Sectt. II-27—104,006—4-11-49.

EDUCATION.

(195 0) Department.

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G.O. NO. 2917. Edn.

Dated 28. 10. 1950.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Stationery stores - Removal from Guindy to First Line Beach - Ordered.

Back Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Further Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

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From: Sri T.S. Ramachandran, I.C.S.,
Superintendent of Stationery,
Madras at Guindy,
Madras 15.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Madras 9.

14 SEP 1950
28184

No. B.8.21968/50 dated 14.9.50.

Sir,

Sub: Economy in Expenditure - Stationery Stores - transfer to Ist Line Beach -

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Edn no
(X)
B 14/9
5 CF
p 5 supra

Reference is solicited to this office letter No. B.8.21968/50 dated 7.7.50 and orders of Government thereon in Memo No. 19417-E/50 Education dated 11.8.50. The Ground floor alone of the Stationery Stores at Ist Line Beach is being used for storing of foodgrains by the Civil Supplies Department. The entire Ist floor of the building is now vacant, except that a very small portion is being occupied by the Government Entomologist. It will be possible to accommodate the whole Stationery store and the office in the top-floor of Ist Line Beach store buildings now, since the Stationery Stocks held at present are very low especially of paper. Whenever necessary the other small available place in the Old High Court Buildings can be utilised for storing paper bales until such time the Stationery Godowns are completely vacated by the Civil Supplies Department. This proposal will result in immediate saving of the following times of expenditure every month:-

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(1)	Rent of Buildings at Narasu Nagar, Guindy:	Rs.810/-
(2)	Charges on account of season ticket to labourers:	" 150/-
(3)	Cost of petrol for lorry for transporting consignments of Stationery to and fro Guindy:	" 500/-
(4)	Pay of 3 Gurkha Watchmen:	" 132/-
(5)	Fire Messengers:	" 76/-
	Total:	Rs.1,668/-.

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The other items of expenditure referred to in this office letter No.B.8.21968/50 dated 7-7-1950 will be reduced as and when the ground floor godowns at Ist Line Beach are restored and the electric crane and other contrivances are put in working order.

2 The Entomologist and his office will be provided with adequate accommodation in the Collector's Office Buildings. I, therefore, request that Government may be pleased to accord sanction to shift forthwith the Stationery stores from Guindy to Ist Line Beach.

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3 In G.O. Ms. 3751 Edn. dated 6-12-1949, Government ordered that the Assistant Superintendent of Stationery should be stationed at Guindy itself in the interest of efficient administration of the Stationery Stores, and he was relieved of his duties as Assistant Superintendent of Stamps and Assistant Pay Master, Carnatic Stipends. If the proposal to shift Stationery Stores to Ist Line Beach is approved the Status quo may be restored and he may be designated as Assistant Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery as before.

4 Early orders are solicited.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF STATIONERY.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort, Madr
Copy to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Civil Suppl

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Same as above

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From: Sri T.S. Ramachandran, I.C.S.,
Superintendent of Stationery,
Madras at Guindy,
Madras 15.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
Madras 9.

14 SEP 1950
REVENUE DEPARTMENT

No. B.8. 21968/50 dated 14.9.50.

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Sub: Economy in Expenditure - Stationery Stores - transfer to Ist Line Beach -

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Early orders are solicited.

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Sd/- SUPERINTENDENT OF STATIONERY.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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To AS

Rev. Dept.

Please see page 1 ante.

2 It is only a copy of the letter addressed to the Govt. in the Edn. Dept.. Edn. may perhaps be requested to let this department see their file before orders are issued on 'X' on p1 above.

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This [illegible] have been sent there

19.9.50

~~Rev.~~ no 65172 C/50-1
18.9.50.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
20 SEP 1950
28752
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
21 SEP 1950
28961

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE(CIVIL SUPPLIES)CHEPAUK, MADRAS.
Sri V.S. HEJMADI, I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Civil Supplies.

Board's L.Dis.133865-D/50(CS)d/19.9.50.

Sub: Economy in expenditure - Stationery Stores - Transfer from Narasu Nagar at Guindy to I Line Beach, Madras -

Read: From the Collector of Madras, Letter No.B8.21968/50 – p.1 ante dated 13.9.50 addressed to the Secretary to the Government, Education Department, Madras and copy sent to the Board.

14th

The Superintendent of Stationery is informed that since only the ground floor of the Stationery Stores building in the first line Beach is being used for storing of foodgrains, the Board (Civil Supplies) has no objection to the occupation of the top floor of the building for storing stationery articles proposed to be transferred from the Narasu Nagar buildings, Guindy to I Line Beach, Madras. However, he may await the Government orders.

