle kept by staff, labourers etc.
Paragraph VII - Discharge of Mazdoors on Medical grounds
Paragraph VIII - Purchase of Motor Vehicles and tractor and trailer
Paragraph IX - Levy of Sales tax on the supply of fuel to the departmental employees.
Paragraph XIII - Plantation Block Accounts.
Paragraph XIV - Internal Audit
Paragraph XVII - Reconciliation of bark despatches
Paragraph XVIII - Central control
Paragraph XX - Plant & Machinery at Quinine Factory, Anamallais
Paragraph XXI - Activated carbon
Paragraph XXII - Repairs to the Factory
Paragraph XXV - Cinchona Poles

In the circumstances reported by the Director, Cinchona Department, the Government consider that his replies in respect of the above items may be accepted and that the objections be dropped.

(P.T.O.)

13. Audit Report for the half-year ended 31.3.1956

Paragraph X - Purchase of West Bengal bark and transport charges recoverable from them.

Reference is invited to G.O. Ms.2083, Food and Agriculture, dated 14.6.1958 in which this item has been disposed of.

14. Paragraph XI - Russian method of cultivation

Action is being taken to recover the amount due from the Government of India. Orders will be issued in due course.

15. Paragraph XVI - Shortages noticed during physical verification.

The Government consider that, in the circumstances reported by the Director, Cinchona Department, no further action is called for on this item. In this connection the attention of the Accountant-General is invited to the letter of the Director, Cinchona Department's Rc.no.3423 G/56 dated 30.9.1957.

16. Paragraph XXIV - Transfer of the Anamallais Hospital to the Medical Department.

Orders will be issued separately in Health, Education and Local Administration Department.

17. General

The Director, Cinchona Department, ~~Cinchona~~ Department, is requested to take note of all items in the Audit Report in the light of the replies above and to issue necessary instructions expeditiously. Copies should be communicated to the Government and to the Accountant-General.

(By Order of the Governor of Madras)

N. MURUGESA MUDALIAR
DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

(P.T.O.)

To the Director, Cinchona Department, Ootacamund. (with enclosure)
To the Accountant-General, Madras. through Finance (with enclosure)
To the Accountant-General, Madras. (by name) (with enclosure)
To the Director of Medical Services, Madras.
To the Director of Public Health, Madras.
To the Finance Department.
To the Health, Education and Local Administration Department, for necessary action with reference to paragraph 5.
To the Special Officer, Prime Minister's Secretariat, New Delhi.
To the Controller of Stationery & Printing, Madras. (with enclosure)

(Forwarded: by Order)

M. Sivalingam
SUPERINTENDENT 11/7/58

VG:

Regd. Post.

OFFICE OF THE
ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS.
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82-C, Mount Road,
Madras-18,

No.OA.CAW.III.31-3/57-58/101. Dt. 18 MAY 1957

18 MAY 1957

From

The Accountant General,
Madras.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT-II
MAY 1957
FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

To

The Secretary to the Government,
Food and Agriculture Department,
Madras-9.

Sir,

Sub :- Audit Report on the accounts of the Cinchona Department, Ootacamund for the half year ended 30-9-56.

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I forward herewith the Audit Report on the accounts of the Government Cinchona Department, Ootacamund for the half year ended 30-9-56 for information and orders. Special attention of Government is invited to Paras III and IV of the Audit Report.

Copies of the report are also being forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Finance Department and the Director, Cinchona Department, Ootacamund for information and necessary action. The Director, Cinchona Department is being requested to furnish his replies direct to Government, a copy of his replies being simultaneously endorsed to this office.

Minor irregularities noticed during audit are incorporated in the Audit Note which is being sent to the Director, Cinchona Department for necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

(A.S.Krishnamoorthy)
Deputy Accountant General.(OAD).

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Draft I

Memo. No. 62265-II/57-1 (2)

Sub: Cinchona - Audit for the half-year ended 30.9.56 - Remarks thereon.

Ref: From the A.G. letter No. OA.CAW.III.31-3/57-58/101 dated 18.5.57

A copy of the letter cited from the A.G. Madras is forwarded to the DC.D. His attention is invited to para 2 of the A.G's letter and he is requested to forward his remarks on the audit-report at a very early date.

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27.5.57

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V. P.
Passenger.
Date 105 Despatcher's Initials.

To The DCD.

Go & recommend. (with guard)
(RD one month).

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OFFICE OF THE
ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS.
***

No.OA.CAW.III.31-3/57-58/101. Dt.

From
The Accountant General,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to the Government,
Food and Agriculture Department,
Madras-9.

Sir,

Sub :- Audit Report on the accounts of the Cinchona Department, Cotacamund for the half year ended 30-9-56.

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Yours faithfully,

(R.S. Krishnamoorthy)
Deputy Accountant General.

C/D.S.

Draft II

Memo. No. 6226 E II

Sub: Cinchona - Audit Report for the half-year ended 30.9.56 - Forwarding of.

Ref: Letter from the A.G. Madras No. OA. CHCV. III. 31 dated 18.2.57

A Copy of the letter cited from the A.G. Madras forwarding the Audit Report of the Cinchona Dept for the half-year ended 30.9.56 is forwarded to the C.S.&P. He is requested to send them in form, Compare carefully and send two clean copies of the forms. This may be treated as very urgent and the forms and Copies sent over a very early date.

for Secretary to the Government.

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Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, to the Secretary to the Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Madras-9, dated 18th May 1957, copy of letter No. O.A./CAW III/31-5/57-58/101.

[Audit report on the accounts of the Cinchona Department, Ootacamund, for the half-year ended 30th September 1956.]

I forward herewith the audit report on the accounts of the Government Cinchona Department, Ootacamund, for the half-year ended 30th September 1956 for information and orders. Special attention of Government is invited to paragraphs III and IV of the Audit Report.

Copies of the report are also being forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Finance Department, and the Director, Cinchona Department, Ootacamund, for information and necessary action. The Director, Cinchona Department, is being requested to furnish his replies direct to Government, a copy of his replies being simultaneously endorsed to this office.

Minor irregularities noticed during audit are incorporated in the Audit Note which is being sent to to the Director, Cinchona Department, for necessary action.

AUDIT REPORT ON THE ACCOUNTS OF THE CINCHONA DEPARTMENT, OOTACAMUND, FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER 1956.

I. *Introductory.*—The accounts of the Cinchona Department for the year ending 31st March 1956 was last audited in August 1956. During the present audit, the accounts for the half-year ending 30th September 1956 were checked.

The post of Director, Cinchona Department, was continued to be held by Sri A. Y. Swamy, M.A., M.SC. (Tech.).

II. *Outstanding paragraphs of the previous reports—Audit Report for the period ending 30th September 1952—Paragraph V (b).*—Data for dryage of bark.

(2) *Audit Report for the period ending* 31*st March* 1953—*Paragraph VI* (*a*).—Shortages of stores noticed during verification.

(3) *Paragraph VII* (*b*).—Comparison of private bark with that of department bark.

(4) *Audit Report for the period ending* 31*st March* 1954—*Paragraph VIII* (*b*).—Reconciliation of bark accounts.

(5) *Audit Report for the period ending* 30*th September* 1954—*Paragraph IV*.—Consumption of chemicals.

(6) *Paragraph VI*.—Expenditure on labour.

(7) *Paragraph IX*.—Despatch of bark from Hooker to Naduvattam Factory.

(8) *Paragraph XI* (*ii*).—Collection of security deposit from stall-holders.

(9) *Paragraph XI* (*iv*).—Non-execution of agreements.

(10) *Audit Report for the year ending* 31*st March* 1955—*Paragraph I*.—Consumption of stores and chemicals.

(11) *Paragraph II* (*b*) (*ii*) *and* (*iii*).—Accounts of bark—discrepancies in G.C.P., Nilgiris.

(12) *Paragraph III*.—Plantation Labour.

(13) *Paragraph VII* (*c*).—Cost Sheets—Consumption of chemicals, etc.

(14) *Paragraph X* (*i*) (*b*).—Propagation Section Expenditure.

(15) *Paragraph X* (9).—Work in progress.

(16) *Paragraph X* (10).—Work in progress—Anamalais Factory.

(17) *Paragraph I* (14).—Stock of manufactured products.

(18) *Audit Report for the period ending* 30*th September* 1955—*Paragraph III* (*a*).—Water-supply.

(19) *Paragraph III* (10) (*c*).—Disposal of surplus material taken over from Public Works Department.

(20) *Paragraph IV* (*a*).—Consumption of chemicals.

(21) *Paragraph VI*.—Sale of Wattle bark.

(22) *Paragraph VIII*.—Tenders for transport.

(23) *Paragraph IX*.—Loss in harvesting younger blocks.

