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Exchange Compensation Allowance.

Passing orders on the claims of certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department to—.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), Mis. No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898.

Read—G.O., Mis. No. 2663, Revenue, dated 23rd June 1898.

Resolution—Mis. No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898.

Replying to G.O., No. 482, Financial, dated 26th May 1898, the Board begs to report that it has scrutinized the list of officers in the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department embodied in list B attached thereto and that it considers that (with the exception of Mr. Puddephatt) they are all entitled to the benefits of Exchange Compensation Allowance.

2. It observes that the orders of the Government of India as regards the proportion of Europeans to be employed in the department have still to be awaited before the grant of the allowance to the officers in the list referred to above can be confirmed. This means that all officers who draw less than Rs. 400 a month and who have received promotion since promulgation of the new rules continue under orders of refund. The Board would respectfully request reconsideration of these orders. The presumption that an officer who draws less than Rs. 400 a month is not eligible for grant of the allowance does not apply to this department. The number of appointments for which European qualifications are required according to the proposals which the Madras Government has accepted is more than double the number of officers named in the list, so that there can be no fear of their ultimate exclusion from the allowance, and the order of refund operates with particular hardship on these small incomes.

3. The Board takes this opportunity of submitting for disposal in accordance with G.O., No. 491, Financial, dated 24th June 1897, ten applications for admission to the allowance from officers not included in list B. The Board would urge special and early consideration of the case of the officers named in the margin. These officers have been prohibited from drawing the allowance for a period of nearly four years though they needed it as much as any, because the Scotch Courts held in *Wanchope* versus *Wanchope*, and the Calcutta High Court followed them in the case reported in Indian Law Reports, Volume IV, pages 106 to 115 of the Calcutta series, that for purposes of probate a servant of the East India Company was a native of India. In the absence of other strict definition of the term "domicile" it was, the Board presumes, found necessary to adopt that used in the interpretation of the probate law, but the application of the ruling in question to the Exchange Compensation Rules has brought about both an absurdity and a great hardship, and to prevent further hardship being inflicted on these officers for the sole reason that at the time of their birth their fathers were serving the Company the Board would request that their case be again specially brought to the notice of the Government of India with a view to their admission to the allowance henceforward and with arrears.

Mr. E. R. R. Mainwaring.
" C. W. P. St. John.
" C. V. Dalrymple-Hay.
" C. M. Sherman.
" W. Chamier.
" E. H. Doveton.

4. With reference to the applications of Messrs. Lamb and Robinson it is hereby certified that they were appointed by the Board with a view to maintaining the proper proportion of Europeans in the department. They were not granted certificates to this effect as required by Rule No. IV of the rules communicated with G.O., No. 491, Financial, dated 24th June 1897, because the rules had not been fully brought into force at the time of their appointment.

5. The very early orders of Government are requested on these Proceedings.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. TODHUNTER,
Acting Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

Enclosure to the foregoing being information in regard to claims to Exchange Compensation Allowance supplied by the following officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department:—

Mr. C. W. P. St. John, Assistant Commissioner.
" C. V. Dalrymple-Hay, Acting Assistant Commissioner.
" C. M. Sherman, Inspector.
" V. S. F. Wilson, do.
" E. H. Doveton, do.
" F. Hodding, Assistant Inspector.
" S. C. H. Robinson, Assistant Inspector.
" R. W. Bickle, do.
" F. W. Gooch, do.
" J. A. Muller, Inspector.
" M. H. M. Lamb, Assistant Inspector.

From T. HESKETH BIGGS, Esq., Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 29th July 1898, No. 98—I.A.C.M.

I have the honour to report that Mr. B. Hawkins, Inspector, Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, Madras Presidency, has been placed on special duty to report on the excise system in force in the Civil and Military station of Bangalore, at the request of the Resident in Mysore. For this duty a deputation allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem has been granted to him by the Government of India in addition to his pay of Rs. 350 per mensem.

Mr. Hawkins draws Exchange Compensation Allowance under the old rules and if the proposals contained in G.O., No. 480, Financial, dated 26th May 1898, be approved of by the Government of India, he will apparently be entitled to the allowance under the new rules also. With reference to paragraph 3 of the Government of India Resolution No. 4217-Ex., Finance and Commerce Department, dated 21st September 1897, however, I beg to enquire whether he can continue to draw Exchange Compensation Allowance.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), Mis. No. 3352, dated 25th August 1898.

Read—Endorsement of J. H. MERRIMAN, Esq., Deputy Commissioner, Northern Division, No. 2791, dated 9th August 1898, on the following letter from Mr. J. R. WILSON, Inspector of Salt, Abkári and Customs Department, Manginapudi Circle, to the Assistant Commissioner, Masulipatam Sub-Division:—

With reference to your letter, No. 2103, dated 11th June 1898, I have the honour to submit a form duly filled in as far as I know how and beg the Deputy Commissioner and yourself will be pleased to forward it with favourable support.

Resolution—Mis. No. 3352, dated 25th August 1898.

Submitted for the orders of Government, in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. TODHUNTER,
Acting Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, (Separate Revenue), Mis. No. 3867, dated 30th September 1898.

Read—Memorandum from Government, Financial Department, No. 1883, dated 3rd September 1898.

Resolution—Mis. No. 3867, dated 30th September 1898.

