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27th December 1950

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Madras Educational Subordinate Service - Sri P.P. Menon - Appointment as

Tutor-Age rule Relaxed.

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From

Parambot Prabhaker Menon, B.A. (Hons)
 Officiating Tutor in Economics and History,
 Government Brennen College,
 Tellicherry.

To

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



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The proper channel.

Sir,

I would beg to submit this petition for the favourable consideration of the Government of Madras.

1. As regards my Educational Qualifications, I am an Honours Graduate in Economics and Politics of the Madras University. Incidentally, I would mention that I have secured a very high Second class in the B.A. (Honours) Degree Examination in Economics and Politics held in the year 1935 - Vide copy of the certificate of Degree annexed hereto and marked 'A'.

2. My date of birth is 4th January 1913, Vide the certificate annexed hereto and marked 'B'.

3. In June 1938 I joined the service of the Government of Burma. I was at first appointed as a Lower Division Clerk in the Office of the Commissioner, Tenasserian Division, Lower Burma.

4. Subsequently, in the year 1941 I was promoted to the Upper Division Cadre and I was also placed in complete charge of one of the 4 Branches in the Office. My designation was known as Branch clerk and I was in receipt of a consolidated salary of Rs.125/- per mensem. I was doing very well in my job and I felt that, after all, my frantic attempts to secure a job had succeeded and that I could lead a comfortable life in Burma.

5. But as ill luck would have it, the Japanese invasion of Burma in 1942 came in the way of my aspirations and belied all my fervent hopes of a secure and comfortable career in life. In the same year I had perforce to evacuate to India. It was a sight for the gods to see thousands and thousands of Indians trekking from Burma to India through dense jungles, forests and dangerous mountains. I left Burma on the 10th April 1942 and reached my native town in Malabar on the 19th May 1942. Suffice it is to say that I had to cover a distance of more than 300 miles on foot all the way from Mandalay in upper Burma to Dimapur in Assam. I need not weary the Government with a detailed account of the privations and hardships that I had suffered on the way. The story of Indian evacuees was the burning topic of the day. Presumably, it has passed into oblivion now.

6. It must, however, be stated that the Government of Burma which was functioning in Simla then was magnanimous enough to grant all Government servants 'leave' ~~at~~ salary on certain terms and conditions. I was drawing my leave salary from the Sub Treasury at Walluvanad Taluk, South Malabar, from 1942 to 1944, to be precise from 1st April 1942 to the 31st December 1944. ~~Vide Certificate annexed hereto and marked 'C'.~~

7. In the meanwhile my endeavours to secure a decent appointment in India continued with unabated vigour. For a very short period of two months in the year 1943, I was employed as Enumerator in the Census Operations conducted by the Government of India in order to collect certain particulars pertaining to the Indian evacuees from Burma, Singapore and Malay States.

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8. Subsequently, in the year 1945, I resigned from the service of the Government of Burma. It is pertinent to observe in this connection that even if I had not then resigned from the service of the Government of Burma, the Government would have retrenched me from their service almost immediately as has been done in the case of several Indian employees who have put in a number of years of service meritorious service under the Government of Burma.

9. In October 1949 I was appointed as a School Assistant under the provisions of Rule 9(a)(1) of the Educational Rules. I worked as a school assistant in the Government Brennen High School, Tellicherry from October 1949 to April 1950.

10. Subsequently, on a representation made by me, the Director of Public Instruction has been kind enough to appoint me as a temporary Tutor in Economics in the Government Brennen College, Tellicherry. It must be observed in this connection that this appointment is also made under the emergency provisions of the Rules.

11. So, I am at present officiating as Tutor in Economics in the Government Brennen College, Tellicherry. As I am thirty seven years old and have therefore exceeded the age limit of 30 years prescribed by Government for recruitment to the Educational Service, my services are liable to be dispensed with at any time when a regular appointment is made by the Director of Public Instruction to the post I am at present holding.

12. I understand that it is the avowed policy of the Government of Madras to treat ex-servants of the Government of Burma with sympathy and to extend to them certain considerations in respect of appointments etc.

13. I would humbly request that in view of the several particulars set out above the Government may kindly be pleased to exempt me from the age qualifications prescribed for recruitment to the Educational service.