(24) *Paragraph X*.—Shortages in Anamalais bark accounts.

(25) *Paragraph XI*.—Defects in initial Plantation Records.

(26) *Paragraph XVI*.—Reconciliation of bark despatches and receipts.

(27) *Paragraph XVII*.—Cost of similar operations.

(28) *Paragraph XVIII*.—Outturn and schedule of rates.

(29) *Paragraph XIX*.—Work in progress.

(30) *Paragraph XXII* (*b*).—Selling Agents.

(31) *Paragraph XXIX*.—Security Deposits.

(32) *Paragraph XXX*.—Penal interests.

(33) *Paragraph XXXI* (*a*).—Eucalyptus oil.

(34) *Paragraph XXXIII*.—Stores.

Audit Report for the period ending 31*st March* 1956.—The entire report is pending.

III. Purchase of Stores for all the units in the Cinchona Department.—It is seen from the file of the Director's office that the stores requirements of all units of the Department for 1956-57 have been assessed and tenders called for in February 1956. Tenders for most of the items have been received and a comparative statement has also been prepared with reference to the rates quoted. It is,

however, seen that the tenders received in regard to certain hardware items alone have been considered and orders placed; in respect of all other items, the quotations received have been ignored and the officers in charge of the various units advised to obtain their requirements individually after obtaining quotations following the code rules on the subject. It is explained that the rates offered as a result of tender 'were not competitive'. The desirability of consolidating the requirements of all units and calling for open tenders in the Director's office so as to obtain the benefit of the most competitive rates, at least in respect of important items involving large amounts may be examined and adopted in future. It may be mentioned that the total cost of stores required by the Department is roughly Rs. 3 to 4 lakhs per annum.

In reply, it is explained that the facts of the case have been reported to Government in the Director's letter No. 1926. E. 56, dated 2nd July 1956, on which orders have been passed in G.O. Ms. 1905, Agriculture, dated 3rd August 1956. It is however, seen that the Government order, relates to the purchase of diet articles only for the Government Hospital at Cinchona. Reference is invited to instruction 18 under Rule III, Article 125 of Madras Financial Code Volume I, under which tenders should always be invited by the purchasing officer before purchasing the articles required for the department. The non-compliance with Code rules requires ratification by Government.

IV. Purchase of double sifted slaked lime at Anamalais and Naduvattam Factories.— The requirements of slaked lime for the Naduvattam Factory were obtained from Messrs. Pierce Leslie & Co., Calicut, at Rs. 105 per ton ex-works, Calicut, plus Rs. 30 transport charges from Calicut to Naduvattam. The Manufacturing Chemist, Anamallais, purchased till 25th October 1956 his requirements of slaked lime from one Sri T. A. Francis at Rs. 126 per ton, delivery at Anamalais Factory, and he had also reported to the Director that the quality of lime supplied by Sri T. A. Francis was actually equal to, if not superior, the one obtained from Messrs. P. L. & Co, Calicut. Meanwhile a quotation was received from Lime Shell Supply Co., Kozhikode, at Rs. 82-8-0 per ton, delivery at Anamalais Factory plus cost of gunnies, which worked out to Rs. 99-11-0 per ton. As this rate was cheaper, a quantity of 10 tons was actually purchased by the Manufacturing Chemist, Anamalais, for the Lime Shell Co., against an order of 12 tons. The Lime Shell Company later expressed its inability to supply at the rate originally quoted and wanted the rate to be raised to Rs. 112-8-0 per ton. The enhanced rate of Rs. 112-8-0 per ton was accepted by the Manufacturing Chemist, Anamalais, as it was still cheaper than the rate quoted by Sri T. A. Francis and this was also reported to the Director. In the meanwhile purchases for the Naduvattam Factory were being effected by the Manufacturing Chemist, Naduvattam, from P. L. & Co., at Rs. 135 per ton.

The total quantities purchased by the Naduvattam and Anamalais Factories to end of 28th December 1956 and 21st October 1956 respectively and the rates paid are as follows :—

M.C.N.	..	55 tons	40 at Rs. 125	5,000	..
			15 at Rs. 135	2,025	7,025
M.C.A.	..	35·29 tons at Rs. 126 per ton			4,447

Had the above purchases been effected from Lime Shell Company, Kozhikode, there would have been approximately a saving of Rs. 2,400 to Government. The following remarks are made on the purchases of this item. The Director's office was aware in November 1956 itself that the MCA. was getting his requirements of slaked lime from Lime Shell Company, Kozhikode, at Rs. 99-11-0 per ton delivery at Anamalais Factory while the M.C.N. was getting his requirements from P. L. & Co. at a considerably higher rate viz., Rs. 135 per ton. The circumstances under which the M.C.N. was not directed to have his purchases effected from Lime Shell Company, Kozhikode, instead of from P. L. & Co. at least from November 1956, may be stated.

(ii) In regard to purchase of stores, the two factories had been acting independently paying different rates for the same item required at both the factories. It is to be pointed out that the Director, Cinchona Department, should have assessed the total requirements for both the factories and obtained competitive rates after calling for tenders under the open tender system as required under Article 125 of Madras Financial Code, Volume I, vide also in Paragraph III.

(iii) The claim to a higher rate of Rs 112-8-0 per ton by the Lime Shell Supply Company, was rendered possible owing to the fact that the original order placed with the firm was for 12 tons only. Had a regular contract been entered into with the firm for the supply of requirements of slaked lime for the year when the original rate was accepted by the department, the firm could not have claimed a higher rate in respect of further supplies.

V. Physical verification of stores.—Details of excesses and shortages found as a result of the physical verification of the various units of the Cinchona Department during 1956–57 are indicated in Annexure I. The excesses may be brought on to stock and orders of write off obtained in respect of shortages, as required under Article 145 of Madras Financial Code, Volume I.

It is pointed out in this connection that the book balances have not been struck and in the absence of these details, it could not be ensured that the excesses and shortages arrived at are correct. This may be examined before taking final action for the adjustment of excesses and shortages as shown in the Annexure.

VI. *Cinchona Plantations—Levy of grazing fees for cattle kept by staff, labourers, etc.*—(*a*) In G.O. Ms. 1598, Agriculture, dated 14th June 1954, a grazing fee of one rupee per head of cattle per month is recoverable in respect of all cattle aged one year and more. The order should be deemed to take effect from 14th June 1954, the date of the G.O.—vide Article 49 of Madras Financial Code, Volume I. It is, however, seen from the Director's letter to Government (3391 A.2/51–1, dated 26th March 1955) that recovery at the prescribed rate has not been effected in the Kuvattam plantations, through the number of cattle for grazing in the plantation has been estimated as 350. It may kindly be examined and stated whether the amount due for recovery from 14th June 1954 has been recovered in full in respect of the Nilgiris Plantations.

(*b*) It is seen that in all about 45 mazdoors are employed in connection with cattle keeping and the cost to Government on this account at the revised rate per mazdoor, viz., 1-9-0 per day works out to Rs. 25,000 per annum while the average revenue per month is estimated at Rs. 700 only. As already suggested by Government in paragraph 2 (*i*) of their Memorandum Rc. No. 117954 CV/54, dated 13th October 1954, the desirability of bringing down the number of mazdoors to the minimum possible, so as to narrow down the margin of excess of the expenditure incurred over the revenue realized on account of grazing fees, may be considered. It is also necessary that the registers and returns are also reviewed periodically by the Officer-in-charge, so as to avoid any loss of revenue to Government on account of the collections falling into arrears, etc.

VII. *Discharge of mazdoors on medical grounds—Payment of compensation.*—(*a*) It is seen that 61 mazdoors in all have discharged in 1955 being found medically unfit on grounds of old age and weakness. With reference to the orders contained in G.O. Ms. 1743, Agriculture, dated 13th July 1956 and according to the provisions of section 25 F of the Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Act, 1953, the discharged mazdoors are entitled to retrenchment compensation. The amount of compensation due in all these cases which is to be based on the total length of service is yet to be worked out. It is understood that no regular service records have so far been kept for the workers in the Government Cinchona Plantations except the M.M.Rs. which are destroyed after 3 years. The Director has therefore approached Government for orders whether in cases where their previous services cannot be

verified with reference to the available records the workers may be required to produce reliable contemporary evidence. It will be seen that the payment of compensation in respect of 61 workers is yet to be worked out and paid. The estimated amount of the expenditure on this amounts to nearly Rs. 10,000.

(*b*) In view of the above it is essential that immediate steps are taken, if not already done, to open service records in respect of all permanent mazdoors now on rolls. Urgent steps may be taken in this direction.

