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SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE.
(Council) (ASSEMBLY SECTION)
23. 11. 1949.

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SRI P. R. K. SARMA, M.L.C.,
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

*Q.NO.154.

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be pleased to state:-

(a) whether it is a fact that Gazetted Assistant Superintendents were recruited from the Madras Government Press Subordinate Service during the past and current year; and if so, why direct recruitment was not resorted to;

(b) whether it is a fact that the Madras Public Service Commission was called upon to select and regularize these appointments;

(c) whether it is a fact that the Superintendent, Government Press, was one of the members co-opted by the Madras Public Service Commission for the selection; and if so, whether it will not be conducive to greater efficiency if an outside Printing Technical Expert was also co-opted for the purpose, as in the case of other provinces;

(d) what the principles observed are in selecting these men from the subordinate service;

(e) whether seniority, pay, service, educational and technical qualifications were given due weight in selecting these men;

(f) whether it is a fact that some seniormost, efficient and qualified persons were not promoted nor even asked to appear before the Service Commission;

(g) whether it is a fact that the Superintendent, Government Press, Madras, prepared a list of candidates for appearing before the Service Commission, and if so, whether the Government had been consulted before-hand for the approval of the list; and

(h) whether the Government are satisfied that the present appointees possess the required qualifications; and if so, what

~~about~~ their qualifications;
are and also in particular,
those of Sri M. R. Srinivasan,
the Officiating Junior Deputy
Superintendent? ~~and~~

(1) whether, in view of the
unsatisfactory selection of
the Gazetted Assistants, the
Government will have the
appointments reviewed afresh
before their confirmation?

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Sri P.R.K. Sarma, M.L.C.

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QUESTION.

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G.O. 21 Edn
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p. 22 CF (Y)

(b) whether it is a fact that the Madras Public Service Commission was called upon to select and regularise these appointments;

(b) Yes. (G.O. 2125 Edn - 26-8-48 - p. 22 CF (Y))

(c) whether it is a fact that the Superintendent, Government Press, was one of the members co-opted by the Madras Public Service Commission for the selection;

(c) Yes. (P.O. 4 (N) - G.O. 1654 Edn - 9-5-49)

(d) what the principles observed are in selecting these men from the subordinate service;

(d) Seniority, combined with qualification, general aptitude, ~~and~~ character and conduct. of the Commission

(e) whether seniority, pay, service, educational and technical qualifications were given due weight in selecting these men;

(e) Yes.

(f) whether it is a fact that some seniormost, efficient and qualified persons were not promoted nor even asked to appear before the Service Commission;

(f) The S.G.P. was asked to forward the names of suitable and qualified persons among the Govt. Press subordinate service for selection as Asstt. Superintendents. A list of 17 names in order of seniority was forwarded to the Commission. ^{One of them was technically unqualified} After the scrutiny of the personal files of all the persons, the Commission called for interview only ^{fifteen} ~~eight~~ persons and selected four persons with reference to the No. of vacancies available.

G.O. 2125 Edn
B 26-8-48
p. 22 CF (Y)

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(One of them was technically unqualified)

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(g) whether it is a fact that the Superintendent, Govt. Press, prepared a list of candidates for appearing before the Service Commission, and if so, whether the Govt. had been consulted beforehand for the approval of the list; and

(h) whether the Govt. are satisfied that the present appointees possess the required qualifications; and if so, what their qualifications are and also in particular of Sri M.R. Srinivasan, the officiating Junior Deputy Superintendent?

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ANSWER.
Eight seniors passed over ~~by the Commission~~

- (1) Sri P. Anjaneyalu Naidu - Overseer
- (2) Sri S. Ganapathi Iyyer - Head Reader
- (3) Sri M. Kuppusamichetty - Top Senior Reader
- (4) Sri S. Venkatarajam - Head Despatcher
- (5) Sri S. Ramasami - Senior Reader
- (6) Sri M.D. Krishnasami - Senior Reader
- (7) Sri A. Sadagopan - Foreman
- (8) Sri K.R. Rajabushanam - Foreman.

It may be presumed that the Commission did not consider them fit for the posts

(g) Yes. The list was not approved by Government. The list was forwarded to the Commission direct by the Superintendent, Government Press.

