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SUBJECT.

Examinations - S.S.L.C. Public - Supplemental Examination
in October - Continuance of -

Station: Madras. Number: C.814-B/50. Dated 14th October 1950.

From (Name) Sri S. Govindarajulu Naidu,
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(Designation) Commissioner for Government
Examinations, Madras.



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

Sir,

A supplemental examination under the S.S.L.C. Scheme was instituted for a period of three years from October 1948 in G.O. Ms.No.1715, Education, dated 7-7-1948. The first supplemental examination was held in October 1948 and the examination of October 1950 is the last one under the above orders.

The following table shows the number of candidates registered for the supplemental examinations and the fees realised:

Year.	No. of candidates registered.	Fee income. Rs.
1948	16,221	2,43,315
1949	15,824	2,37,360
1950	23,374	3,50,610

The supplemental examination provides opportunities for unsuccessful candidates of the preceding March examination to take the examination with the same text books. The number of private candidates (after the introduction of the supplemental examination) for the March examination was about 10,000 in the two years during which there was a supplemental examination. A large majority of these private candidates were those who did not apply for the preceding October examination. It is, therefore, evident that in the absence of a supplemental examination the number of private candidates alone would have been not less than 25,000 for the March examination.

In consideration of the above particulars and also the fact that the supplemental examination affords earlier opportunity for the unsuccessful candidates to qualify themselves and reduces the number of private candidates for the March session, when about 60 to 70 thousand pupil candidates from high schools appear for the examination, I recommend that the supplemental examination may be made a permanent feature. I may also add that the supplemental examination is not only self-supporting but also leaves a surplus.

Orders of Government may be kindly obtained for the permanent retention of the supplemental examination. To cope with the work connected mainly with the supplemental examination, Government were pleased to sanction the following staff in G.O.Ms.No.2111, Education, dated 24-6-1948 for a period of one year.

- 1 Asst. Secretary now designated as Senior Superintendent on Rs.190-240.
- 1 Superintendent on Rs.140-190.
- 2 Upper Division Clerks on Rs.80-125.
- 2 Upper Division Clerks on Rs.80-110.
- 6 Lower Division Clerks on Rs.45-90.
- 2 Attenders on Rs.24-35.
- 4 Peons on Rs.18-25.

(5) 'B' The same was renewed for a further period of two years in G.O. Ms. No. 2758, Education, dated 1-9-1949. In view of the fact that the supplemental examination is to be a permanent feature, I request that Government will be pleased to order the permanent retention of these posts also. Necessary provision has been made in the Budget Estimates relating to this Office.

(5) In this connection, I may state that according to the original proposals, candidates who failed in the October examination were not to be admitted to the March examination. Later on, when representations were made by the public including the University of Madras, these candidates were also admitted to the March examination. The work connected with this has to be done in a comparatively short duration of time in the month of January and in the first week of February. The number of candidates is also increasing and in the next two years the examinations have to be conducted simultaneously under the 1929 and 1948 schemes. All these involve a great deal of additional work and the staff sanctioned in 1948 can hardly cope up with the work. The number of candidates for the other examinations conducted by this office has also increased, necessitating provision for more man power. Taking the work of the office as a whole into consideration, I shall be shortly submitting proposals for certain additional staff in this office to meet the situation and to get the work done efficiently in time.

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M. S. Anganayakulu
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for COMMISSIONER.

(3) Examination - S.S.L.C. Public - Supplemental Examination in October - Continuance of Orders passed.

Read again G.O. (Ms) 1715 Edu 7.7.48 and G.O. (Cus) No. 2111 Edu d 24.8.48. From the C. of E. No. C. 8143/50 d 14.10.50

G.O. (Cus) No. 3368 Edu d. 26-12-50

The Govt. sanction the Continuance of the Scheme for holding a supplementary S.S.L.C. Public examination in October every year. Sanctioned in G.O. (Ms) 1715 Edu d 7.7.48, for a further period of two years. The C. of E. is requested

(5) may submit proposals to make the Scheme permanent on the expiry of this period, furnishing with full particulars relating to receipts and

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and expenditure on all items including the Staff.

2. The C. y. E. is informed that the question of the permanent retention of the Staff sanctioned in Ego Cus) No 2111 Edu d 24/8/48 will be considered when the scheme of holding the Supplementary S.S.L.C. Exam is made permanent.

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To the C. y. E.
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Examinations - S.S.L.C. Public - Supplemental Examination in October - Continuance of proposals of the Commissioner for Hgt. Exams.

From the C. y. E. C. 814-B/50 dated 14/10/50

Prior to 1948, an examination ^{was} held every year in March ^{alone} for students studying in VI forms of High Schools. In that year a Supplementary examination ^{in October} was permitted to be conducted for the candidates who failed in the March examinations. The need for holding a Supplementary S.S.L.C. examination is explained in the Summarising note on p. 25 of Ego. 1715 and d. 7.7.48. It was laid down that this examination should be in force for a period of three years in the first instance.