VIII. *Purchase of motor vehicles and tractor with trailer.*—In G.O. Ms. 993, Agriculture, dated 16th April 1956, Government have sanctioned the purchase of two 3½ ton lorries and a tractor with two 3 ton tipping trailers at a cost exceeding Rs. 63,500 including the cost of body building. Against this sanction, an expenditure of Rs. 69,641-1-8 has been incurred as shown below :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Cost of the two lorries	37,041	10	0
	14,195	9	8
(Vide bills of Sundaram Motor Co., cost of tractor with the trailers) (Vide Stanes Motors Co. bills).	18,403	14	0
	69,641	1	8

(excluding cost of body building).

In respect of the body building by the P. W. Workshops, the actual cost remains to be ascertained and adjusted in accounts.

The excess over the sanctioned amouut requires ratification by Government.

(*b*) The tractor was taken over from Messrs. Stanes Motors, Limited, on 22nd November 1956 but could not be brought into use till 4th December 1956 for want of trained personnel. This is brought to notice.

IX. *Levy of sales tax on the supply of fuel to the departmental employees.*—No sales tax is being levied for the supply of fuel from the departmental plantations to the staff of the Chinchona Department. As a doubt has arisen whether such exemption in the collection of sales tax could be allowed, the matter has been referred to the Secretary to the Commissioner for Commercial Taxes. The orders when received may please be communicated to Audit.

X. *Purchase of West Bengal bark and transport charges recoverable from West Bengal.*—It was reported in paragraph VI (4) (*a*) (ii) and (iii) of the Audit Report for 1951–52 that the cost of bark purchased from West Bengal during 1950–51 had not yet been settled due to variations in the analysis figures. It is understood that the analysis reports from the Central Drug Laboratory, Calcutta, have since been received and are under scrutiny. Pending final adjustment the bark was valued at Rs. 4·00 lakhs and Rs. 3,28,000 was paid in 1950–51. Early action may be taken to assess the final figure and settle the claim.

The transport charges recoverable from West Bengal may also be assessed early and prompt action taken to effect the recovery.

XI. *Russian Method of cutivation.*—In paragraph XXIX (2) of the Audit Report for the period ending 31st March 1952, it was pointed out that recovery of the amount due from the Government of India taking the two plantations together might be arrived at. The action taken in this regard may kindly be intimated to Audit.

XII. *Arrears of rent collection.*— The arrears of collection of rent due were pointed out in paragraph III (*a*) of the Audit Report for the period ending 30th

September 1954. It was reported that a sum of Rs. 436-8-0 was adjusted against the security deposit furnished by the contractors. This may kindly be confirmed.

A sum of Rs. 444-12-0 is pending recovery. Early action may kindly be taken to recover the same.

XIII. *Plantation Block Accounts.*—At paragraph X (i) of the Audit Report for the half-year ending 30th September 1954, it was pointed out that plantation block accounts had not been maintained at the plantations. It is suggested that suitable block accounts may be opened at the plantations and the same reconciled with the records at the Director's Office.

XIV. *Internal Audit.*—It was printed out in paragraph X (v) of the Audit Report for the half-year ending 30th September 1954, that the internal audit was in omplete for the half-year ending 31st March 1954. It was noticed during the current local audit that the final audit of the accounts for 1955-56 had not been completed in respect of all units, the audit of four main units remaining yet to be done. This may be completed early.

XV. *Advance to maistries.*—As against a balance of Rs. 203-11-0 due to be recovered, a sum of Rs 148-11-0 was stated as pending recovery as on date of audit. Early action may kindly be taken to recover the same.

XVI. *Shortages noticed during physical verification—Paragraph XXIV (3) of Section III of* 1951-52.—It was reported that the matter had been finalized and the orders of the Director were stated to be under issue. This may be expedited and report sent to Audit.

XVII. *Reconciliation of bark despatches.*—The following defects were noticed :—

(*a*) The bark statements from the Superintendent, Anamalais, had not been received from November 1956 onwards.

(*b*) The bark ledger for 1956-57 had not been completely posted. The bark statement from the Superintendent, Nilgiris, from April 1956 to date of audit had not been received.

(*c*) It is seen from the statement of G.C.P., Anamalais, for April 1956 that a quantity of 36,500 lb. had been inserted as the balance at Kadambarai division. This additional entry may kindly be investigated.

(*d*) The following bark delivery notes were stated as awaited from the divisions. They may be obtained and produced at the time of next audit.

Month.	Division.	Quantity. lb.
May 1956	V	198,480
	Kadambari	30,660
June 1956	I	8,460
	II	1,040
	III	167,840
	IV	268,140
	V	175,140
	VI	65,000
	VII	31,620

(*e*) The bark registers produced to audit were not complete in all particulars. The opening balances in this register could not be verified as the previous Registers were not made available to audit. This may be produced at the time of next audit.

(*f*) The total quantity of bark received at the factory from the plantations may kindly be reconciled monthly with the bark analysis reports submitted by the Manufacturing Chemists.

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In regard to the transport charges, it may kindly be confirmed that the quantities transported and actually brought to accounts are always correlated in all cases in the Director's Office.

XVIII. *Central control.*—It was pointed out in paragraphs IV and VI of the Audit Report for the period ending 30th September 1953 that no standards had been prescribed for labour engaged in the factory and the plantations and that the outturn of each had not been recorded in full in the muster rolls and that the muster rolls were not subjected to any check in the Central Office. The muster rolls were being subjected to scrutiny during internal audit locally as usual. Regarding the intensification of the check of the muster rolls by the Central Office, it was explained that it would be done after internal audit staff applied for was sanctioned by Government. The question of fixation of suitable standards for labour was also stated to be engaging the attention of the Department. Early action may kindly be taken in the matter under intimation to audit.

XIX. *Pice packet treatment acknowledgments from Postmasters.*—It was noticed that certain aknowledgmegts still remained to be obtained. It is suggested that urgent action may be taken to obtain all acknowledgments and to bring the records up-to-date. Please also see paragraph X (13) of the Audit Report for the half-year ending 31st March 1955.

XX. *Plant and machinery at Quinine Factory, Anamalais.*—The boiler and distillation tanks (Rs. 2,920 cost of boiler alone) and others for the vettiver distillation have been lying idle from 8th December 1956. It is understood that these items are remaining idle for want of receipt of certain other allied items of machinery necessary for the installation and working of the plant. The delay has resulted in unnecessary lock-up of Government capital and is brougt to notice.

It is also seen that the following items of machinery are lying idle in the factory.

1. Boilers 2—due to repairs.
2. Tableting machines 3—due to non-tableting—of Q. S. powder (on Government of India account).
3. Sieving machines 1.
4. Mixture 1.
5. Cinchona Febrifuge grinder 1—due to repairs.
6. Boiler and distillation tanks—yet to be erected.

It is stated that the machines may be worked only when tableting of Madras Government qunine products is started in the factory, after completely processing the Government of India bark, which is expected to last till the end of 1959 or 1960. Thd use of these items elsewhere more econ mically instead of allowing them to be idle may be considered.

XXI. *Activated carbon.*—The requirement of this item is at present obtained from I.C.I. generally and at times from the Naduvattam factory which produces this item. It is stated that the Naduvattum factory could produce economically the requirements of this item for the Anamalais factory also. If so it is suggested that the matter may be examined further with a view to see whether the entire requirements of activated carbon for Anamalais factory also are obtained from the Naduvattam Factory.

XXII. *Repairs to the factory and its appurtenant buildings, Anamalais.*—In G.O. Ms, No. 2314, Agriculture, dated 26th September 1956, the Government have sanctioned Rs. 20,000 in the first instance to carry out the repairs subject to the condition that the Chief Engineer may apply for additional expenditure if and when necessary. The circumstances leading to the sanction of the expenditure are briefly mentioned below :—

The Quinine factory on the Anamalais and appurtenant buildings were constructed and handed over to Cinchona department by the Public Works Department in April 1955.

The Chief Engineer, Public Works Department (General), who inspected the factory submitted his report classifying the defects in various categories and estimated an expenditure of Rs. 20,000 (roughly) for rectifying the defects.

The Government have held that there had been lack of proper supervision and control in the execution of the work of construction of the buildings and also their naintenance during the period when they were in charge of Public Works Department.

Action by Public Works Department for rectification of the defects has been taken only from the middle of March 1957,

The total expenditure actually incurred may be intimated to audit in due course.