K. GHULAM MAHMOOD,
Secretary.

To
The Collector, Madras.
Copy submitted to the Secretary to the Government, Education Department, Madras.
Copy to the Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Madras.
Copy to Board (Land Revenue) ~~Branch~~.
sk.19/9. MAK. 19/9

FORWARDED BY ORDER

SUPERINTENDENT. 19.9.50

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Encl(s)

Very urgent

Memo No. 28184 E/50-2 Edn dt 30-9-50.

Stationery Stores - Transfer to 1st line Beach from Guindy.

Refce letter No 21968/50 of [illegible] dt 14-9-50.

The Supdt. of Stly. is requested to state urgently whether the shifting of the Stationery Stores to Beach will enable the release of Narasunagar and if so whether it will be returned to the owner.

To

The Supdt of Stly

30/9/50

JD 30.9.50

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G.F. 32 (a)—998,256—3-11-49.

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Department

From (Name) T.S. Ramachandran,Esq,
Bar-at-law, I.C.S.,
Designation Superintendent of Stationery,
Station MADRAS. 15.

Received (6) Registered 9

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
MADRAS.

Enclosures:

No. B.8.21968/50., dated 3-10-50. 195 .

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
5 OCT 1950
30778
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

Sub: Stationery Stores--Transfer to Ist line Beach from Guindy.
Ref: Govt. Memo No. 28184E/50-2, Education, dated 30-9-50.

If the permission to shift the Stationery Stores to Ist line beach is accorded, the building in "Narsunagar, occupied by the Stationery Stores will be completely vacated in a week's time and it can thereafter be handed over to the owner. It is in a dilapidated condition and dangerous to persons and property and so the owner will be pulling it down also.

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4.10.50.

For. Superintendent of Stationery.

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C.N. 2818/6/50

H.M. Ford P.R.O. on 20/10

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From
Sri T.S.Ramachandran, I.C.S.,
Superintendent of Stationery,
Madras at Guindy, Madras.15

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

No.870/50-Spl. dated 26-10-1950.

Sir,

On Monday the 23rd inst., I visited the Narasu Nagar building in which the Stationery office is now situated. The walls are crumbling and the tops of the Madras Roof at the wall corners are damped and disintegrating with rain. I apprehend damage to stationery articles and danger to the clerks working in this office, if the Stationery office is not removed urgently. I request urgent orders for removal of the Stationery Office to Madras.

Have not the orders been issued
[illegible]

Yours faithfully,
1-15 P.M.
(T.S.Ramachandran)
Collector of Madras & Superintendent
of Stationery.

26.10.50

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Edn (E)

Please see the Secy's own overleaf. The file was circulated to Hon (Edn) Fin, Rev & Finance

26/10 The file has now been sent to Hon (Rev)

After Hon (Rev) has seen, it has to go to Hon (Fin)

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Supt Please see that orders are issued as early as possible

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To see pl
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⑧ Edn (E)

Stationery Stores — Removal from Guindy to First line Beach Ordered.

p27-(A) Read: G.O. 3751 Edn d 6.12.49.

p1 cf From the Supt. of Sty. No 21968/50 d 14.9.50

p5 cf From the Bd of Rev (CS) L Dis 133865-D/50 (CS) dd 19.9.50

Order / Ms No 2917 (Edn, d 28-10-50

Sanction is accorded to the shifting of the Stationery Stores to the 1st Line Beach Madras.

2 On return of the Stationery Stores to the First line Beach, the Asst. Supt. of Sty. will resume ~~his stamps work & the correspondence relating to the Carnatic stipends~~ his duties as Assistant Superintendent of stamps and Assistant Pay master, Carnatic stipends.

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see note p a 2 ,
29 p. 27 cf

Apd 28 ⓑ

To
The Board of Rev.
Supt of Sty.
A.G. (Mas)
Fin
Rev. Dept
Pub (Genl)
Copy to

JD
29/10/50

Edn.Deptt.(E)

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p-3 c/

From the Supdt.of Sty.,No.B.21968/50, d/14-9-50.
From the Board of Revenue No.L.Dis.133865-D/50(Cs)
dated 19-9-50.

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Sub: Stationery Stores-Transfer to the First Line Beach.