With reference to the Government Order read above, the Board begs to submit a statement showing particulars of the information upon which it has arrived at the conclusion that all the officers in the Salt, Abkári and Customs department embodied in list B attached to G.O., No. 482, Financial, dated 26th May 1898 (with the exception of Mr. Puddephatt) are entitled to the benefits of Exchange Compensation Allowance. From the statement it will be seen that none of the officers referred to are Statutory Natives of India.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. TODHUNTER,
Acting Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

ENCLOSURE.

STATEMENT showing particulars of claims of certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department to Exchange Compensation Allowance admitted by the Board and the Government.

Name.	Designation.	Pay.	Reasons assigned in support of the claim.
		RS.	
1. Mr. G. W. Brown ..	Assistant Commissioner..	600	Born and educated in England. Parents never visited India.
2. Mr. F. W. Ditmas ..	Do.	700	Born in England. His parents were also born and domiciled in England.
3. Mr. W. A. Fowler ..	Deputy Commissioner ..	1,280	Born in England. His father never came to India.
4. Mr. R. W. Kite ..	Assistant Commissioner..	500	Born in England. His father lived in England all his life.
5. Mr. A. S. Kearns ..	Inspector on special duty in Mysore.	350	Born in India, but sent home when eight years of age for education. His father came to India about 1850 as a Missionary of the S.P.G., and died at Tanjore in 1877.
6. Mr. W. C. F. Leggatt.	Assistant Commissioner..	800	Born and educated in England. He came to India only six months before he joined the department in 1879. His father was domiciled in England and has resided there since his son's birth.
7. Mr. F. G. Marshall ..	Assistant Commissioner on other duty as Acting Deputy Collector of Sea Customs, Madras.	500	Admitted by Government—*vide* G.O., No. 27, Financial Department, dated 12th January 1895.
8. Mr. B. McMaster ..	Acting Deputy Commissioner.	1,173	Born in India, but educated in England. His father came out to India in 1856 on a temporary appointment in the Madras Railway Company and returned to England in 1861. He served in Mauritius from 1861 to 1865, in South America in 1871-72 and in Belgium in 1870-71. He came back to India in 1877 as a Resident Engineer Madras Railway, and died at Cuddapah in that year.
9. Mr. J. H. Merriman.	Deputy Commissioner ..	1,400	Born in England. His parents have no connection with India.
10. Mr. C. B. Shawe ..	Assistant Commissioner..	700	Admitted by the Government—*vide* G.O., No. 180, Financial, dated 20th February 1895.

Statement showing particulars of claims of certain officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs Department to Exchange Compensation Allowance admitted by the Board and the Government—*cont.*

Name.	Designation.	Pay.	Reasons assigned in support of the c aim.
		RS.	
11. Mr. T. R. Barter ..	Acting Assistant Commissioner.	500	Born in India in 1862. Went to England in 1863 and returned to India in 1879. His father came out to India on business about 1858 Returned to England in 1863, came back to India in 1873 and died there in 1880.
12. Mr. I. Brown ..	Inspector	300	Born in Scotland. At the time of his birth his father was residing in Scotland. He never came to India.
13. Mr. S. H. McDCalder.	Do.	350	Educated at Harrow and Wellington; spent 27 years in England before coming to India. His father never served in India.
14. Mr. A. A. Deighton ..	Assistant Inspector ..	175	Born in India in 1871, but educated in England. His father came to India in 1860, that is, two years after the Government of India was transferred from the East India Company to the Crown and was employed in the Educational Department. Went to England in 1872, 1878, 1879, 1884 and 1889 and retired in 1889. Since then he has been living in Ootacamund.
15. Mr. B. W. B. T. Flemyng.	Do. ..	175	Born in Scotland and educated in France and England. At the time of his birth, his father was residing in Scotland. His father never came to India.
16. Mr. R. L. Haden ..	Inspector	300	Born in India, but sent home when he was three years old and was educated there. He returned to India in 1881. His father came out to India in 1869. He was an Inspector of the Salt and Abkári department, and died on retirement from the serivce.
17. Mr. A. B. Hinde ..	Acting Assistant Commissioner.	430	Born and educated in England. His father never resided in India.
18. Mr. B. Hawkins ..	Inspector	350	Born and educated in England. His father came out to India in 1857 immediately on his return from the Crimea as an Assistant Surgeon, but returned to England almost immediately and retired from the service in 1858. He died on 4th December 1887 at his residence in Bedfordshire.
19. Mr. G.E. Johnston ..	Assistant Inspector ..	175	Born and educated in England. His father came out to India in 1863 and was a Deputy Collector for some time and afterwards a Superintendent in the Jail department and died at Rajahmundry while holding that appointment. His two brothers who are in the army receive the allowance.
20. Mr. J. H. Kenyon ..	Do. ..	150	Born and educated in England. His father never came to India.
21. Mr. E. D. Laybourn ..	Inspector	250	Born in Madras (his father was a merchant in Madras at the time). He went to England and remained there 12½ years and returned to India in 1870. His father died in 1871 at Madras about 18 months after his last return from England.
22. Mr. A. N. McLeod ..	Assistant Inspector ..	175	Admitted by Government—*vide* G.O., No 366, Financial Department, dated 8th June 1896.
23. Mr. N. W. Parish ..	Inspector now attached to the Bengal Presidency.	300	Admitted by Government—*vide* G.O., No. 27, Financial Department, dated 12th January 1895. He has been transferred to the Bengal Presidency with the Orissa Salt Department.
24. Mr. C. S. Rolland ..	Inspector	250	Born and educated in England. His father came out to India in 1866 as an ensign in the staff corps.
25. Mr. H. B. Rendle ..	Assistant Inspector ..	175	Born in Europe in 1873 and educated in England. His father never came to India.
26. Mr. A. M. Story ..	Inspector	350	Born in England. At the time of his birth, his father was domiciled in England.
27. Mr. R. M. Thurley ..	Do.	350	He was born in India in 1864, but educated partly in England and partly in India. His father resided in England after his retirement from the army in 1869. At the time of his birth his father was residing at Madras having come to India about 1836 in the ranks of the 102nd the Royal Dublin Fusiliers) in the service of the East India Company. His claim was admitted on the ground that while he was a minor (4½ years old) his father resumed his English domicile in 1869 and that the son's domicile followed that of his father—*vide* G.O., No. 27, Financial, dated 12th January 1895.
28. Mr. R. P. Tillard ..	Do.	300	Admitted by Government—*vide* G.O., No. 169, Financial Department, dated 18th February 1895.
29. D. G. Viviani ..	Do.	250	Was born in Europe. At the time of his birth his father was residing in Europe. His father never came out to India.
30. Mr. H. W. F. Wroughton.	Do.	300	Admitted by Government—*vide* G.O., No. 608 Financial Department, dated 23rd August 1895.
31. Mr. M. G. K. Waite.	Assistant Inspector ..	175	He was born in Maidstone (country of Kent) where hi father lived at the time of his birth. His father has since been in India with his regiment, but has no domicile there.