XXIII. *Hospital—Anamalais—Purchase of certain articles required during* 1956–57.—In Director's Proceedings No. 1926–E/56, dated 12th June 1956, it was ordered that the requirements of the hospital as per list given in the proceedings should be purchased from the cheapest available sources observing the Code rules regarding purchases, etc. As no tenders were received for diet articles, the Director requested Government (Vide his Rc. 1926. E/56; dated 2nd July 1956) that he might be permitted to purchase the available diet articles from the Cinchona Plantations Co-operative Stores and the remaining items, e.g., milk, bread, mutton and fish from the cheapest available source after calling for quotations and this was also approved by Government—Vide G.O. Ms. 1905, Agriculture, dated 3rd August 1956. It was however observed that in respect of these items noted below before the Medical Officer, Anamalais did not call for quotations but continued to purchase them from the previous year's suppliers at the previous year's rates, contrary to the instructions of the Director. The Medical Officer reported in October 1950 that he had called for quotations and also proposed to make payments to the existing contractors at the previous year's rates after obtaining an undertaking from them to refund to Government the excess amount, if any, on account of reduction on rates as per revised quotation and this was also approved by the Director—vide his Memo., dated 21st November 1956. It was reported that the quotations had not been received in the Director's office till the date of audit.

	lb.
Milk	3,000
Bread	1,700
Fish	30
Mutton	75

The hospital has been handed over to the Medical Department on 22nd December 1956 and it is necessary to ensure that the difference in rates paid to the contractors, if any, is recovered from them and recdited to Government.

XXIV. *Transfer of the hospital to the Medical Department.*—In G.O. No. 2678, Agriculture, dated 13th December 1956, Government ordered that the hospital at Anamalais might be transferred to the control of the Medical Department. The hospital was accordingly handed over on 22nd December 1956. The assets and liabilities on 22nd December 1956 (list sent to the Accountant-General in Rc. 3506. A. 2/54 dated 18th January 1957) were as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Assets	8,04,332	5	0
Liabilities	2,060	11	0

Steps may be taken to see that the final adjustment of the amount to the credit of the Cinchona Department is expedited.

XXV. *Cinchona poles.*—It is observed that at present no proper procedure has been laid down for the accounting of Cinchona poles obtained from out of the Cinchona trees felled. It is necessary that the poles of different saleable sizes obtained from out of the cinchona trees felled should immediately be required to

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be entered in Goods Received Notes and these poles transferred to centres or depots when they are required to be stored. A stock account for these poles may be kept, the receipts being posted from the Goods Received Notes mentioned above, so as to effectively watch the eventual disposal of these poles. The matter requires urgent examination as it is reported that a sufficiently large number of poles are already lying in plantations at different places without being properly accounted for.

A. S. KRISHNAMURTHY,

Deputy Accountant-General, Outside Audit Department.

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ANNEXURE I.

PHYSICAL VERIFICATION REPORT OF 1955-56.

Number.	Place.	Physical verification done on.	Item.	Excess.	Shortage.
1.	G.C.P., Moyar ..	3rd March 1956.	Buckets.	6	11 (not produced).
2.	..	..	Tiles roofing.	6	..
3.	..	..	Tiles Ridge.	52	..
4.	..	..	Winnows.	5	..
5.	..	..	Bamboo mats.	8	..
6.	..	..	Couplings.	..	17
7.	..	..	Lever Lid Tins.	2	..
8.	G.C.P., Cherangode.	3rd March 1956.	Crowbars.	10	..
9.	G.C.P., Dodabetta.	24th May 1956.	Scales 30 plus 60 with 2 bits 30 plus 60.	..	2
10.	..	..	Ridge Tiles.	21	..
11.	Main Stores, Naduvattam.	24th July 1956.	Screw nibs.	20	..
12.	..	..	Couplings.	1	..
13.	M.C.N.	30th September 1956.	Plank.	867-8 Sp. ft.	..
14.	..	..	Zinc cholride.	..	2 lb.
15.	..	..	Wire nails 1½+ 2"	..	53 lb.
16.	..	..	Tars.	4 Gl.	..
17.	..	..	Country bricks.	..	19800.
18.	..	..	Salamoniac.	1 lb.	..
19.	..	..	Brooms.	..	1
20.	..	..	Filter cloth.	70½ yds.	..
21.	..	..	Wealing was.	3	1
22.	..	..	Putty.	..	..
23.	..	..	G.I. pipe ½ steam pipe.	Receipt, issue 2 B. Balance have not been filled in.	..
24.	..	..	Phenyle.	½ bottle.	..
25.	..	..	Empty barle 40/45 G.I. capacity.	3	..
26.	..	..	Belting 1½"	83½ ft.	..
27.	..	..	Disintegrator screens.	112 Nos.	..
28.	..	..	Hacksaw blade.	..	1
29.	..	..	Canvas hose pipe.	29	..
30.	..	..	Cancles.	..	3/8 lb.
31.	..	..	Sisal rope.	..	26 feet.
32.	..	..	Zinc slabs.	..	23 cwt.
33.	..	..	Empty kerosine oil tin.	11	..
34.	..	..	Gauge glass.	..	1
35.	..	..	Binding wire.	..	10 lbs.
36.	..	22nd October 1956.	Measuring cylinder 250 cc.	3 No.	..
37.	..	..	Measuring cylinder 100 cc.	4 Nos.	..

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Overseas scholarships - Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa - Request for permission to accept appt. in Ceylon Unty. - Orders passed.

Read:- From Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa, dated 15-7.50.
From the D.P.I., No.855-K/50, dated 26-7-50.

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Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa, ~~one~~ an Overseas scholar of this Govt. ~~is overseas scholars,~~ in Mech. Engg. who is now holding the post of Instr. in the M.E.S. in the College of Engg., Guindy, has been apptd. as Lecturer in Mech. Engg. in the Unty. of Ceylon. He has asked for relief from this Govt.'s service, to enable him to accept the appt. in the Ceylon Unty. He is willing to refund to Govt. the entire amount ~~they have~~ spent on his higher education overseas but has requested that he may be granted at least one year's time for the re-payment. The amount to be refunded is approximately Rs.20,000. This being a substantial sum, ~~xxxxx a matter of concession,~~ the Govt. have decided to comply with the candidate's request for a year's time to repay the amount. The exact amount he has to repay and the interest thereon will be intimated to him later ~~on~~.

2 As Sri Chinnappa ~~will~~ does not ~~have~~ propose to serve this Govt. for the minm. period of five years specified in the bond he has entered into with the Govt., the bond will be forfeited. The question of his 'release' from the bond will not arise and he will be free to accept the appt. in the Ceylon Unty. But, consequent on the forfeiture of the bond, his liability to refund to Govt. the full amount ~~they have~~ spent on his higher education and the interest thereon will continue until the amount is completely paid up.

3 The D.P.I. is requested to arrange for the relief of Sri Chinnappa from the post of Instr. in the College of Engg., Guindy, ~~from such date as may be~~ early ~~as possible~~ ~~if and when the~~ scholar wants relief. He is also requested to report the total expre. incurred on the scholar in India.

To
Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa (thro' the D.P.I.).
To the D.P.I.
" A.G.
" G. of I., Ministry of Education, New Delhi 3.

Edn. Dept.(A).

~~BY AIR MAIL.~~ II

Letter/Ref.No. 13938-A-6 d/- 11.8.50

To

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

Sir,

Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, overseas scholar, 1945-6 - Acceptance of an appt. in Ceylon Unty. and refund of bond amount.

I am to enclose copy of this Govt.'s Procs. Ms. No. 2273, d/- 11.8.50, ~~issued~~ on the subject cited and to say that one half of the amount recovered from Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa will be credited to the G. of I. in due course.

Yrs. ffly.,

Edn. Dept.(A).

BY AIR MAIL. III

Letter/Ref.No. 13938-A-7 d/- 11-8-50

To

The H.C. for India in London,
Education Dept.,
India House, Aldwych, London, W.C.2.

Sir,

Overseas scholarships - Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa.

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I am to request you to be so good as to furnish this Govt. urgently with information about the total amount spent abroad on Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa who was sponsored by this Govt. for higher studies under the G. of I., Ministry of Edn. scheme of overseas scholarships, 1945-6.

Yrs.ffly.,

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From

The Director of Public Instruction,

Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Education Department.

Rc. 855.K.1/50 dated 31..8..'50

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT.
3 SEP 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Sub: Madras Educational Service - Sri J.C.V Chinnappa - Overseas Scholar employed as Instructor in Mechanical Engineering in the College of Engineering, Guindy - Liability to refund the amount spent on him by Government consequent on his release -

Ref: G.O.Ms. No. 2273 Edn. dated 11th August 1950

I submit herewith a copy of the letter dated 21.8.'50 from Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, Ex Instructor in Mechanical Engineer, College of Engineering, Guindy for consideration of the Government. The Officer's was relieved on 21.8.'50 A.N.

The statement contained in para (5) of the letter is not however correct. There are posts of Senior Workshop Instructors in the Madras Educational Service in all the Engineering Colleges to which the Overseas scholarships could be absorbed. I may also mention that proposals have been submitted to Government separately recommending the maximum of Rs. 700/- for these posts and for the post of Junior Instructor in Electrical Engineering as in the case of Instructors.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

GRD. 31.8.