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G.O.466 Pub(Gnl)
d/21-2-49 (Q)

The ~~Stamp and~~ Stationery office was formerly housed in the ~~Stamp an~~d Stationery Godowns in the First Line Beach. During the war, as these godowns were required for the use of the Military, the ~~Stamp and~~ Stationery office and stores was shifted to 'Narasunagar' at Guindy. In 1946, the Civil Supplies Department were urgently in need of accommodation for storing the food grains. As these godowns were most suitable for the purpose, being near the Harbour, they were placed at the disposal of the Civil Supplies Department. Since then, the godowns are being used by the Civil Supplies Department. Mr. Narasu, the owner of the building 'Narasunagar' has been making repeated requests for the return of his building in Guindy. He was informed that the building was still required, as the Stationery Office could ~~can~~not be shifted back to its original buildings. In January,1950, Mr.Narasu requested Govt. for the release of his building in Guindy. The Board reported in March of this year, that it might be possible to shift the Stationery office and stores to Beach (First Line Beach) after the Godowns in Egmore had been constructed. Mr. Narasu was requested to renew his request in September of this year. (Letter No.2091/50-1 Public (Gnl).d/7-8-1950). In July 1950, Supdt.of Stationery made proposals for the shifting of Stationery office and Stores from Guindy to the First Line Beach, Madras. In reply , the Supdt.of Stationery was requested to renew his proposals later in view of 'K' above.

p-23 c/ (Q)

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p-49 c/ (Q)

p-1-3 c/ (X)

p-5 c/ (X)

2. It is seen from the correspondence between the Fodd and Agriculture Deptt. and the Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies) that all the Egmore Godowns will be ready for occupation only at the end of December 1950.

p-63 & 64 c/ (Q)

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3 The Superintendent of Stationery now brings to the notice of Govt. that the ground floor alone of the Stationery Stores at I Line Beach is being used for storing of food grains by the Civil Supplies Deptt. and the entire first floor of the building is now vacant except that a very small portion is being occupied by the Govt.Entomologist and it will be possible to accommodate the whole Stationery Stores and the office in the top ~~fxxix~~ floor of I Line Beach Store buildings now, since the Stationery stocks held at present are very low, especially of paper. He also states that when necessary the other small available places in the old High Court buildings ~~and~~ can be utilised ~~xx~~ for storing paper bales until such time the Stationery godowns are completely vacated by the Civil Supplies Deptt. It is pointed out that the present proposal ~~of the Supdt.~~ will immediately result in an monthly annual saving of Rs.1668/-. ~~p.a.~~ As for the Govt. Entomologist now occupying a portion of the top floor, the Supdt. states that he will be provided with adequate accommodation in the Collector's office buildings. It is therefore requested that Govt, may sanction the shifting of the Stationery Stores and Office from Guindy to Madras.

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4. The Board of Revenue(Civil Supplies) has informed the Supdt.of Stationery that since only the ground floor of the Stationery stores building in the I Line Beach is being used for storing of food grains, it has no objection to the occupation of the top floor of the building for storing stationery articles proposed to be transferred from the Narasunagar buildings, Guindy, to I Line Beach, Madras and that however he may await the Govt.orders.

p-5 cf

5. In the circumstances, this deptt. may accept the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to shift the Stationery Stores and Office from Guindy to Madras.

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6. The Superintendent of Stationery has also suggested that, if his proposal to shift his office from Guindy to Madras is accepted, the Assist.Supdt of Stationery

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who was relieved of his duties as Asst.Supdt. of Stamps and Assistant ~~pay~~ Pay Master, Carnatic ~~Stations~~ Stipends while at Guindy, ~~the Statusquo may be restored and he~~ may be designated as Asst. Supdt.of Stationery & status quo restored ~~as before~~. This deptt. may agree.

7 The file may be sent to F.& Agri(G), Public(Gl) Revenue and Finance for remarks before circulation.

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p-19 M

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J.D.
22/9/50

Edn Vo. 28184 E/50-1
22-9-50

22/9/50

F. & Agri.

Pub (Gl)

Rev

Finance.

Received in Section on 25/9/50

WB
23/9/50

Food + Agri (H)

Please see the notes of the Edn Dept from p.1 above. This file has been sent to this dept w.r.to para 5 of p.2 above. No information is available in this file to show specifically whether the shifting of the Stationery Stores to Beach will enable the release of 'Narasunagar', for which Sri. Narasu is pressing the Govt. and if so, whether it will be returned to the owner. Edn may be requested to consult the Supdt of Stationery specifically on the point as to whether the

4 shifting of the Stationery Stores from Guindy to Beach will result in the complete vacation of 'Narasunagar' and send the file again to this dept. on receipt of this reply.

With these remarks, the file may be returned to Edn.

27/9/50

28/9/50

30/9/50

Edn (E)

Food + Agri wo No 62874 H/50
d 30/9/50

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
30 SEP 1950
30282
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

With refce to X above, a draft memo. is submitted for approval.

30/9/50

30.9.50

Issue a Memo. No. 28184 E/50-2 Edn d 30.9.50 — 17 cf

From the Supdt. of Sty No B 21968/50 d 3.10.50 — 9 cf

Please see the reply from the Supdt. of Sty. on — 9 cf. The file may be sent to F. & A. with refce. to X above.