From the Accountant-General, No. 139—I.A.C.M., dated 15th October 1898.

Memorandum to the Board of Revenue, No. 2220, dated 21st October 1898.

Order—No. 1150, Financial, dated 2nd December 1898.

With reference to its Proceedings, No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898, the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) will be informed that the Government of India has in a recent resolution (No. 4847-Ex., dated 5th November 1898) ruled that all officers of the Salt department in this Presidency holding appointments not lower in rank than that of Assistant Inspector shall, if otherwise eligible, obtain Exchange Compensation Allowance. It has further decided in resolution No. 5040-Ex., dated 17th November 1898, that they may be admitted to the allowance with effect from the 1st April 1897 with the sanction of the local Government. The requisite sanction is now granted accordingly in the case of all officers of the classes mentioned in the Salt, Abkári and Customs department, who are not Statutory Natives of India. The allowances drawn by officers who are Statutory Natives in respect of salary for the month of September 1897 and subsequent months will be adjusted in accordance with the orders of the Government of India contained in the second paragraph of the resolution last quoted.

2. Of the officers of the Salt, Abkári and Customs department, whose cases are mentioned in the Board's Proceedings read above, the following are ineligible for the allowance owing to the fact that they are Statutory Natives of India:—

Mr. V. S. F. Wilson.
Mr. E. W. H. Doveton.
×Mr. S. C. H. Robinson.
Mr. J. A. Muller.
Mr. J. R. Wilson.
Mr. A. A. Deighton.
Mr. R. L. Haden.

3. Messrs. E. R. R. Mainwaring and W. Chamier are not Statutory Natives. Further information has been called for regarding Messrs. A. S. Kearns and E. D. Laybourn in memorandum No. 2220, dated 21st October 1898. The remaining officers whose claims are mentioned in the papers read above are not Statutory Natives.

4. The case of Mr. B. Hawkins referred to in the Accountant-General's letter No. 98—I.A.C.M., dated 29th July 1898, should be dealt with in accordance with the orders contained in paragraph 1 of these proceedings.

(True Extract.)

for *Chief Secretary.*

To the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).
„ Accountant-General.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd P. Seetharam.

Financial (1898) Department.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
21 JUL 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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From

The Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue, Madras.

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SUBJECT.

Reporting to Government, with remarks, that the officers of the Salt, Abkari and Customs Department who have been drawing Exchange Compensation Allowance are entitled to it; requesting that the claims of certain others which were not admitted previously may now be specially considered at an early date; and soliciting a reconsideration of the orders directing the refund of the allowance drawn by certain officers on salaries of less than Rs.400 per mensem who received promotions subsequent to 1st April 1897.

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EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant C. W. R. St John

Office Assistant Commissioner of Salt, Abkari & Customs

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	I was born in India - but am not domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident there - vide answers below.
2. Are you a European?	2: Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	3. English.
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	4. English.
5. In what country were they married and when?	5. In India in 1860.
6. In what country were you born and when?	6. In India in 1861
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	7. Chiefly in England from the time I went home, aged about 5 to the best of my recollection.
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	8. In England.
9. In what country was your father born?	9. In England

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	10. Wholly in England
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	#.
(i) before you were born?	11 (i) Wholly in England & Scotland up to 1857 when he came to India.
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	(ii) In England on both the occasions he took furlough home during his service, and in England since his retirement 4 years ago.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	(i) From 1857 to his retirement some 4 years ago
(ii) for how long?	(ii) The whole of the above period with the exception of some 2 or 3 years (I cannot be certain of which) when he was on furlough.
(iii) in what capacity?	(iii) In the Indian Staff Corps.
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	IV(a) Twice.
(b) when?	(B) I cannot specify the exact years
(c) for how long?	(c) ~~I think~~ 2 years on one occasion and 1 on another.
(d) in what capacity?	(d) as military officer on furlough.
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	(e) England
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	17. —
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	18. To Asst. Inspector of the Salt-Department, Madras in Jan 1882.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	19. Not in the same office — but in the same Department. My services can be found in the History of gazetted officers — exact page I refer I cannot quote as I have not the same by me —
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	20. Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent— (i) is it for a specified duty only? (ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	22 — No.
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	24. —

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so— (i) how much? (ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and (iii) under what rule?	25. No
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	26. No
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding— (i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or (ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and (b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	27 (b) ~~The~~ The Honble Mr Bliss's proposals for the reorganization of the Salt Department in 1881 — which received the sanction of the Government of India — laid down that none but Europeans with an English education were to be appointed to the post of Assistant Commissioner, and with that end in view Europeans with this qualification have been entertained from time to time in the Department to the extent even of being exempted as I was from passing the matriculation examination.