Copy of letter dated 21.8.'50 from Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, Instructor in Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, Guindy to the Director of Public Instruction.

Sub: Overseas Scholarships - Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa - Request for permission to accept appointment in Ceylon University - Government Orders -

Ref: Proceedings D.P.I. Rc.No. 855.K.1/50 dated 12.8.'50 and my letter referred to therein.
G.O. (Ms) No. 2273 Education Dept. dated 11.8.'50

I request that I may be permitted to state that I am greatly disappointed to note that the Government have not considered my request in para 2 of my letter mentioned above wherein I have stated cogent reasons for Government to release me from the full ~~xxx~~ implication of my bond. I ask permission to state those reasons again, and to state that it is but reasonable and fair for Government to reconsider their decision and modify their orders in the light of the considerations stated below:

(1) My father the Late Rao Sahib J.C. Chinnappa, Deputy Director of Public Instruction, served the Government faithfully in various capacities in the Education Department for a period of 27 years and died in service while he had about four months full pay to his credit and that he drew no money as pension after such a long service. The sum forfeited to Government by his early and untimely death thus roughly amounts to about Rs. 3,000/- leave pay plus about Rs. 18,000 he would have drawn as pension had he lived for even years after his retirement.

(2) My mother Dr.L.N.V. Chinnappa has done difficult and poineering work for this Government and State for a period of thirty years enabling Madras to hold the first place in India in Maternity and Child Welfare.

(3) I have served this Government according to the terms of my bond for a period of one year eight months and twenty six days- from 26.11.'48 to 21.8.'50. Moreover I was deputed for National Cadet Corps Officer's training during 1949 and 1950 and was thereby prevented from enjoying the summer vacation for those two years. I have therefore been continuously on duty since 26.11.'50 except for 15 days availed of in June 1950, and am consequently entitled to two months compensation leave. My full period of service may therefore be considered as 1 year and 11 months and I would be considered automatically to have repaid already 23/60 of any amount due, since I am bound to serve this Government for 5 years (60 months).

(4) It is a well-known fact that more than one Overseas State Scholar have been unconditionally released from the bonds they executed because

(a) either Government was unable to provide them with suitable posts;

(b) or as in the case of Sri N.V. KUDVA AND ~~SIR~~ Sri C.K. CHANDRAN because the candidates concerned had been declared personally unfit for the very posts for which they had been individually selected and trained. It is hard for me to be called upon to refund the whole amount for the simple reason that I cannot so be condemned as unsuitable or unfit. On the face of Government orders releasing them from all obligations unconditionally, the orders regarding me seem to be unreasonable and hard.

Moreover I would also state that Sri N.V. KUDVA and Sri C.K. CHANDRAN were in America for longer periods that I was in U.K. and the costs of their training to Government would have certainly been higher.

I quote these instances not in any spirit of rivalry but only to point out respectfully to Government that in fairness my case should have been viewed with equal generosity and in the same liberal spirit.

(5) The situation may yet arise, if it has not arisen already, wherein the Government may not be able to absorb into the Mechanical Engineering Departments of the various Engineering Colleges of this State all the Mechanical Engineers sent abroad for training at Government expense explicity for this purpose. As far as I can see, should I remain in service, SRI S.L. BALASUBRAMANIAM, SRI A.P. JAMBULINGAM and SRI R.P. ARTHUR, cannot be absorbed into the Madras Educational Service unless the present holders of some of the Gazetted posts in the Department are either reverted or relieved. Very likely it may be necessary to release one or more Overseas State Scholars, and it would be no loss to the Government financially to release me instead and free me from all obligation to repay.

(6) I joined duty as Instructor in Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, Guindy as soon as I received orders of posting, and therefore, I submit that the condition that I should pay interest cannot be up held.

In view of the above mentioned reasons, I earnestly request the Government to re-consider fully and fairly their orders regarding my relief in the same generous spirit that they have shown in the similar cases cited above; I respectfully submit that sufficient cause has been shown above to release me even unconditionally from my bond.

I may also be permitted to assure Government that as far as it be in me it shall be my constant endeavour to promote cordial and friendly relations between Indians and Ceylonese, particularly students. I would like to leave Madras State, to which I owe love and loyalty, with a mind free from the sense that I have been treated unfairly.

I await favourable and very early orders from Governmentin this matter.

/True Copy/

for Director of Public Instruction.

Edn. Dept. (A).

MEMO.No. 285-11-A-2, d/- 15/11/50 3643

Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, overseas scholar relieved from post of Instr., Engg.College, Guindy - Request for waiver of bond amount.

~~Read~~ Ref:- From Sri J.C.V Chinnappa to the D.P.I., d/- 21-8-50.
From the D.P.I., No.855-K1/50, d/- 31-8-50.

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The D.P.I. is requested to inform Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa that the orders in para 2 of G.O.No. 2273-Edn., d/- 11-8-50, will not be modified ~~with a view to his release from the bond entered into by him with the Govt.~~.

To the D.P.I.

JJVK

OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR INDIA.

Telephone—
TEMPLE BAR 8484.

Address for Inland Telegrams—
HICOMIND, ESTRAND, LONDON.
Cables—HICOMIND, LONDON.

Please quote the under-mentioned reference, and address any further communications to—

THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR INDIA,
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT,
INDIA HOUSE, ALDWYCH,
LONDON, W.C.2.

and not to any individual by name.

Reference E.A. 5219

8th September, 1950.

From: The High Commission of India,
Education Department.

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

Sir,

With reference to your letter No., 13938-A-7, of 11th August, 1950, regarding Mr. J. C. V. Chinnappa, 1945-6 Madras Scholar, I am directed to state that the total expenditure incurred by this Office on behalf of Mr. Chinnappa during his stay in this country amounted to £1,348/16/9.

I am to add here that if the word abroad in your letter is meant to relate to expenditure incurred by the scholar outside the U.K., on study tour, etc., the reply is nil.

Yours faithfully,

Iman R. Khan.

(I. R. KHAN)
for Secretary, Education Department.

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Edn. Dept. (A)

The D.P.I. also was asked to give figures about the expdr. incurred on the scholar in India. His reply may be awaited till 5.10.50

19.9.50

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

MADRAS.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Education Department, Madras.

Roc.No. 855 K1/50 dt. 4/10/50.

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Sir,

Sub:-Overseas Scholarships-Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa-expenditure incurred in India.

Ref:-G.O.Ms.No. 2273 Edn. dt. 11/8/50.

I furnish below the expenditure incurred in India on behalf of Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, 1945-46 scholar~~xxix~~ as ~~referred~~ required in para 3 of the G.O. referred to above:-

EXPENDITURE INCURRED IN 1945-46.

Equipment Allowance.	...	Rs.	500	0	0
Pocket Money.	...	Rs.	66	10	8
Trainfare to Bombay	...	Rs.	50	5	0
Steamer fare	...	Rs.	840	0	0
Cable charges.	...	Rs.	6	4	8
Total	...	Rs.	1463	4	4

EXPENDITURE INCURRED IN 1948-49.

Return Train-fare From Bombay to Madras December 48.		Rs.	66	12	0
Total	...	Rs.	1530	0	4

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction.

V.K.4/10/50.

Copy to the Accountant-General, Madras.
Copy to E Section.

Edn. Dept. (A)

The question of waiving recovery of the amount spent by Govt. on his higher studies from Chinnappa is under separate consdn. This may be settled — 10.11.50

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,

MADRAS.

To

The Accountant-General, Madras.

Roc.No. 855 KI/E3/50 dt. 4/10/50.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
6 OCT 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Sub:-Overseas ~~xxx~~ scholarships -Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa- expenditure incurred in India and United Kingdom.

Ref:-Your letter T.9.Edn. VI 398 dt. 12/9/50.

The expenditure incurred on Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, Overseas Scholar (1945/46) in India and United Kingdom is furnished below:-

1. Expenditure incurred in India during 1945-46.	Rs.	1463 4 4
2. " " " " " 1948-49.	Rs.	60 12 0
3. Expenditure incurred in the United Kingdom during 1945-46.	Rs.	1000 0 0
4. " " " " " during 1946-47	Rs.	5607 7 1
5. Expenditure incurred in the United Kingdom during 1947-48.	£ Rs.	505 14 8
6. Expenditure incurred in the United Kingdom during 1948-49.	£	273 1 1

2. The amounts furnished against items 3 to 6 above were taken from the Accountant-General's office. Detailed and authenticated particulars of expenditure incurred on each and every scholar overseas have been called for by the Government from the Accountant-General, Central Revenues.

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction.

Copy submitted to the Secretary to Government, Education Department.
Copy to E Section.

V.K.4/10/50.

Education Department.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department, Madras.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

Rc.No. 1000 C1-C3/50 dated 28-11-50.