(h) Yes. The present appointees are under probation and they are liable for reversion if their work is not found satisfactory. Sri M.R. Srinivasan was not selected by the Commission under the amended rules of 1948 enabling transfer by promotion from Govt. Press Subordinate Service to the Madras Stationery and Printing Service. He was qualified under the rules at the time of his recruitment in 1944-45 to the post of Assistant Superintendent Govt. Press and he was found suitable for the post by the M.P.S.C.

The qualifications of the four Asstt. Superintendents and also of Sri M.R. Srinivasan, are as follows:

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Sri S. Krishnan, Assistant Superintendent, Govt. Press.	Inter, Parts I and III, M.W. (L)
Sri E.N. Muniswami, Assistant Superintendent, Govt. Press.	S.S.L.C., P.R. (H), C.W. (L), P.W. (L), M.W. (L), C.&G. of L, C.W. (Final), M.W. (F), G.S. of T., Printing (F).
Sri L. Madhavabalakrishnan, Assistant Superintendent, Govt. Press.	C.W. (H), M.W. (L), B.W. (H), P.W.W. (L), G.C. in Binding, G.S. of T., C.&P. (H) and M.M. (L).

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- (h) whether the Government are satisfied that the present appointees possess the required qualifications; and if so, what their qualifications are and also in particular those of Sri M.R. Srinivasan, the officiating Junior Deputy Superintendent?

ANSWER.

Education & Public Health Deptt.

(a) Yes. Direct recruitment was not resorted to as under the amended rules issued in January 1948, this was necessary only, if qualified and suitable hands were not available for appointment by promotion from the lower posts in the Press or by transfer from any other service.

(b) Yes.

(c) Yes.

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(The above Answer has been approved by Hon'ble Sri K. Madhava Menon, Minister for Education & Law)

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MINISTER OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE
(General Section)
No. 184
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9. G.S. of T. in Government School of Technology
10. B.W. in Book Binder's work
11. P.W.W. in Printer's Warehouse Work
12. C.&P. in Composing and Proof reading
13. M.M. in Machine Minding
14. F. in Final
15. H. in Higher
16. L. in Lower

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Sri S. Krishnan, Assistant Superintendent, Govt. Press.	Inter, Parts I and III, M.W.(L)
Sri E.N. Muniswami Mudaliar, Assistant Superintendent, Government Press.	S.S.L.C., P.R.(H), C.W.(L), P.W.(L), M.W.(L), C & G of L, C.W.(F), M.W.(F), G.S. of T., Printing (F).
Sri L. Madhavabalakrishnan, Assistant Superintendent, Government Press.	C.W.(H), M.W.(L), B.W.(H), P.W.W.(L), G.C. in Binding, G.S. of T., C.&P. (H) and M.M.(L).

Abbreviations.

L.P.T.	Licentiate in Printing Technology
F.T.C.	Full Technological certificate in Typography
C.W.	Compositor's Work
P.W.	Press Work
P.R.	Proof Reader's work
M.W.	Machine Work
G.C.	Group Certificate
C.&G. of L	City and Guilds of London Institute, London
G.S. of T	Government School of Technology
B.W.	Book Binder's work
P.W.W.	Printer's Warehouse Work
C.&P.	Composing and Proof reading
M.M.	Machine Minding
F.	Final
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Assistant Superintendent,
Mr. L. Mahdavaiah Pillai,

..	Lower
11.	Lighter
12.	Final
M.M.	Machine Binding
C.S.P.	Composing and Proof reading
R.W.W.	Printer's Warehouse Work
R.W.	Book Binder's work
G.S. of T.	Government School of Technology
G.W.	Compositor's Work
L	London
G.S. of City and Guilds of London Institute,	Group Certificate
C.C.	Machine Work
P.R.	Proof Reader's work
P.W.	Press Work
C.W.	Compositor's Work
P.T.C.	Full Technological certificate in Typography
L.P.T.	Licentiate in Printing Technology

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The question has been admitted.

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Please see the Legislative Council question ~~on~~ on
pp 1-3 of. Draft answer is subd. below for approval.
May be circulated to H.M (EVL).

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The committee reply to questions is not appropriate. Split it up as indicated.

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The draft answer has been revised as ~~suggested~~
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