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Negapatam

Date 28th May 1895

C. W. P. St. John
Signature of claimant.

EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Charles Vernon Dalrymple Hay

as Asst. Commissioner

Office Madras Salt Abkari & Customs Dept.

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	1. No
2. Are you a European?	2. Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	3. Scotch
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	4. Scotch
5. In what country were they married and when?	5. India about 1855
6. In what country were you born and when?	6. India, 8th January 1860
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	7. Scotland 1867 to 1875 England 1875 to 1878
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? Note.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	8. Arrived in India May 1878 on passing Higher Standard in Urdu was appointed Acting Asst Supt of Police (Punjab) on 10th Novr. 1879
9. In what country was your father born?	9. Scotland.

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Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	10. Scotland and England. I cannot give dates -
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	11.
(i) before you were born?	(i) Scotland & England 18 years (1829 to 1847) - (India 1847 - 1860)
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	(ii) India 1860 to 1867 - England & Scotland 1867 - 1869 - India 1869 - 1874 England & Scotland March 1874 - October 1875 India Novr 1875 - till death
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	(i) } Vide 11 (i) & (ii)
(ii) for how long?	(ii) }
(iii) in what capacity?	(iii) Officer in Her Majesty's Indian army & H.E.I.C.S.
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	(iv) Vide 11. (ii)
(b) when?	"
(c) for how long?	"
(d) in what capacity?	(d) Furlough
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	(E) Scotland and England -
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	India - Augt 1881 - got ill and died before he could be taken home - Served 34 years & intended retiring in Scotland, at the expiry of the leave he was on - The sudden & serious nature of his illness prevented his going home immediately the leave was granted - but all arrangements had been made.

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	14
(i) before you were born?	(i) Scotland, England, & France till 1854. India till Jany 1860 -
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	(ii) India Jany 60 to Jany 1867 England & Scotland 1867 to end of 1869. India 1870 to March 1874 England & Scotland. March 1874 to Oct 1875 India Novr 1875 to Augt 1881, & since that time is living in Scotland & England
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	15. Answered by 14.
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	16. Still alive - Resides in England, & is in receipt of a Colonel's widow's pension -

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	17. Born in India – went home for education, & came to India on being promised an appt.–
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	18. Acting Asst. Supt. of Police 10th Nov. 1879–
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	19. Punjab Police 10th Nov. 1879 to 26th Feby 1882 – Madras Salt Dept 4th March 1882 to Date – & Vide History of Gazetted Officers Several pages not having a copy.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	20. Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	21 —
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	22 —
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	23 —
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	24 —

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	25. No
(i) how much?	
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	
(iii) under what rule?	
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	26. No
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	27
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed;	(i) —
or	
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and	ii(a) I understand that it is ruled that a proportion of Europeans is held to be indispensable in the Senior Grades of my dept.
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	(B) Asst. Supts. of Police (Punjab) must be Europeans, as such I was apptd. After the Afghan war was over the Police Force was reduced, & I was provided with an appt. in the Salt Dept., the majority of Asst. Commrs. must be Europeans I think. & as such I submit my claim.

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

C V Dalrymple Hay
Signature of claimant.

STATION, Trichinopoly
Date 24th April 189[illegible].

From

C. V. Dalrymple-Hay Esqr

Acting Assistant Commissioner

of Salt Abkari and Customs Department

Trichinopoly Sub Division

To

The Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt Abkari and Separate Rev

Madras

Dated 24th April 1898

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RATE REVENUE

No. 113

Submitting the Assistant Commissioner's claim to exchange compensation allowance

Enclos No. 2 to

Gov C. No. 2005/98

EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Casimir Mackellar Sherman.

Office Inspector 1st Grade & acting Assistant Commissioner, Salt abk & customs

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	I was born in India, my parents came to India a short time prior to my birth and retired from it entirely in 1887.
2. Are you a European?	Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	English
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	English
5. In what country were they married and when?	England in 1860.
6. In what country were you born and when?	In Madras 29 – 7 – 1863.
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	In England up till December 1881 having left India on 27 – 8 – 1863.
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	I resided in Pondichery with my father who was Consul. I arrived in the February 1882 and left in December 1882. Previous to that in England.
9. In what country was your father born?	England.