Sir,

Sub: Overseas scholarships - Sri. J.C.V. Chinnappa - Expenditure in India and United Kingdom.

Ref: Ms.No. 2273 Education dated 11-8-1950 (2) Memo. No. 26511 A2 Education dated 15-11-50.

In submitting herewith a copy of the letter No. T9 Education VI 500 dated 15th November 1950 from the Accountant-General, Madras, I request that Government may be pleased to inform Sri. J.C.V. Chinnappa the exact amount he has to repay and the rate of interest to be charged on the amount.

Yours faithfully,

for Director of Public Instruction.

Copy to the Accountant General, Madras with reference to his letter T9 Education VI 500 dated 15-11-50.

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Copy of the Letter No. T9. Edn. VI. 500 dated 28-11-50 from the Office of the Accountant-General, Madras to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Subject: Overseas Scholarships - Sri. J.C.V. Chinnappa - Expenditure in India and United Kingdom.

Reference: Your Roc.No. 855 K1/E.3/50 dated 4-10-50.

Please furnish information as to the exact amount in rupees recoverable from J. Chinnapah.

The information in your letter under reference contains both sterling and rupee portions;

Information may also be furnished regarding rate of interest to be charged.

Yours faithfully,

(A.Md. Sultan)
Assistant Accounts Officer.

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/True copy/

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Edn. Dept. (A)

Memo. no. 2)610-A.1 d/- 17/1/51.

Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, overseas scholar — Recovery of bond amount.

Ref:- G.O. no. 2273-Edn., d/- 11-8-50.
Memo. no. 2651-A-2, d/- 15-11-50.
from the D.P.I., no. 1000-C-C/50
d/- 28.11.50.

In continuation of the G.O. cited, Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa is informed that a sum of Rs. 19514-8-4 (Rupees nineteen thousand five hundred and fourteen, annas eight and pies four) as shown below was spent by the Govt. on his higher studies:-

Payments in India	—	Rs. 1,530-0-4
Payments abroad	—	17,984-8-0
Total	—	Rs. 19514-8-4

Accg. to the bond executed by him, he shd. also pay interest on the monies spent on him. The Govt. have decided to charge him interest at the rate of 3 3/4 p.c. p.a. from the 22nd Aug. '50 (a.n. of the 21st Aug. '50 when he left the Govt.'s service & thus committed a breach of the terms of the bond. Sri. Chinnappa is directed to remit the monies to the credit of the Madras State under the head "XXVI — Edn. — E. Genl. — g. Miscellaneous" within one year the time granted

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to ... with G.O. cited — ie., one year from the date of his relief from his appt. under the Govt.

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For orders

2. The D.P.I. is requested to see that the recovery of the amt. together with interest is effected within the time specified & to credit half the amount to the G. of I.

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To Sri T.C.V. Chinnappa (thro' the D.P.I.)
" The D.P.I.
" " A.G. (thro' the D.P.I.)
" " Secy. to the G. of I., Ministry of Edn., New Delhi.

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Edn. Dept.(A).

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From the D.P.I., No.1000-C1/50, d/- 31-5-50 and 12-6-50.

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Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, Instr. in Mech.Engg. - Appln. for appt. in Ceylon Unty.

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Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa is one of the many private candidates who had their education overseas at the cost of this Govt. and the G. of I., under the Overseas Scholarships Scheme. His subject of study abroad was 'Mechanical Engineering'. He was intended for eventual appt. in the Engg.Colleges and, under the bond he executed ~~by him~~ before proceeding abroad, he should x serve the Govt., on return to India, for a minimum period of 5 years. Sri Chinnappa returned to India in Novr.1948, and immediately after his return he was apptd. as Instr. in Mech.Engg. in the Guindy Engg. College on Rs.260-40/2-500-50/2-700.

CF 1

2. The Unty. of Ceylon seems to have advertised some Lecturers' posts in Mech.Engg. Sri Chinnappa has now subd. to Govt., for transmission to the Unty., his application for one of the Lectuerships. He has already sent a copy of the appln. to the Registrar of the Unty. direct.

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CF 19

3. The Principal of the Guindy College is strongly against the relief of the officer from the Edn. Dept. His letter at p.19 C.F. shows that Sri Chinnappa is a very capable and first-class officer with high academic distinction and that his services cannot be easily and immediately replaced. In the interests of the Engg.Colleges, the Principal is ~~even~~ against releasing the scholar even if he undertook to refund the amount spent by Govt. on him. [Of course, he adds that the pay of the officers in Engg.Colleges under this Govt. is low and unattractive. But nothing can be done in this regard in the present state of Govt.'s finances.]

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4. The D.P.I., on the other hand, remarks that the scholar is the son of Sri J.C.Chinnappa,

former Dy.D.P.I., who died in 1938, just 4 months prior to the date on which he would have to retire from service if he remained alive; that in consideration of the services rendered by the father to the dept. in various capacities for 28 years, the son's application may be forwarded to the Ceylon Unty., his case being treated as a special one; and further that if the Unty. selects Sri Chinnappa for the post, a proportionate refund of the amount spent by the Govt. on him may be insisted upon.

5. The justification offered by the Dir. for the transmission of the application is rather strange. The reason that an officer rendered valuable service and died on the verge of his retirement would be a proper one to advance in connection with, say, the grant of a gratuity to his family or of scholarships to his children. It can have no relevance in a context like the present.

There is nothing strange in this. His father died in harness and it is only just that we should show some consideration for his son. Hy.

Lack of opportunity in an educational institution to utilize the specialised trg. recd. overseas, which would fit the individual better in an executive job, and existence of physical defects (stammering and talking too fast) which disqualify the individual for a teaching job, were recognized recently as special grounds for the release and partial release in the case of two other overseas scholars employed in Engg. Colleges. No such ground exists in Sri Chinnappa's favour. The Govt. have provided him with a suitable job and ~~in the dept.~~ there is also scope for his promotion as Prof. on Rs.600-900 in due course. It is purely a desire for immediate betterment of prospects with the help of overseas qualifications obtained at Govt. cost, that has made him seek the job in the Ceylon Unty. If every case for release is treated as special, it will not be long before almost all good overseas scholars have left this Govt.'s service.

The condition proposed by the D.P.I. for the officer's release in the event of his selection by the Unty., viz., proportionate refund of the amt. specified in the bond, is not a right one. If the scholar wants to take up ~~employ~~ employment elsewhere at any time before the expiry of

the full period of five years, it seems that he shd. be asked to refund the entire amount specified in the bond. Apart from this, Sri Chinnappa may not be willing to repay any part of the money and it is also not unlikely that the Dir. himself will later on move for the waiver of even the proportionate amount.

Proportionate refund is allowed in the case of teachers trained at Govt. cost not serving their full period in the bond. Hy.

6. In the circs., it is for orders whether this dept. may recommend the withholding of the appln. Finance may see before circn.

The only ground on which the scholar cannot be released is that the Govt need the services of efficient and highly qualified men. For orders.

Finance (E III)

Notes on pp.1-3 above may be perused.

Education do ~~not~~ apparently do not propose to agree to the release of Sri.Chinnappa for the reason that the Government need the services of efficient and highly qualified men. This department may agree with the proposals of Education.

Edn Dept.(A).

Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, one of this Govt.'s overseas scholars, who is now employed as Instr. in Mech. Engg. in the Engg.College, Guindy, has applied for an appointment in the Ceylon Unty. The D.P.I. recommends the transmission of the application. He also proposes that if the scholar is apptd. to the post he is applying for, he may be released from this Govt.'s service on a proportion refund of the (his making) etc

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amount spent by the Govt. on his education abroad.

Another overseas scholar, Sri N.V.Kudva, who has been holding the post of Junior Instr. in Tele-Commns. Engg.in the Guindy College, recently asked for complete release from his bond. He has the physical defect of stammering. ~~and~~ As with that defect he is not likely to be useful in a teaching post, the Govt. have decided to grant him full release. No similar reason exists in favour of Sri Chinnappa's release. He is considered by the Principal of the college to be very efficient.

cf. 19

~~But~~ The ground put forward by the D.P.I. is that Sri Chinnappa's father served the Edn. Dept. for 28 years in various capacities, and ~~xxxxxx~~ died only four months prior to the date on which he would have to retire from service had he remained alive and that ~~taking into account~~ in view of the father's services, the son shd. be treated with consideration in this matter.

cf. 15-17

For orders whether for this reason the Dir.'s recommendation will be accepted ~~of~~ release ordered, if any, after proportionate recovery of the bond amount.

May be circd. to H.M.(E.&.L.) and H.M.(P.W.) first.

pt. 5.7.50 Clia 5.7.50

5/7/50 S. The application maybe forwarded.