14. One more word and I have done. It would be in the fitness of things to mention that I am a married man with three children to support. I fervently hope and trust that my humble request would be granted and that consequently I would be able to eke out a livelihood, however humble it might be.

I remain,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

N. Rec. 38-4/5-0 d/25-7-50

P. D. M. M.

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Submitted and recommended

as in hand

Principal,
Government Brennen College,
Tellicherry.



Education Dept

Endt 21230-A/50-1-Edu., dt. 1-9-1950

Referred to the Director of Public Instruction for remarks.

Prabhakara Menon
Asst Secy to Govt.

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To the Director of
Public Instruction
(to be sent)

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Register No. 75

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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

B.No. 1315

Disposal No. E 4237

University Buildings,
Chepauk, Madras.
Dated 3rd May 1946

CERTIFICATE OF HAVING BEEN ADMITTED TO THE

B.A. (Honours) Degree.

This is to certify that Prabhakara Menon
was admitted to the Degree of Bachelor of Arts
(Honours) at the Convocation held on the 7th
August 1935, he having passed in the Second
Class Branch IV Economics and Politics or
History of the B.A.(Hons) Degree Examination
held in 1935.

Maclean
Sd. Registrar.

"True Copy"

P. Prabhakara Menon
24.7.50.

Prabhakara Menon Asst Secy to Govt.

From

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

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department.

R.O.C.No.188/C3/50 dated 27-10-1950.

Sir,

Sub:- Sri P.P.Menon, Temporary Tutor in Economics, Government Brennen College, Tellicherry-Requesting exemption from age limit prescribed for recruitment to the Madras Educational Subordinate Service-Remarks submitted.

Ref:- Government Endorsement No.21230-A/50-1 Education dated 1-9-1950.

In resubmitting herewith the papers referred to me for remarks with the Government endorsement quoted above, I am to state that Sri P. P.Menon was appointed as Temporary Tutor in Economics in the Government Brennen College, Tellicherry under the emergency provisions in the Rules with effect from 14-7-1950. He is reported to have passed the B.A.(Hons.) Degree Examination in Economics and Politics of the University of Madras in II class in the year 1935. He is now aged 37 years, and has exceeded the prescribed age limit of 30 for recruitment as Tutors in the Madras Educational Subordinate Services.

2. Since he possesses the necessary qualification for appointment as Tutor in Economics, I recommend that Government may be pleased to relax the age rule in his favour so that he may be appointed regularly as Tutor.

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction.

G.M. 29/10.

Submitted to the Principal.

1. The reasons for my resignation from the Government of Burma are set out as follows:-

When I left Burma in April 1942 I was holding the post of an Upper Division Assistant and Branch Clerk in the Office of the Commissioner, Tenasserim Division, Moulmein Lower Burma. I was in receipt of a consolidated salary of Rs.125/- (Rs.One hundred and Twenty five only) per mensem. When the Government of Burma re-called me to join duty in the year 1945 I was told that I would be paid only the salary of the permanent appointment that I was holding in the service of the Government. That is to say the Government asked me to re-join duty as a Lower Division Clerk in the Office of the Commissioner Tenasserim Division. I then submitted to the Government that the pay I was entitled to get as a Lower Division Clerk was absolutely insufficient for me and for my wife and a child to keep body and soul together particularly in a period like this when living has become terribly costly in Burma. For these reasons I submitted to the Government that perforce I had to resign from the Service.

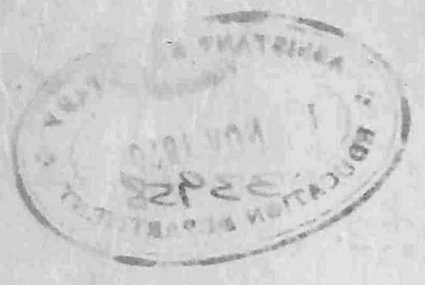
2. The Burma Government was magnanimous enough to accept my resignation.

(sd) P.P.Menon.

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For Director of Public Inst

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T.M. No. 21230-2/50 A

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Edu. dated 15-11-50.

To Dy. C. P. 9.

Sub: M.E.S.S. - Recruitment to posts of Tutors
Relaxation of age rule in favour of Srs.

P.P. Memo.

Ref: your No. 1888 C3/50 d. 27.10.50.