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	He was educated in England at King williams College Isle of Man, and came out as a cadet in 1854. I have no other details of age &c. Date of first Commission 10-6-54.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	He came out to India on the 6th September 1854.
(i) before you were born?	Was on leave out of India 12-[illegible]-1860 to 29-1-1862. part of time spent in South France, but have no details.
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	Left India on 27-8-1863 returned 5-8-1866. part of time spent in England and South France. was in France part of 1864. Left India 13-4-71 to 25-4-73. Spent this period in England only. Returned for good in February 88.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	arrived 6-9-1854.
(ii) for how long?	retired 1-8-87 left February 1888. Leaves out of India. 12-7-60 — 29-1-62. 27-8-63 5-8-66 13-4-71 25-4-73.
(iii) in what capacity?	as an officer in the H.E.I.C.S. Subsequently in the Madras Staff Corps
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	The above answer these Questions
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	as an officer in the H.E.I.C.S. + Madras Staff Corps, eventually retiring as Major General
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	Resided in England ~~&~~ France during his leaves of 60-62 and 63-66, but I do not know how long in each. The leave from 71 to 73 was spent in England, and he has lived there since retirement.
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	He is alive

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	I was appointed to the Salt Department on 27-12-1882.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	I have served in the Salt depart-ment all my service except for 3 months in 1888 (august to november) when I was on famine duty.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	I am permanent 1st Grade Inspector but acting Assistant Commissioner.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	no answer needed.
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	do.
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	do.
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	do.
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	no answer

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	no answer
(i) how much?	do.
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	"
(iii) under what rule?	"
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	my absence on famine duty was only a loan of services.
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or (ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and	It was held by Sir Henry Bliss – when Commissioner of Salt, who gave Evidence before the Special Committee, that European officers of a public School education were necessary for a certain proportion of Inspectors, especially those who were required for assistant Commissioner ships. I am one of those. I am unaware of any order fixing the proportion.
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	I can only assume that I was – appointed with the direct object of advancement to an assistant Commissioner ship, which I have held off and on since 1893.

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Calicut

Date 9. 5. 1895.

C.M. Sherman

Signature of claimant.

9/5/95

Enclos No. 3 to Ienc

C. No. 2008 of 98

EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Villiers Stewart Fellowes Wilson

Office Inspector of Salt Abkari & Customs Rev

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	I was born in British India in the year 1859 of parents then habitually resident in India but who intended to return to England in which country they were domicile.
2. Are you a European?	Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	English.
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	English.
5. In what country were they married and when?	In England on 2nd ~~July~~ Jany 1856 VW 31.5.98
6. In what country were you born and when?	In British India in the year 1859.
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	In England from 1866 to 1877
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	In India from 1859 to 1866. In England from 1866 to 1877. In Ceylon from 1878 to 1879. in India from 1879 to 1881 in which latter year I was appointed to the Madras Police.
9. In what country was your father born?	In India in the year 1829.

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	He was educated in England from the year 1833 to 1845 and entered the Indian military service in 1846.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	In India from 1846 to 1855; in England 1855 to 1856; in India again from 1856 to 1859 in which latter year I was born.
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	In India from 1859 when I was born, till 1869 In England from 1869 to 1871. In India from 1871 till 1897 when he died.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	as in 11 (i) & (ii)
(ii) for how long?	Do
(iii) in what capacity?	An officer in Her Majesty's Indian Army
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	Twice
(b) when?	In 1855 to 1856, again in 1869 to 1871.
(c) for how long?	As far as I know - 3 years.
(d) in what capacity?	An officer in Her Majesty's Indian army.
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	In England
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	At Ootacamund in the year 1897.

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	In England up to 1856 - In India from 1856 to 1859 when I was born.
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	In India from 1859 to 1869. In England from 1869 to 1871. India from 1872 to 1874. England from 1874 to 1875. India from 1876 to 1878 England from 1878 to 1880. India 1881 to 1890
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	as above
(ii) for how long?	Do
(iii) in what capacity?	Do
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	Do
(b) when?	Do
(c) for how long?	Do
(d) in what capacity?	Do
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	Do
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	In India in 1890

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	"
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	To the Madras Police 10th June 1881.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	No – on the 5th Feb ~~93~~ 1883 (31.5.98), I was transferred to the Salt Department, and I am now in the Salt Abkari & Customs Department.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	"
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	"
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	"
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	"
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	"

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	No—
(i) how much?	"
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	"
(iii) under what rule?	"
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	"
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	"
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or	"
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and	"
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	"

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Trichinopoly

Date 31st May 1898.

V. S. D. Wilson

Signature of claimant.

Submitted with reference to B P 71, dated 8th March 1898.

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From 21

The Inspector of
Salt Abkari & Customs Dept.
South Trichinopoly Circle

To

The ~~Assistant~~ Commissioner
Salt Abkari & Customs Dept.
Trichinopoly Sub Dn.

Dated 31st }
Despatched 31st } May 1898

C. No. 88

ASST. COMMR., SALT & ABK. REVE., 1 JUN. 1898 TRICHINOPOLY

Submitting exchange compensation allowance of Mr. V. S. F. Wilson.

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Submitted to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt Abkari and Separate Revenue Madras.

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Asst. Commr.

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ASST. COMMR., SALT & ABK. REVE., 3 JUN. 1898 TRICHINOPOLY

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Board of Revenue

(Separate Revenue),

MADRAS.

Printed April 2nd.

Proceedings, No. 71, 8th March 1898.

MARCH.

Communicating to Deputy and Assistant Commissioners Government Order stating that all applications for admission to the benefits of exchange compensation allowance under the new rules should be accompanied by complete replies to certain questions specified; and calling upon all officers who have claims to make to submit them.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(SEPARATE REVENUE).

READ—the following G.O., Mis. No. 283, Revenue, dated 18th January 1898 :—

Read—the following G.O., No. 13, Financial, dated 6th January 1898 :—

Read—again the following paper :—

G.O., No. 491, Financial, dated 24th June 1897 (paragraph 2).