K. above for orders.

5.7.50.

H.C.M's minute as written below.

" I do not agree for forwarding the application. Ask him to pay back the whole amount. Afterwards we will consider about forwarding the application. "

H.M.(E.&L.)

H.M.(P.W.)

H.M.(Fin).

H.C.M.

The D.P.I has stated that his release if appointed elsewhere maybe on refunding the proportionate amount spent by him by this Govt. That maybe agreed to. This shows the necessity of making our salaries more attractive

I agree 8.7.

SECRETARY 1 JUL 1950 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

A scan that order should be immediately

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Recirculated with reference to HCM's minute on prepage.

11.7.50

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HM(E&L) Seen. If seal is put over the writing it becomes difficult to read. KM 12-7

HM (PW) 12.7

HM(Fin) 16.7

A draft Memo. is subd.

pt. 18.7.50 Clia 18.7.50

18/7/50 S. 18.7.50

(Issued in Memo. No. 13938-A.3/50-1, dt. 18.7.50.)

cf. 25

From the D.P.I., No.1000-C1/50, dated 21-7-50.

At page 4 ante, it was decided not to forward the application of Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa, overseas scholar employed as Instr. in the Engg. College, Guindy, for appt. in the Ceylon University, unless he paid back to Govt. the entire amount spent on his higher education. Sri Chinnappa has now asked for a reconsideration of that decision on the following grounds:-

cf. 24-2

(1) His father served the Edn. Dept. for 27 years and died while in service just four months before his retirement. Date on which he would have retired if he had been alive.

(2) His mother, Dr. L.N.V. Chinnappa, has done difficult pioneering work in Maternity and Child Welfare for this State for 30 years.

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(3) He himself has served this Govt. for one year and 9 months under the terms of the bond.

Facts (1) and (3)

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Facts (1) and (3) were before Govt. when they took the decision to withhold the appln. Reason (2), which is similar to (1), cannot be admitted as valid.

Sri Chinnappa says that he is willing to pay back the amount but that he may be granted time at least for a year and that his appln. to the Unty. of Ceylon may be forwarded immediately without delay. In the case of another scholar, Sri DV.Narasimham, ~~that arose last year~~ (last year, in) this Govt. suggested the recovery of the amount in instalments spread over 5 years, but the Govt. of India objected to that course and ~~insisted~~ wanted that the candidate should be called upon to refund forthwith all the money spent on him - vide pp.88-90 C.F. of "J". Following ~~the G. of I.'s stand in that case~~ that precedent, Sri Chinnappa's request for postponement of the refund by a year cannot be granted and immediate refund should be demanded.

Finance may see before circn.

29/7/50 — 29.7.50 — 29/7/50 — 29.7.50

(Pre. Finance Note on p.3 above)

Notes and the orders in circulation on pp. 3-6 above may be perused.

At page 4 ante it was decided not to forward the application of Sri. J.C.V. Chinnappa, overseas scholar employed as Instructor in the Engg. College pending his appointment in the Ceylon University, unless he paid back the entire amount spent on his over Education.

With reference to the representation from Sri. J.C.V. Chinnappa

Fin (A'ms)

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Edn. U.O. 13938 A. 4 — 29.7.50

FINANCE SECRETARIAT TO GOVERNMENT 68301/50 29 JUL 1950 FINANCE DEPARTMENT

p.4 ante

cf. 2b

G.O. 774 dtd 15.3.49

J/cf 20 nf. 6

The amount to be repaid is substantial. A year's time may be granted.

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A'ns p6 ante

p6 ante

Rs 1/187

p192/48 (7) and para 2 on p198/48 (7)

A'ns p6 ante

Rs 1/187

Thro' Accts. 31.7.50

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on pp.26-27 requesting to be given a year's time to enable him to repay the entire amount, Education propose to grant him his request.

As Education point out that in a similar case, no extension of time was granted for refunding the amount spent on a candidate, this department may suggest that the refund may be made forthwith. In calculating the amount to be refunded, Education will no doubt take into account the amount due of interest as was done in the similar cases.

If, however, Education wish to show a concession that a year's time may be allowed for the candidate to pay back the amount, this department may ask Education to take orders in circulation including H.M.(Finance).

The Edn. dept. seem to recommend recovery in a year's time on the ground that the amount involved is substantial. It is understood that the amount to be paid in this case is about Rs.20,000. In the case of proposal in Fin Go 774 Edn of 15.3.49, the amount to be recovered was Rs 20810 plus interest. The GOI strongly advised against refund of the amount in instalments on the ground that the method of recovery would form a precedent and afford an easy escape from the main conditions of the bond. This argument applies with equal force in this case. Fin would therefore advise against the proposal to permit refund in instalments in this case. Edn

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Edn. Dept.(A).

Some time ago, Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, one of this Govt.'s overseas scholars, who is holding the post of Instructor in the College of Engg., Guindy, applied for appt. as Lecturer in the Ceylon Unty. and wanted this Govt. to forward the application. The Govt. did not transmit the application. They ordered that first he shd. pay back the amount they spent on his education abroad and that only then they would forward his appln. for appt. elsewhere.

2. Now, evidently with refce. to the copy of the appln. which the scholar sent to them direct, the Ceylon Unty. have notified his appointment under them and he has asked for a reconsideration of the Govt.'s previous order. He says that he is willing to repay the full amount but that at least a year's time may be given for the repayment.

This dept. is in favour of granting the time asked for, as the amount involved is substantial (about Rs.20,000). But, the Fin. dept.'s view is that the candidate shd. be required to make the refund forthwith - as, in a previous case (ref. Sri D.V. Narasimham), the Govt. of India advised against recovery on an instalment basis.

3. The file may be circd. to H.M.(E.&.L.), H.M.(P.W.), H.M.(Fin.) and H.C.M. for orders --

(1) whether the scholar's request for time will be complied with; or

(2) whether he should be reqd. to refund the amount forthwith.

[The exact amount spent ~~over~~ on the candidate and the interest ~~that has accrued~~ thereon will be ascertained from the High Commr., London, and the A.G.]

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Sri Chinnappa's request may be complied with and he be asked to make the refund ~~in 4 years~~

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A draft order, a draft letter to the G. of I. and a draft letter to the High Commr., London, are subd. As in the case of Sri D.V.Narasimham, here also, it seems that it will be a forfeiture of the bond since the condition therein that the scholar shd. serve the bond for a minimum period of five years is not to be fulfilled. Finance and Legal may see before issue.

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Fin: noted last on pages 6-7 above.

Please see the further note & draft & orders in circulation on p. 8 above.

The drafts below may be passed and the case passed on to Legal.

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Legal.

Legal Dept.

Seen in Legal

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Issue

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(G.O.Ms. 2273-Edn., dt. 11-8-50)

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From the D.P.I., No.855-K1/50, d/- 31-8-50.

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Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa, overseas scholar relieved from post of Instr. in Engg.College, Guindy - Request for waiver of portion of bond amount.

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Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa, an overseas scholar of this Govt., after serving as Instr. in Mech.Engg. in the College of Engg., Guindy, for about a year and 9 months, wanted release from the bond he had executed (before proceeding abroad on Govt. scholarship), to enable him to apply for and accept appointment as Lecturer in Mech. Engg. in the Ceylon University. He mentioned, in favour of his request -

(1) that his father, Sri J.C.Chinnappa, served the Edn. Dept. of this Govt. for 27 years and died while in service, just four months before the date on which he would have retired, if he had been alive; and

(2) that his mother, Dr. L.N.V.Chinnappa, did difficult pioneer work in Maternity and Child Welfare for this State for 30 years.

Under the bonds executed by them, the overseas scholars should, on their return to India after completion of their studies, serve the Govt. for a minimum period of five years, failing which they should refund to Govt. the entire amount spent on them, together with interest. For reason (1) above, the D.P.I. recommended that Sri Chinnappa's request might be granted and that only a proportionate recovery of the bond amount, ~~be made from him~~ for which i.e., only the amount proportionate to the period the scholar ~~he~~ had yet to serve the Govt., be made from him. The Govt. did not accept that recommendation. They ordered that the matter would be considered only if the candidate refunded ~~to them~~ the full amount spent on him. Sri Chinnappa later accepted that order, but represented that he might be allowed time, at least a year, to pay back the sum. He also wanted a reconsideration of the decision to recover from him the full bond amount. As a matter of concession, and considering the fact that the amount involved was substantial (Rs.20,000), the Govt. granted the one year's time asked for. He was accordingly relieved from his appointment in the Engg. College, Guindy, on 21-8-50 a.n.