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5.10.50

Food & Agri.

Edn No. 28184 E/50-3
5-10-50

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
66019
6 OCT 1950
FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

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To AS

Food + Agri (H)

(Previous notes of this dept at pp 3-4 above)

2. W.r.t. X on pp 3-4 above, please see the ~~A~~ reference from the Supdt of Stationery at p 9 cf.

3. In the Circs, this dept may agree to the proposal of Edn Dept at A on p. 2 above.

4. Edn may be requested to circulate the Case to H. M. Food also.

5. After orders are passed, the file may be passed on to Public (GI).

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~~AS I~~ / S

To Pub (GS)

Edn are
Only the file
vide para 7
of their note
3 above

Food + Agri wo No
66019 H/50
d 7/10/50

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p 9 cf

D.O. I.N.F.

G.O. No. 2982
1-9-49

PUBLIC (GENERAL.C) DEPARTMENT.

Please see the notes of Education and Food & Agri. on pp.1-5 above. The proposal in this file is to shift the Office of the Supdt. of Stationery from "Narsunagar" Guindy to the Old High Court Buildings. The proposal is accepted in Edn. and Food & Agri. If the proposal is given effect to, the Supdt. has stated, that the building 'Narsunagar' will be completely vacated in a week's time and it can thereafter be handed over to the owner. The building 'Narsunagar' was requisitioned under the D.O.I. Rules in 1942 by the Collr. of Chingleput and allotted for the use of the Office of the Supdt. of Stationery. The owner of the building has been repeatedly asking

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the Govt. for its release. The last reply given to him by Govt. is on p.49 c.f. of Ⓠ. When the building becomes vacant, it may be de-requisitioned and released to the owner. It is presumed that the building was requisitioned under the authority delegated to the Collr. by the State Govt. This may perhaps be verified. Draft subd. to the Collr. Education Dept. may be requested to circulate the file to H.M.(Pro.) also. They may also be requested to let this Dept. see the case after final orders are issued, so that action may be taken in this Dept. to de-requisition the building. After issue of the draft, the file may be passed on to Revenue.

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10.10.50

Rw. (aw) ⓧ

9/10/50.

To AS

G.O. 466
21-2-49.

Rev 70344N
12-10-50

x as originally marked by Education Dept. Board

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Rev Dept

Notes from p ~~x~~ 5 ante may be perused and the case passed on to Fin.

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Rev a.o 70346 N/50.1
12.10.50

Fin (B.G) Deptt.

~~AS~~ Typed notes from the middle of p.5 above may be perused ~~and the case returned to Education~~. The shifting of the office of the Superintendent of Stationery from 'Narasunagar', Guindy, to the ~~[illegible]~~ old High Court buildings, will ~~results~~ result in a savings of about Rs. 1,668 per month. The Supdt. of Stationery may be requested to surrender the savings in this year after final orders are passed in the matter.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT
11 OCT 1950

FINANCE DEPARTMENT
12 OCT 1950

FINANCE DEPARTMENT
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
11 OCT 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT (E).

(12)

The case relates to the shifting of the Stationery Stores, Guindy, to the Ist Line Beach.

2. The Stationery Stores was specially built for the purpose, in the compound of old High Court Buildings. In 1942, when these premises were required for military, the Stationery Stores were removed to a private building ---'Narasu Nagar' in Guindy. Since 1946, the Stationery Stores have been used for storing food grains and ~~they~~ it has been actually in the charge ~~possession~~ of Civil Supplies Department. The owner of the building, 'Narsu nagar', has been repeatedly asking the Government for the release of the building for his own use. In the absence of an alternative godown to store ~~the~~ food grains, the Government have not so far been able to handover the building.

3. In his letter on page 1 cf., the Superintendent of Stationery has brought to the notice of Government, that the ground floor alone of the Stationery Stores, I First Line Beach is being used for storing of food grains by the Civil Supplies Department and that the entire first floor of the building is ~~now~~ vacant, except the very small portion which is being occupied by the Govt. Entomologist and it will be possible to accomodate the whole Stationery Stores and the office in the top floor of I Line Beach Stores Building now, since the Stationery stocks held at present are very low, especially of paper. It is also observed that the shifting of the Stationery Stores from Guindy to First Line Beach, will result in an annual saving of Rs.1668/- The Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies) has no objection to the occupation of the top floor of the building for storing stationery articles proposed to be transferred from the Narasunagar buildings, Guindy.

4. The Superintendent of Stationery also states, that if the permission to shift the Stationery Stores to the First Line Beach is accorded, the building in "Narsunagar", occupied by the Staionery Stores will be vacated

p-1 note file with G.O. 466 Public dt 21.2.49 Ⓡ

p.25 cf Ⓠ

p-1 cf

p-1 cf

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p-1&6 cf

p-5 cf

p-9 cf

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vacated in a week's time and it can thereafter be handed over to the owner. F & A dept agrees to this proposal.