2. The C. y. E. has submitted a report on the ^{working of the} scheme of the S.S.L.C. Supplemental examination held for the last ^{two} years. According to him the examination is not only self supporting but also yields a surplus. The Commissioner recommends that the ^{scheme} S.S.L.C. Supplemental examination may be made a permanent feature so that early opportunity may be afforded to unsuccessful candidates, ~~and the~~ thereby limiting number of candidates appearing for the March examinations, ~~may be limited~~ to a minimum.

In the circumstances stated by the C. y. E., it is for orders whether the Supplemental examination under the

S.S.L.C. Scheme may be Sanctioned on a permanent basis.

3. A Special Staff was Sanctioned for the Office of the C. & E. for additional work in Connection with the Conduct of the Supplemental S.S.L.C. examinations (vide G.O. 2111 Edn. D 24/8/48.) In the event of the Supplemental examination being made permanent, the Staff may also be retained permanently. The proposal of the C. & E. in this regard may also be accepted.

4. The C. & E. proposes to address the Government for additional Staff to cope with the increase of work in his office. The receipt of his proposals may be awaited.

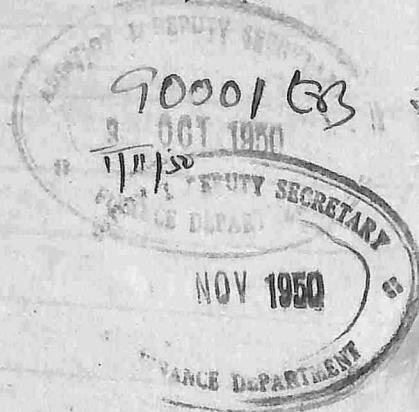
5. Finance may see v.o. for remarks prior to Circulation.

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In G.O. No. 1715 Edn. Dp. 7.7.48 the Govt. Sanctioned the Scheme for holding a Supplementary S.S.L.C. Public Examination in October every year and directed that the Scheme will be in force for a period of 3 yrs. in the first instance. To cope with the work connected mainly with the Supplemental examination some addl. staff (1 Asst. Secretary, 4 U.D. clerks, 6 L.D. clerks, 2 attendants & 4 peons) was sanctioned for a period of 1 year in G.O. No. 2111 Edn. Dp. 24.8.48 and the sanction was renewed for a further period of 2 yrs. in G.O. No. 2758 Edn. Dp. 1.9.49. The Commissioner for Govt. Examinations has now submitted the following proposals:-

- (a) The Supplemental examination may be made a permanent feature
- (b) The permanent retention of the Staff may be sanctioned permanently

The Commr. for Govt. Examinations has also stated that taking the work of the office as a whole into consideration he will submit proposals shortly for certain addl. staff in his office.

Item (a) above - The D.P. has furnished figures relating to the no. of candidates registered for the Supplemental examinations held in 1948, 1949 & 1950 and the fee income. The information about the expenditure incurred has not been furnished. He has, however, stated

that the Supplemental examination is not only ~~not~~ self-supporting but also leaves a surplus and has proposed that the scheme of supplementary examination may be made a permanent feature so that early opportunity may be afforded to unsuccessful candidates to qualify themselves thereby limiting the no. of candidates appearing for the March examinations. Edn support the proposal. Fin may perhaps suggest that the scheme may be continued for another 2 yrs. and the Commr. may be asked to come up with proposals to make the scheme a permanent feature at the end of that period furnishing full particulars relating to the receipts & expenditure on all items including staff.

3. Item (b) in para 1 above -

Edn. have observed that the permanent retention of the staff will have to be governed by the usual criterion, that is, existence for five years. Finance when ~~subject to the condition that the question may be considered when the examination is made permanent~~ may agree with the view of Edn. They have proposed to await the proposals of the Commr. for Govt. Examinations referred to at 'x' above. No remarks are called for in Finance in this regard now.

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The ~~Reserve~~ file relates to the proposals of the C. of E. that (1) the S.S.L.C. Supplemental exam may be made a permanent feature and that (2) the Special Staff Sanctioned in his Office in G.O. (S) 211 Edu d 24.8.48 for work connected with the conduct of the above exam. may be retained permanently.

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In the circumstances stated by the C. of E., this Dept. supported his first proposal. As regards his other proposal, this Dept. suggested that the permanent retention of the staff will have to be governed by the usual criterion, that is, existence for five years.

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However, suggested that the Supplemental examination may be continued for another 2 years and that the Commissioner may be asked to come up with proposals to make the scheme a permanent feature on the expiry of that period, furnishing full particulars relating to the receipts and expenditure on all items including the staff. As regards the permanent retention of the staff, Finance have agreed with the view of this Dept., subject to the condition that the question may be considered when this examination is made permanent. This suggestion of Finance may be agreed to.

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It is now for orders whether the view of Finance as at 'x' above may be agreed to or the Dept.

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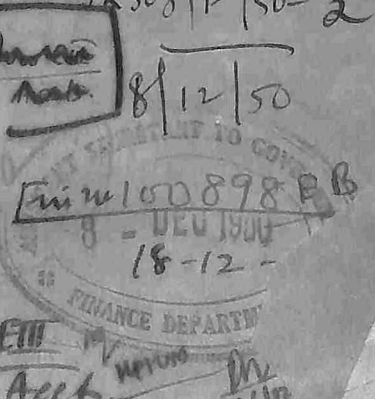
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