ABSTRACT.—Directing that all future applications for exchange compensation allowance be dealt with in the Financial Department.

Order—No. 13, Financial, dated 6th January 1898.

All applications for admission to the benefits of exchange compensation allowance should be accompanied by complete replies to the questions specified in the appendix to this order. The Superintendent of the Government Press will arrange to supply officers with forms as required.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. T. ARUNDEL,
Chief Secretary.

To all departments of the Secretariat.
„ heads of departments under the Chief Secretary.

APPENDIX.

EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

- (i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.
- (ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.
- (iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Edward William Holroyd Dowton

Office Inspector Salt Abkari & Customs Department

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only ?	I was born in Jaulnah where my father was doing duty with the 3rd Madras Caval My parents were not habitually residen in India
2. Are you a European ?	Yes -
3. Of what nationality was your father ?	English -
4. Of what nationality was your mother ?	French -
5. In what country were they married and when ?	In India - In 1848
6. In what country were you born and when ?	In Jaulnah India in 1852 -
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each ?	In England - From 1859 to 1879 -
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each ? NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	In India from 1852 to 1859 In England from 1859 to 1879 In India from 1879 to 1886 as a Coffee Planter on the Shevaroy Hills -
9. In what country was your father born ?	In England

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	He was educated in England and came out to India about 1846 —
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	In England ~~till~~ about 1846 & subsequently to the time of his death in India except when he took leave ~~also~~ he went to England —
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	From 1846 to the time of his death in 1874 as an officer in the 3rd Madras Cavalry and British Consul of Pondicherry. where ~~he~~ he died in 1874 still holding the same post —
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	Cannot say —
(b) when?	— do —
(c) for how long?	— do —
(d) in what capacity?	— do — Leave — As an officer in her Majesty's Regiment
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	England —
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	In India (Pondicherry) in the year 1874 when he was British Consul of Pondicherry

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If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	Pondicherry — India — England and cannot say any more as she is dead also —
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	Cannot say —
(ii) for how long?	— do —
(iii) in what capacity?	— do —
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	With my father and also without him as far as I ca remember in 1862 — when he came afterwards to meet he How often before or after I cannot say — She went last to England in 1880 and returne to India in 1885
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	England —
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	My Mother died in Pondicher in 1886 November soon afte he return from England after a residence of some ~~three~~ five years more there —

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	I arrived in India as a private gentleman in 1879 and was appointed in Govt Service in 1886 –
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	In the Salt & Abkari Dept in 1886.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	Same
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	Yes –
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	No
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	No
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	No
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	No
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	No

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	
(i) how much?	No
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	No
(iii) under what rule?	No
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	No
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed;	European qualification are necessary for the appointment I hold as no native could keep the same discipline and accord in the large staff employed under them besides they have not the same stamina – I was appointed as an Ag Asst Inspector in the place of a European gentleman who held the same office & through whose decease I got the office (Mr. O'Shaunessy) I was first appointed to Vattanam Circle in his place & assisted in closing his accounts there –
or	
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and	
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	

not to the point

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Bellary
Date 6th June 1898.

6.6.98
Signature of claimant.

As I have no relatives now in India who can assist me in answering the above questions I request the matter may be decided in my favor –

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	England till sixteen years of age.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	
(i) before you were born?	Bangalore & Burmah
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	Bangalore. Wellington England.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	In 1851–1888
(ii) for how long?	Thirty seven years
(iii) in what capacity?	Military
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	About five times
(b) when?	during his service
(c) for how long?	For periods which he was entitled to. once being recalled for Active service in Suakim.
(d) in what capacity?	Military
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	England.
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	Morton. Ongar Essex January 19th 1894.

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	X
(i) before you were born?	England Bangalor & Burma
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	India & England.
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	In 1863
(ii) for how long?	Twenty five years
(iii) in what capacity?	She resided with father Major General Bayley for one year & was then married to my father.
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	~~Twice~~ Three times to my knowledge since my birth
(b) when?	In 1879 & ~~1882~~ 1881 & 1888
(c) for how long?	Two months one year & from 1888 to present time
(d) in what capacity?	Military officers wife
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	England.
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	I was born in Burma 6th March 1874 went to England in 1879 remaining there till 1896. I joined the military service in England in Sept/92 & was drafted out to India arriving in the Dilwarra on 6th March 1896
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	Military Dept 6th September 1892
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	No. I am at present an Assistant Inspector Salt. Abkari & Customs Department having joined on 29th April 1897 appointed 9th April 1897.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	Yes
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$, please forward your $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$ for inspection.	
23. Is your appointment under your $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$ preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	No.
(i) how much?	
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	
(iii) under what rule?	
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	No
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or	
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the $\frac{\text{Service}}{\text{Department}}$ to which you belong; and	
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Gada nellore Dist
Date 18th June 1898.

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Signature of claimant.

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EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Sidney. C. H. Robinson.

Office Assistant Inspector. 2nd Grade.

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	Yes.
2. Are you a European?	Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	Irish.
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	British. (Halifax. Nova Scotia.)
5. In what country were they married and when?	Calcutta. India. 1859.
6. In what country were you born and when?	India. 1878.
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	England – Six years Isle of Man – Six months.
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? Note.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	In India from 1878 – to 1889. In England from 1889 to 1895. In India from 1895 to present time.
9. In what country was your father born?	Dublin. Ireland.