5. It may also be noted, that if the shifting of the Stationery Stores from Guindy to First Line Beach is accepted the Asst. Superintendent of Stationery will also be in charge of Stamps and Carnatic Stipends. The building 'Narsunagar' was requisitioned under D.O.I.Rules in 1942 by the Collector ~~of~~ of Chingleput and allotted for the use of the Office of the Superintendent of Stationery and after orders are passed regarding the shifting of the Stationery Stores to Madras, it has to be de-requistioned and released to the owner.

6. For orders, whether the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to transfer the Stationery Stores to First Line Beach will in the circumstances be accepted. The file may be circulated to H.M.(E&L), H.M.(~~F&A~~), H.M.(Pro), ~~and~~ H.M.(Rev) and H.M.(Fin).

J.D. 16.10.50

OM 17/10/50

p-1 c.f.

p-5 c.f.

May be accepted

d/ 17/10

Edn. C. No. 28184E/50.

HM (E&L) 17/10

HM (Food) on tour 25/10

HM (Proh) 18/10

HM (Rev) 28/10

HM (Fin) ✓

Received on 28/10. HM(Fin) is on tour from 27th. According to Tappal instructions this file could be sent only on the 30th to Pudukkottai camp.
ES
28/10/50
circulation clerk.

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x Visit copies clerks note in file on p-8 n.f.

place letter regarding n.F (below)

Please see the Secy's orders on p-12 ~~[illegible]~~ c.f. The file has returned from HM(Rev) now which is still to be seen by HM(Fin). HM(Fin) is not here ~~[illegible]~~ the file will have to be circulated to Pudukkottai camp on the 30th. It is for orders whether in the meanwhile orders may issue & HM(Fin) may see after issue. Subject to approval, a draft order is submitted below.

J.D. 28.10.50

p 11 c.f.

In view of the urgency which the Collector has pointed out in his letter, the order may be issued subject to the approval of HM(Fin) who may be seen this after issue

OM 28/10/50

d/ 28/10

[The file has been sent to Madras after HM(Fin) has seen]

B.G.A. HM (Fin) 4.XI (ar) ~~[illegible]~~

Edn. C. No. 28184E/50.

[Issued as G.O. Ms. No. 2017 Edn dt 28-10-1950.]

Delinked from another file bearing C.No 33949E/50 and circulated today
ES
4-11-50

SECRETARY 10 NOV 1950 EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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From
Sri V.V.Subramanian, I.C.S.,
Superintendent of Stationery,
Madras at Guindy, Madras 15.

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

No. A1.18188/50 dated 19-5-50.

Sir,

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
23 MAY 1950
12558
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

(14)

Establishment--Government Stationery Stores--Madras--temporary posts of Gurkha Watchman--filling up by non-Gurkhas in case of non-availability of suitable Gurkhas--orders--solicited.

G.O. Ms.191 Education dated 5-2-1942.
G.O. Ms. No.249 Education dated 16-2-1943. A p-79 (N) p-79 (E)

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p-79 (N) The G.O. first cited above, Government sanctioned the temporary employment of two Gurkha watchmen, in addition to 3 Non-Gurkha watchmen, for keeping effective watch over the Stationery Stores. In G.O. second cited above, they also sanctioned the employment of an additional Gurkhaman temporarily as the two already employed were found to be insufficient. Since then these three posts of Gurkha watchmen have been continued to be retained under orders of Government obtained from time to time. Their continuance was last sanctioned in G.O.Ms.618 Education dated 27-2-50. The pay for Gurkha watchman is Rs.25/- per mensem as against Rs.20/- paid to Non-Gurkha watchman.

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p-34 (A)

As these posts are reserved for Gurkhas, it is found difficult to secure suitable substitutes ~~during~~ among Gurkhas, when anyone of the incumbants goes on leave or stops away from duty. Further it has been found of late that the Gurkhas themselves are not as vigilant and watchful as they are reported to be. In view of these difficulties I request orders to employ deserving non-Gurkha watchman on the same scale i.e., at Rs.25/- p.m. in the above sanctioned posts when suitable Gurkhas are not forthcoming.

Education (E)

The G.O.s referred to 'A' above have been called for from the M.R.O. May lie over for two days.

for Superintendent of Stationery.

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G.O. Ms. No 2132 Edn dt 27.9.39 referred to 'X' on p-1 of (N) has been called for from the M.R.O.

May lie over till 5.6.50

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From
Sri V.V.Subramanian, I.C.S.,
Superintendent of Stationery,
Madras at Guindy, Madras 15.