2. Now, mentioning again the services rendered by

his parents xxx to this Govt., and referring to the cases of two other overseas scholars, Sri N.V.Kudva and Sri C.K.Chandran, who were released by Govt. ~~more or less~~ unconditionally, Sri ~~Chandran~~ Chinnappa has asked for a reconsideration of the matter. The cases of Sri Kudva and Sri Chandran cannot be taken as precedents. The ground on which the latter was released was that posts in the Engg.Colleges did not afford him opportunities to utilize profitably his specialized trg. recd. overseas, which would fit him better in an executive job; his release was ordered only subject to the condition xx that he employed himself in the P.W.D. of the Central or the State Govt. Sri Kudva, a other scholar, was released because he had the physical defects of stammering and talking too fast which disqualified him for a teaching job.

3. Sri Chinnappa's other arguments are -

(1) During 1949 and 1950 he did not enjoy the summer vacations and he is therefore entitled to two months' compensation leave which may be added to the period of his service.

Under the rules, leave cannot be claimed as of right. When this is so, the question of adding leave at credit to one's period of service in a case like this does not deserve consideration at all.

(2) The no. of posts (of Instrs.) in the Mech.Engg. Depts. of the four Engg.Colleges in this State are not enough to absorb all the Govt. overseas scholars sent abroad. The release of some of them will be necy. later on and it would not be a loss to Govt. if he is now released instead.

This is not relevant. There are posts of Senior Workshop Instrs. which are also in the M.E.S.(gazetted) and the scholars can be absorbed in those posts. Further, new vacancies are likely to arise consequent on the promotion of officers as Profs. and Principals and the sanction of new posts.

(3) The condition that he shd. pay interest also cannot be upheld as he joined a post under Govt. when reqd. to do so.

The condition in the bond is that he shd. serve the Govt. for a minimum period of five years. This Sri Chinnappa did not fulfil. Therefore, he is liable to pay interest also. Legal may see on this point.

4. As ~~pointed out~~ stated by this dept. at p.2 N.F. of "T", it is purely the desire for immediate betterment of prospects

that makes the scholars seek release from their bonds and employment elsewhere. This tendency shd. be firmly checked. The minutes recorded in another file by H.C.M., an extract of which is placed at "J" below, may be perused in this connection.

There seems therefore no justification to reconsider the previous decision and waive the terms of the bond in favour of Sri Chinnappa. For orders.

5. Fin. and Legal may see before circn.

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The matter requires close study.

Please furnish

(1) the total no. of candidates who were sent; ~~of~~ who have returned; and ~~about~~ who are employed. Wherever releases have been ordered there have taken place particulars are: then also may be given how many are yet to come; when is the last batch to return.

(2) A specimen bond.

(3) Particulars of amount spent.

(4) Files relating to ~~the~~ all the releases.

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Submitted

1) Total number of scholars sent abroad in the 3 yrs beginning with 1945-6 } 94

Number of scholars who have returned to India } 77

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Nro of scholars employed under this Grant.	~~47~~ 41	51
Nro of scholars who have been released from bond or whose services are lost to this Grant by being employed under other Grants.	~~25~~ 26	(Suitable amount has been received from the scholars. Rs. Nonavailable. 36
Nro of scholars who have returned and are awaiting employment.	~~8~~ 10	1
Nro of scholars who are yet to return to India.	~~20~~ 17	- 5

For details of these figures please see the statement at (R).

Some of the scholars who have yet to return have been granted extensions. Except the following three scholars all the other scholars are expected to return to India by the end of March 1951:—

1) Sri M. Rajasekhara Sarma.
2) Sri C.L. Chandrasekharan.
3) Sri S. Murugesan.

Sri M. Rajasekhara Sarma and C.L. Chandrasekharan have been allowed to stay abroad at their own expense beyond the period of their scholarship. A report regarding the exact period of their overstay is awaited. As regards S. Murugesan, it may be pointed out that he got involved in a serious case of impersonation with intent to defraud various persons in U.S.A. and was consequently charge sheeted. Govt of India have promised to send a report regarding the progress of the case pending against him - vide L.F. II

2) Specimen bonds are put up at (H).

total returned 26
Entire amount was received from 1 scholar
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1,87,500
from 1962
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3762
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3393 Pw
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2043
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different from that for the previous yrs. (49)

3) Particulars of amount spent

There is no complete information about the actual amount spent on the scholars. 50% of the expre is borne by the Govt of India. The bond amount for 2 yrs is Rs 15,000. Taking the average period of scholarship to be 2 yrs, the total expre incurred on 94 scholars comes to Rs 14,10,000. Deducting 50% borne by the Govt of I, the total expre incurred by this Grant is Rs 7,05,000. The amount lost by this Grant by release of scholars from bonds or by the employment of scholars under other Grants is Rs ~~1,87,500~~ 1,87,500/-

4) Files relating to the releases.

~~Under the~~ Some of the Govts are not available (X). The available Govts are kept below. Please see pp 3, 6 and p 7 bottom of (R).

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I agree.

[j. Rather a big percentage! However With this amount

cannot be regarded as a loss entirely, since Some of the candidates might be employed in posts where the knowledge they acquired is of some use. ~~It~~ it is not unlikely that some employees in the State might be moved to posts where the knowledge they acquired already will not be of direct use.

Sri Leet. 30/9.

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Finance (E III)

The notes of Edn deptt from page 1 above may be perused. Finance may agree with their views at X on p 3 above.

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LEGAL DEPARTMENT.

This Department agrees with the views expressed by Education at M & X on pp2 and 3 ante.

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Education Department. (A).

Under the bond executed by overseas scholars, they should, on return to India after completion of their studies abroad, serve the Govt. for a minm. period of 5 years. If they do not fulfil this condition, they should refund to Govt. the entire amount spent on their education together with interest.

Sri J.C.V. Chinnappa, an overseas scholar, after serving this Govt. as Instr. in the Engg.College, Guindy, for about 21 months, applied for release from his bond to enable him to accept an appointment in the Ceylon Unty. The Govt. did not agree to the release. They insisted on his refunding the full amount spent on his education. Later, on ~~his~~ (the candidate) agreeing to make the refund, he was relieved from his appointment. At the same time, ~~as a matter of concession~~ and the amount (involved was) ~~being~~ substantial (about Rs.20,000), his request for the grant of an year's time for the refund, was complied with. (- as an act of concession.) Interest ~~was~~ also was ordered to be paid.

Now, Sri Chinnappa has asked for a reconsideration of the matter, with a view to his release from the full implications of his bond. This dept., after careful examination (pp.2-3 ante) are of the view that there is no justifica-

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tion to reconsider the previous decision and waive the terms of the bond in favour of Sri Chinnappa. Finance and Legal agree.

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The file may be circd. to H.M.(E.&L.), H.M.(P.W.), and H.M.(Fin.) and H.C.M. for orders.

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A draft Memo. is Subd.

P.J. 11.11.50 Cpa 13.11.50

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Edn. Dept.(A).

From the D.P.I., No.1000-C1-C3/50, d/- 28-11-50.

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Overseas scholar Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa - Recovery of bond amount.

Sri J.C.V.Chinnappa, an overseas scholar of this Govt., after serving for 21 months as Instr. in the Engg.College, Guindy, left this Govt.'s service, to take up a post in the Ceylon University. The bond executed by him, accg. to which he should serve this Govt. for a minimum period of five years, ~~should be taken to have been~~ was forfeited ~~to Govt~~. He has been granted ~~time~~ an year's time, however, to refund to Govt. the amount spent on his higher education overseas - Vide G.O.2273-Edn., d/-11-8-50.

2. The exact amount spent by Govt. has to be intimated to him now. The D.P.I. says that the expre. incurred on his behalf in India was Rs.1,530-0-4. The High Commr., London, reports that £1,348-16-9 was ~~septn~~ spent by his office. Finance may ~~see~~ whether for purposes of conversion into rupees of the sterling, the rate of Rs.40 for £3 may be adopted. In that case, the total amount will come to Rs.19,514-~~8-1~~ Finance may check the correctness of this figure also.

3. The rate of interest to be levied on the amount may be 3¾% p.a. - the rate in force for passage advances to Govt. servants. It seems that interest can be charged from the date of the scholar's leaving service - i.e., when he committed a breach of the terms of the bond.

4. The head of credit may be "XXVI. - Edn. - E. General - N. Miscellaneous", as in the previous case at "J" (Sri D.V.Narasimham's).

5. Fin. may see. Legal also may see on P above.

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The rate on p.1 above may be passed.

The relevant provision of Exchequer Audit Rules and by Edn. at (C) on p.1. above are correct.

Finance may agree to ~~xxxx~~ Credit of this Amount recovered from the Candidate in ~~xxxx~~ Edn-General - Miscellaneous". The suggestion at 'P' on p.1 above may also be agreed to.

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The view expressed by Edn. at P on p.1 ante is correct

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A draft Memo. is subd.

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