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Please state urgently who is the appointing authority for Tutors in the M.E.S.S. Please also quote authority for your statement.

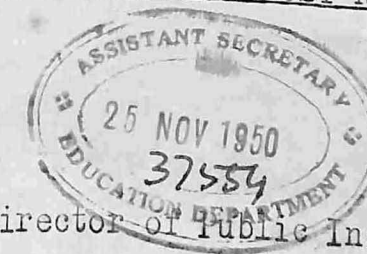
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TELEPHONIC MESSAGE BY POST No.1888-C.3/50 Dated 23rd November 1950



Office of the
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.
Dated: 23rd November, 1950.

From The Director of Public Instruction, MADRAS.

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

Subject: MADRAS EDUCATIONAL SUBORDINATE SERVICE - Recruitment to
the posts of tutors - Relaxation of age rule in favour
of Sri P.P. Menon.

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Reference: Government Telephonic Message by Post No.21230-2/50-A
Education dated 15th November 1950.

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With reference to Government Telephonic Message by Post
quoted above, I am to state that the appointing authority for
Tutors in the Madras Educational Subordinate Service is the
Deputy Director of Public Instruction (Personnel).

Thiruvananthapuram
for Director of Public Instruction.

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Sub: M.E.S.S. - Sri P.P. Menon - Appointment as Tutor
Age rule - Relaxed.

Pl-3 of
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From Sri P.P. Menon, Tellicherry, petition d. 24-7-50.
From the D.P. 9. No. 1888 C3/50 d. 27-10-50.
G.O. No. 3380 Edn. dated 27-12-50.

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Under the rule published
with Pub. (Ser.) Dept. Notfn. No. 16 d. the 26th Jan.
1950 at p 272 of Part II of the F.S. G. Gazette d. the
7th Feb. 1950, H.E. the Governor of Madras hereby
directs that the provisions of rule 6(a) of the Spl.
Rules for the M.E.S.S. be relaxed in favour of Sri
P.P. Menon, at present working as a tempy. tutor
in Economics in ^{the} Fort. Brennan College, Tellicherry,
under the emergency provisions, to enable him to
be appointed as a Tutor in Economics.

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To the D.P.
" Secy., M.P.C.C.
" Pub. (Ser.) Dept.
" Sri P.P. Menon, Tutor in
Economics, Fort-Brennan
College, Tellicherry (with
page 7 and 9 of field. in 19/12-50)

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pl-3c f.
pl-1c f.
pl-1c f.

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wide para 13 on
pl-3c f.
wide para 11c f.
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+ para 2 on pl-1c f.
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Edu. no. 21230-3/50A
dated 27-11-50



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Sub: M.E.S.S. Recruitment to the M.E.S.S. -
Relaxation of age rule - Request for.
from Sri P.P. Menon, Tellicherry, petition d. 24
from the D.P. No. 1888 c 3/50 d. 27-10-50.

Sri P.P. Menon, at present
officiating as Tutor in Economics in the Fort
Brennan College, Tellicherry, under the emerger
provisions, requests that Rule 6 (a) of the Spl.
Rules of the M.E.S.S. be relaxed in his favor
as he exceeds the prescribed age limit of
30 years by about 7 years. The petitioner
passed the B.A. (Hons.) Degree Examin. in
Economics and Politics of the Uty. grad. & a
in II class in the year 1935. The D.P. J. ^{recommends} states
that as he possesses the necessary qualifications
for appointment as Tutor in Economics, regular
the age rule may be relaxed in his favor.
Posts of tutors are outside the purview of
the M.P.S.C., and the appointing authority
is the ~~Principal of the College concerned~~ ^{Principal of the College concerned}.
In the circumstances explained in the
petition on pl-3c f., it is for orders whether
the petitioner's request for relaxation
of the age rule for appointment as Tutor
will be complied with. Pub. (Ser.) may see
before circulation.

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Public (Ser) Department

Please see the Edu. Dept's note
above.

'M' above:- This dept. need not object.
H.E.M. should see the case and a copy
of the order ~~can~~ relaxing the rule should

communicated to the M.P.S.C. A
The file may be returned to him.

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The case may now be circulated
to H.M. (E.A.R.) & H.C.M. for orders on
M. on plants.

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H.M. (A.R.)

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A draft order is submitted for approval.

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