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	In England — 20 years.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	
(i) before you were born?	Ireland. England. India & Burma.
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	India.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	1858.
(ii) for how long?	Up to the present time.
(iii) in what capacity?	Controller & Examiner of Accounts. Public Works Department.
(iv) (*a*) how often did he leave this country?	Never
(*b*) when?	
(*c*) for how long?	
(*d*) in what capacity?	
(*e*) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (*a*) how often did she leave this country?	
(*b*) when?	
(*c*) for how long?	
(*d*) in what capacity?	
(*e*) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	Assistant Inspector. (2nd Grade) Salt, Abkari & Customs Department. 24th March. 1898 (First appointment).
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates.	Yes.
NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	Vide Service Book, dated 28th May. 1898. Pages 2 and 10.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	"
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	"
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	"
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	Appointment not on contract or agreement.
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government?	"
NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	no.
(i) how much?	"
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	"
(iii) under what rule?	"
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	"
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	"
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or	"
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the ~~Service~~/Department to which you belong; and	"
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	"

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

Sidney. C. H. Robinson.
28th May. 1898.

Signature of claimant.

STATION, Kanuparti
Date 28th May. 1898.

EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Robert William Bickle

Office 1st grade Assistant Inspector of Salt, Abkari & Customs Revenue

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	1. I was born in India but am not domiciled in that country as my father is now resident in England. My mother is not alive.
2. Are you a European?	2. Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	3. An Englishman.
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	4. Englishwoman.
5. In what country were they married and when?	5. In England in 1857.
6. In what country were you born and when?	6. I was born in India on the 21st November 1862.
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	7. I was educated in England from 1870 to ~~1886~~ 1887 RWB
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	8. I resided for 8 years in India and 16 years in England before appointment to the service of Government.
9. In what country was your father born?	9. In England.

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Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	10. He was educated solely in England.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	11.
(i) before you were born?	(i) In England, 25 years In India 5 years, 5 mo.
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	(ii) In India 31 years In England 4 years. 7 mo.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	12.
(i) when?	(i) Arrived in India in June 1857
(ii) for how long?	(ii) Resided in India 36 years. 4 mo.
(iii) in what capacity?	(iii) (a) Vice Principal, Govt. Normal School Madras. (b) Head Master, Govt. Normal School, Vizagapatam (c) Principal, Govt. Normal School, Madras (d) Inspector of Schools, Madras Presidency (e) Registrar, University of Madras.
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	(iv) (a) On two occasions
(b) when?	(b) In 1871-72 and 1876-77.
(c) for how long?	(c) 1 yr. 6 mo: and 1 yr. 1 mo:
(d) in what capacity?	(d) On both occasions as Principal, Govt. Normal School.
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	(e) In England on both occasions
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	13. He is still living.

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	My father is still living and he is in England
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	17. I was born in India but ~~[illegible]~~ went to England in 1870 and came out to India on the 1st April 1887.
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	18. I was first appointed as 3rd grade Assistant Inspector of Salt & Abkari Revenue on 1st October 1888.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	19. I am now 1st grade Assistant Inspector of the same Department.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	20. Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent— (i) is it for a specified duty only? (ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$, please forward your $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$ for inspection.	
23. Is your appointment under your $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$ preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so— (i) how much? (ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and (iii) under what rule?	25. No.
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding— (i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or (ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the $\frac{\text{Service}}{\text{Department}}$ to which you belong; and (b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	27. (i). (ii) (a) & (b). I have not seen any rules about these matters but I believe that such do exist.

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Vattanum
Date 25th June 1898.

R. W. C. Biddle
Signature of claimant. 25/6/98

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EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant F W Gooch –

Office Asst Inspector – Salt & Abkari Dept – Calingapatam

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	No –
2. Are you a European?	Yes –
3. Of what nationality was your father?	English –
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	English –
5. In what country were they married and when?	In England in 1863.
6. In what country were you born and when?	In England in 1866 (Sept 16)
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	Nine years in England only.
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	In England 1866 – 1885. In Canada 1885 – 1890. In India 1891 – 1897.
9. In what country was your father born?	In England.

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	In England –
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	Has always resided in England – Except for brief visits to the Continent & Scotland or Ireland.
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
12. If he was ever in India, state—	He was never in India.
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	Not dead.

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	In England – brief visits to Continent excepted.
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	Has never been in India
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	Not dead.

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	First arrived in India in/91 on a private Enterprise of a missionary nature. In/95-6 & /96-7 served as Hony. Chairman of Anakapalle Municipality & was recommended by District Collector for post in Salt on my own application to the then Commissioner – Mr. Willock.
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	To Salt & Abkari Dept in 1897.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	Still serving same Dept– Was deputed to famine duty in 1897.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	— Yes —
21. If your present appointment is not permanent— (i) is it for a specified duty only? (ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so— (i) how much? (ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and (iii) under what rule?	No –
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	No
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding— (i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or (ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and (b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	Understood when I took up my appointment that a certain proportion of Europeans was considered by Govt. to be necessary to the efficiency of the Dept & that my appointment was with a view to sustaining that proportion. Have no facility, however, for quoting from records on the subject.

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Calingapatam.
Date 27-6-1898.

F. W. Gooch.
27-6-98.
Signature of claimant.

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EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant John Alfred Muller

Office Inspector of Salt abkari + Customs Dept.