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

No. A1.18188/50

Dated 22-6-50.

Sir,

17056
24 JUN 1950

Establishment--Government Stationery office--Madras--temporary posts of Gurkha watchman--filling up by Non-Gurkhas in case of non-availability of suitable Gurkhas--orders--solicited.
My letter A1.18188/50 dated 19-5-50.

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I request to be informed of the orders, if any passed on the matter.

nrj.23.6.

Where is this. Please speak 1 Home?
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for Superintendent of Stationery.

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Education (E).

The reminder overleaf from the Supdt of Stny may be perused. The file on the subject has been sent to Home V.O. in this deptt's V.O No 12558 E/50-1 Edn d/ 19.6.50 and its receipt ~~return~~ may be awaited 5.7.50.

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Memo No 12558E/50-2 Edn dated 18.7.50

Govt. Sty. Strs — Replacement of Gurkha & non-Gurkha watchmen by Armed guards —

12/1917

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The Staty Strs, Gunfy, is at present kept watch by 5 watchmen (both Gurkha & non Gurkha watchmen). As the Staty Strs contain stores worth several lakhs of rupees, it has been suggested that the system of guarding the stores by watchmen may be ~~abol~~ abolished and arrangements made

Reminded on 7/8/50.

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for posting a regular armed police guard there, by appointing ~~addl.~~ sanctioning additional posts of policemen, if necessary.

2/ The Commr of Police, Madras is requested to offer his early remarks on the proposal

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The Commr of Police

S.C.

Reminded on 7/8/50.

C.F. 98 12,71,311—4-11-49.

Education DEPARTMENT.

REMINDER II

E Branch.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE
30 AUG 1950
MADRAS

To THE Commissioner of Police
MADRAS

~~have the honour to invite~~
~~I am directed to invite~~ attention to Govt memo

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No. 12558E/50-2, dated 18-7-50 and

to request that the reply to it may be expedited

~~request that this reminder may be returned at once with information as to—~~

~~(1) the stage at which the matter now is,~~

~~(2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and~~

~~(3) the circumstances which have caused the delay~~

Office Edn sectt

Station Fort St. George

Dated 24.8.50.

Signature.

Asst. secretary to Govt
Designation.
Education Department

SUBJECT.

Govt Stry. Stores – Replacement of Gurkha and non-Gurkha watchmen by Armed Guards.

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REPLY.

To The Assistant Secretary to Government Education Department Madras

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
26097
31 AUG 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Sir,

A reply was submitted to Government in my letter No 26081/A3/50 dated 22/8/50 through the Inspector-General of Police, Madras.

K.S. Ramakrishnan
30/8/50
for Commr of Police
Madras

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30/8/50.

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Education Department (E).

Sub :- Govt. Stationery Stores - Replacement of Gurkha and non-Gurkha watchmen by Armed Guards.

Ref :- From the Commissioner of Police No.26081/A3/50
Dated 30-8-1950.

MEMO NO. 12558 E/50-5 EDUCATION DATED 7. 9. '50

p-8 cf

To

The I.G. of Police,
Madras.

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The attention of the I.G. of Police is invited to letter ~~of~~ fr the Commissioner of Police, (No.26081/A3/50 dated 22-8-1950) said to have been sent through him and he is requested to state when the letter with his remarks may be expected.

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6/9/50

p-8 cf

Note :- Please see the reply from the Commissioner of Police on page 8 cf. The I.G. of Police may be asked to say when the letter referred to with his remarks may be expected. The draft memo above is for approval.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

From
Sri A.V. Patro, I.P.,
Commissioner of Police,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department, Madras.
Through
The Inspector-General of Police,
Madras.

No. 26081/A3/50 Dated 22nd August, 1950.

Sir,

Sub: Government Stationery Stores--Replacement of Gurkha and non-Gurkha watchmen by armed guards.

Ref: Government memorandum No. 12558-E/50-2, p-504
Education Department dated 18-7-1950.

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After a careful examination of the premises of the Stationery Stores at Guindy it is reported that for effectively guarding the premises and Stores a staff of 2 Head Constables and 12 Police Constables plus vacancy reserve (2 Police Constables) is necessary for the following reasons:--

There are eight separate buildings and sheds scattered over an area of about 120 yards square. Some of the buildings have several entrances and those doors are kept sealed. On account of the accommodation being insufficient, valuable stores are also kept in the verandahs etc., of the buildings. A static sentry is therefore required at the main building and two moving sentries to patrol the area and also guard the stores kept in the other seven buildings which are scattered about. To provide the sentries by shifts 12 Police Constables are required.

