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17th October 1861.*

No. 27. Read the following letter from the Officiating Civil Paymaster, Madras; to C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Financial Secretary to the Government of India, dated 23rd July 1861, No. 284c.

I have the honor to enquire whether in the cases described in the Financial Resolution, No. 65, dated 30th March 1861,* it is intended that a fortnight shall be allowed for preparation as mentioned in your letter, No. 2,713, to the Chief Secretary, Fort Saint George.

* Published at page 841 of the Calcutta Gazette, dated 3rd April 1861.

2. I do not think that it can be meant that an Officer living at a Railway station should be compelled to start for a new appointment the day he receives his instructions, without any time being allowed him to make arrangements for the move; and the same will apply if it should happen that a steamer were to leave the port immediately after the orders arrive.

3. My question refers of course to ordinary cases, and not to those of an exceptional nature, where the exigencies of the service may require an Officer to disregard all considerations of personal convenience.

4. I beg also that I may be informed whether an Officer who proceeds on sick leave from a Presidency Town is allowed 4 weeks preparatory, as in the case of those who have less than 300 miles to travel.

5. I should not have supposed it doubtful, but that in the case of leave prior to furlough there is a special provision, placing Officers at the Presidency Towns in the same position as those within 300 miles, which does not appear in the former instance.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

From C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department; to the Officiating Civil Paymaster, Madras, dated Fort William, Council Chamber, the 7th September 1861, No. 11,369.
Financial Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 284c, dated 23rd July last, enquiring—

1st. Whether a fortnight shall be allowed for preparation to Covenanted and Uncovenanted Officers when proceeding to join their appointments either by Railway or by Sea, as was evidently intended by this Government in the last paragraph of Financial letter to the Madras Government, No. 2,713, dated 26th March 1860.

2nd. Whether an Officer who proceeds on sick leave from a Presidency Town is allowed one month's preparatory leave, as is done in the case of furlough on private affairs.

2. In reply, I am desired to state that on the first point, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to rule, as contemplated in my letter, No. 2,713, dated 26th March 1860, that a fortnight's leave for preparation shall be allowed in the cases adverted to.

3. With reference to the second point, I am desired to forward herewith, for your guidance, a copy of the orders of this Government, dated 12th June 1857, No. 2,416, from which it will be seen that one month's preparatory leave is allowed in the case of an Officer proceeding on sick leave from a Presidency Town.

From C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India Financial Department; to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, dated 12th June 1857, No. 2,416.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1,080 dated the 4th ultimo, soliciting instructions with reference to the Financial Notification of the 17th April, which declares that separate applications for special leave of absence under Clause 4 of Section VI of

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the Covenanted Civil Service Absentee Rules are unnecessary, as to the course you are to adopt in the case of Officers stationed at the Presidency, who may obtain leave of absence to proceed to Europe on *medical certificate*.

2. In reply, I am desired to state that, pending the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors on certain proposals submitted by this Government in respect to the provisions of the Clause above adverted to, the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has no objection to the grant of a short preparatory leave for a period not exceeding one month in cases of sickness at the Presidency.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 1,371.

Ordered, that a copy of the above letter, and of that to which it is a reply, together with the decision of Government, dated 12th June 1857, No. 2,416, be sent to all the local Governments and the other Civil Paymasters, for information and guidance.

No. 28.

ORDER THEREON, 17th October 1861, No. 505.

Communicated to the Revenue Department, and published in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

No. 11369

LUSHINGTON, ESQUIRE,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT;

From C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Civil Auditor, Fort William, No. 2416, d. 12th June 1857.

SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1080, dated the 4th ultimo, soliciting instructions with reference to the Financial Notification of the 17th April, which declares that separate applications for special leave of absence under Clause 4 of Section VI. of the Covenanted Civil Service Absentee Rules are unnecessary, as to the course you are to adopt in the case of officers stationed at the Presidency, who may obtain leave of absence to proceed to Europe on *medical certificate*.

2. In reply, I am desired to state that, pending the orders of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors on certain proposals submitted by this Government in respect to the provisions of the Clause above adverted to, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has no objection to the grant of a short preparatory leave for a period not exceeding one month in cases of sickness at the Presidency.

(True Copy)

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Secy to the Govt of India.

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WASHINGTON, Esquire,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT;

From the Officiating Civil Pay Master, Madras, to C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Financial Secretary to the Government of India, No. 284c, d. 23rd July 1861.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to enquire whether in the cases described in the Financial Resolution, No. 65, dated 30th March 1861,* it is intended that a fortnight shall be allowed for preparation as mentioned in your letter, No. 2713, to the Chief Secretary, Fort Saint George.

2. I do not think that it can be meant that an officer living at a Railway station should be compelled to start for a new appointment the day he receives his instructions, without any time being allowed him to make arrangements for the move; and the same will apply if it should happen that a steamer were to leave the port immediately after the orders arrive.

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(True Copy)

Wm. Lushington

Secy to the Govt. of India.

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Exd. T. O'Connor.

FROM C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esquire,

SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT;

TO THE OFFICIATING CIVIL PAY MASTER, MADRAS.

Fort William, Council Chamber, the 7th September 1861.

Financial Department.

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dated 23rd July last, enquiring—

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and Uncovenanted Officers when proceeding to join their appointments either
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last paragraph of Financial letter to the Madras Government, No. 2713, dated
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3. With reference to the second point, I am desired to forward herewith,
for your guidance, a copy of the orders of this Government, dated 12th June
1857, No. 2416, from which it will be seen that one month's preparatory leave
is allowed in the case of an officer proceeding on sick leave from a Presidency
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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

C. H. Lushington
Secretary to the Government of India.

ORDERED, that a copy of the above letter, and of that to which it is a
reply, together with the decision of Government, dated 12th June 1857, No. 2416,
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S. To Mr and Mrs J. A. Allen
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