It is also reported that excepting a single theft reported in 1944 no other cases have occurred in that area. Some cases of pilferage by the employees themselves, were detected as a result of searches conducted by the Gurkha watchmen, as both the Ministerial staffs 45 in number and coolies 70 in number are subject to a daily search when they leave the premises after work. If the Gurkha watchmen are replaced by the Policemen, I am of opinion that it will not be in order if the Policemen conduct the search of all the persons working in the Stationery Stores.

The Stationery Stores were originally located in a building in Armenian Street and were shifted to the present premises during the recent war. It is reported that there is now a proposal to return to the old buildings in which case no Police guard would be necessary. Apart from this, replacing the Gurkha watchmen by the Police men will involve much additional expenditure to the Government. Even if the staff required is sanctioned, the Guards cannot be provided from the existing strength of the City Armed Reserve for at least another seven months, until the recruits are received.

Yours faithfully,

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

Encl:- ~~Copy of Govt. memo~~

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RC. No. 1389/RA/50

Forwarded.

2. No Police Guards have been supplied for guarding the Stores of any other Government Department in the City. I am of opinion that each Department should be able to look after their Stores with their peons or watchmen. If a Police Guard is supplied to the Government Stationery Stores, at Guindy, every other Department will use it as a precedent for demanding Police Guards. It is unnecessary for me to point out that the frittering away of Police man-power in these troublous days on Stores Guards, would be very inadvisable.

Received on 16th

(A)

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
15 SEP 1950
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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Office of the
Inspr. Genl. of Police,
Madras-4,
Dated 14th Septr.1950-

K Sankaran

for Inspr.Genl.of Police.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of Madras,
Education Department.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.
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Sub :- Stationery Stores - Establishment - Temporary posts of Gurkha Watchmen - Filling up by non-Gurkha Watchmen -

Read :- From the Supdt. of Stationery, No.A1-18188/50 dated 19-5-1950.

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MEMORANDUM NO.12558 E/50-5 EDUCATION DATED 24.11."50.

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24.11.50

In his letter read above, the Superintendent of Stationery ~~has~~ requested that the pay of Rs.25/- per mensem with allowances specially fixed for the Gurkha watchman, (as against Rs.20/- with allowances paid to non-Gurkha watchman) might also be applied to the non-Gurkha watchman when they were appointed in case it was found difficult to secure suitable substitutes among Gurkhas, or when anyone of the incumbents went ~~goes~~ on leave or stopped away from duty.

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2. In his letter No. B.8-21968/50 dated 14-9-"50 the Superintendent of Stationery has ~~suggested~~ recommended, among other things the immediate saving of the pay of 3 Gurkha watchmen, if the Office of the Stationery Stores were shifted from Guindy to the First Line Beach. Orders have since been issued in G.O.Ms.No.2817, Education dated 28-10-"50 directing the removal of the Stationery Stores from Guindy to First Line Beach. In view of these orders, it is presumed that the services of the 3 Gurkha watchmen will be dispensed with ~~and that the distinction between the Gurkha watchmen and the non-Gurkha watchmen will cease to exist~~.

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3. The Superintendent of Stationery is requested to state whether the above presumption is correct.

To

The Supdt. of Stry,
First Line Beach, Madras.

JD 21.11.50

22.11.50

D.P. F.X. 24.11.50

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From
Sri T.S.Ramachandran,Bar-at-law,I.C.S.,
Superintendent of Stationery,
Madras.1.

To A.S.II/E
The Secretary to Government,
Education Department,
MADRAS.

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No. B.8.21968/50 dated 5-12-50.

Sir,

Sub: Stationery Stores - Establishment - Temporary Post of Gurka Watchmen services - discontinued - report of.
Ref: Govt.Memo.No.12558-E/50-5.Edn., dated 24-11-50.

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The services of the three Gurka Watchmen were dispensed with, with effect from 16-11-50 Forenoon.

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6.12.50.

For Superintendent of Stationery.

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EDN. DEPT.(E).

Sub:- ESTABLISHMENT - Govt. Stationery Stores - Temporary post of Gurkha Watchman - Filling up by non-Gurkhas - Orders requested.

p-19 Read:- From the Supdt. of Sty. No. A1.18188/50 dated 19-5-50.

p-74 (N) p-19 (N) Prior to the appointment of two Gurkha watchmen, in G.O. 191, Edn., dated 5-2-42, there were three non-Gurkha watchmen in the Stationer Stores on Rs. 18/- p.m. In January 1942, the Supdt. ~~brought to the notice of~~ reported the Govt. that in order to keep watch over the Stationery stores worth several lakhs of rupees and requested ~~that~~ he might be permitted to appoi in addition to the three watchmen, two Ghurka Watchmen who were best fitted for guarding the Stores at night. He suggested that the scale of Gurkha watchman might be Rs. 25/- each p.m. The Govt. accepted the proposal of the Supdt. of Sty. In G.O. 249, Edn., dated 16-2-43, when the Sty Stores was removed to Guindy, another Gurkha watchman was sanctioned on a pay of Rs. 25/- p.m.

p-19 (N) p-7 (N) p-74 (E)

p-19 2/ There are thus 3 Gurkha watchmen in the Stationery Stores. The Supdt. of Sty. states that as these posts are reserved for Gurkhas, it is found difficult to secure suitable substitutes among Gurkhas when any of the incumbents goes on leave or stops away from duty and further it is stated that Gurkhas themselves are not as vigilant and watchful as they are reputed to be. The Supdt. therefore requests ~~the~~ orders to employ deserving non-Gurkha watchmen on the same scale viz., Rs. 25/- p.m. in the above sanctioned posts when suitable Gurkhas are not forthcoming. We may perhaps accept the proposal of the Supdt. of Sty. to entertain non-Gurkha watchman in the pay allowed to non-Gurkha watchman. The file may be sent to Finance for remarks.

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The Stationery Stores located in the Vel Pictures buildings contain stores worth several lakhs. These watchmen, whether Gurkha ~~or~~ Non. Gurkha cannot be depended upon. It is for consideration whether this watchman system may be got rid off and arrangements made for posting a regular armed police guard there. If necessary Govt may sanction the

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employment of some addl policemen's post for the purpose. Home dept may see for remarks.

16/6/50 S. 19-6-50

Home.

Edn No 12558E/50-1
19-6-50

Home Dept.

The Edn dept's note at pp. 1-2 above may be perused. This dept. may first suggest that the Commr of Police may be consulted on the proposal to post regular armed police guard for the Stationery Stores, Madras. The file may be returned to Edn, who will no doubt let this dept. see again after the Commr's remarks are received.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
20 JUN 1950
HOME DEPARTMENT

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Home No 84208 Police/50.
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY
18461
JUL 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

~~Home department have~~ has ~~suggested that the Commissioner of Police may first be consulted on the proposal to post regular armed police guard for the Stationery Stores, Madras. Subject to approval~~, A draft memo to the Commissioner of Police is submitted.

C. No. 12558E/50.

SECRETARY
18 JUL 1950
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

B as proposed by Home above.

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From the I. G. of Police Rc No 1389/RA 50 d 15-9-50

Please see this dept's note on pp 1-2 and the Home dept's note et seq.

M on p 9 c.f.

In the circumstances stated by the Commr of Police and the I.G. in pp 9 & 11 c.f., it is for consideration whether this dept need at all insist on the guarding of the Stationery Stores Guindy by the regular armed police guard. It may also be noted that the transfer of the Stationery Stores from Guindy to the 1st Line Beach is imminent and the Commr of Police states that in that case no police guard would be necessary. In view of this, the question may arise as to the necessity of Gurkha Watchmen themselves in the 1st Line Beach in Old High Court Compound which is guarded by the Police. However, the file may lie over till orders are passed on the shifting of Sty. Stores from Guindy to Madras.

(The reports to A I. A [illegible])

JD 26.9.50

27/9/50 S.

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A above

G.O. 2917 (X) 28.10.50

p 13 c.f.

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Orders have since issued directing the transfer of Sty. Stores from Guindy to 1st Line Beach. In that connection, the Supt. of Sty. pointed out certain savings to the extent of Rs. 1668 a month ~~p.a.~~ if the Sty Stores ~~was~~ was removed to Madras.

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One of the items of savings pointed out is the retrenchment of 3 Gurkha Watchmen thereby effecting a saving of Rs 132 a month i.e. Rs 1584 for a year. In view of this, there does not seem to be any case to pursue the proposal of the Supdt. of Stry. in this file. The three Gurkha watchmen with special starting pay of Rs 25/- p.m. each will be sent out on the transfer of Stry Stores to 1st Line Beach. For orders whether any reply to the Supdt of Stry. is seems called for or whether the papers may be filed with G.O. 2917 Edn. dt 28.10.50

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Vide p 104 — (x)

p 134 — (x)

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The S. of S. may be consulted | 'A'

16/11/50.

With reference to 'A' above, a draft memo to the Supdt of Stry is submitted for approval.

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Issued as memo No. 12558 E/50-5 Edn dt 24.11.50 p-134

From the Supdt of Stry No. O8. 21968/50 dt 5.12.50. p-154

The Superintendent of Stationery has stated that the services of the three Gurkha Watchmen were dispensed with, with effect from 16.11.1950 Forenoon. No further ~~action need therefore~~ called for. The

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papers may be filed with G.O. 2917 Education dt 28.10.1950.

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