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	mother habitually resident in India father foreigner, German
2. Are you a European?	Father European, mothers father European mothers mother Eurasian - whatever this comes under -
3. Of what nationality was your father?	German
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	as stated above
5. In what country were they married and when?	married in Madras about 1845
6. In what country were you born and when?	Madras 1853 1st October
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	Madras
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each?	India always
NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	
9. In what country was your father born?	Germany

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	Educated in Germany. Cant say
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	not know as he died long ago-
(i) before you were born?	Came from Germany
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	In India and died in India about 1858
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	from about 1845 to 1858
(ii) for how long?	— do
(iii) in what capacity?	Inspector Police Department.
(iv) (*a*) how often did he leave this country?	not after Coming to India
(*b*) when?	,,
(*c*) for how long?	,,
(*d*) in what capacity?	,,
(*e*) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	,,
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	died in Madras about 1858

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	India - always
(i) before you were born?	do
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	do
15. If she was ever in India, state—	,,
(i) when?	,,
(ii) for how long?	,,
(iii) in what capacity?	,,
(iv) (*a*) how often did she leave this country?	never.
(*b*) when?	,,
(*c*) for how long?	,,
(*d*) in what capacity?	,,
(*e*) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	,,
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	India. 1st Oct 1896

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	nil
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	Salt abkari & Customs Dept 3rd march 1883.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates.	yes.
NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	yes–
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	–
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	–
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	–
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	–
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government?	〃
NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	〃

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	no–
(i) how much?	–
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	–
(iii) under what rule?	–
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	no
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	–
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or	〃
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and	〃
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	〃

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Tanjore
Date 12-5- 1898.

J A muller 12/5 98
Signature of claimant.

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From

The Inspector of Salt
Abkari & Customs Dept.
Tanjore Circle

To

The Assistant Commissioner
of Salt, Abkari & Customs
Department
Trichinopoly Sub Dn.

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Submitted to the Secretary
to the Commissioner of
Salt Abkari and Separate
Revenue, Madras.

Dated 12th
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ASST. COMR., SALT & ABK. REVE.
16 MAY 1898
TRICHINOPOLY

Enc. nil

16.5.98

Submitting application for
exchange compensation
allowance on behalf of
Mr. J. A. Muller.

This Officer's
claim seems
to be inadmissible.
There will be
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This will be
sent up
separately
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EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—
(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.
(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.
(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant Malcolm Henry Mortimer Lamb.

Office 2nd Grade Assist.-Inspector, Sub. pro. tem. Salt, Abkari & Customs department.

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	No.
2. Are you a European?	Yes.
3. Of what nationality was your father?	English
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	English
5. In what country were they married and when?	England, 1871
6. In what country were you born and when?	England 1875
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	England 12 years Belgium 2 years
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	England 17 yrs. Belgium 2 yrs. India 3½ yrs.
9. In what country was your father born?	England

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	England about 12yrs.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	
(i) before you were born?	England except for about 15 yrs. while in the Navy.
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	England.
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	(about) 1840 to 1855
(ii) for how long?	(about) 15 years.
(iii) in what capacity?	Officer of Indian Navy
(iv) (*a*) how often did he leave this country?	not known.
(*b*) when?	do.
(*c*) for how long?	do.
(*d*) in what capacity?	on leave.
(*e*) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	England.
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	——

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (*a*) how often did she leave this country?	
(*b*) when?	
(*c*) for how long?	
(*d*) in what capacity?	
(*e*) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	I arrived in India in October 1894 to take up an appointment as Superintendent of a coffee plantation.
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	Assist. Inspector 2nd Grade, sub pro tem; Salt, Abkari & Customs department 14th March 1898.
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates.	Yes.
NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	—
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	—
22. If appointed by contract/agreement, please forward your contract/agreement for inspection.	No agreement
23. Is your appointment under your contract/agreement preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government?	—
NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	—

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	No.
(i) how much?	
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	
(iii) under what rule?	
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	No.
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed;	
or	
(ii) (*a*) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the Service/Department to which you belong; and	
(*b*) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

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STATION,
Date 20th April 1898.

M. H. M. Lamb
20/4/98
Signature of claimant.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

From The Accountant General
Madras

Order

No. Dacln / 98

Dated 29 July 1898
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SUBJECT.

Enquiring whether Mr Hawkins can continue to draw Exchange Compensation allowance under the new rules also.

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CURRENT No. 33

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From

The Secretary to the Commissioner
of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue,
Madras.

Mis. No. 3352.

Dated 25th August 1898.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting for the orders of Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings Mis.No.2799, dated 13th July 1898, application from Inspector Mr. J.R. Wilson for admission to the benefits of Exchange Compensation Allowance.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

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EXCHANGE COMPENSATION ALLOWANCE.

Questions to be answered by—

(i) Officers claiming the allowance who were appointed in England.

(ii) Those appointed in India prior to 1st April 1897, who have not been admitted to the allowance under the rules in force previous to that date.

(iii) Those who, having previously been appointed in India and admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897, obtain an increase of salary after that date, and claim a continuance of the allowance.

Name of claimant James Robert Wilson

Office Inspector Salt Abkari Customs.

Questions.	Answers.
1. Were you born and are you domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purpose only?	
2. Are you a European?	
3. Of what nationality was your father?	English
4. Of what nationality was your mother?	English
5. In what country were they married and when?	India. 4th August 1848. Ootacamund
6. In what country were you born and when?	Ootacamund. 16th May 1849-
7. In what country or countries were you educated and for how long in each?	Ootacamund up 1866- Dr. G. U. Pope's Grammar School & College-
8. In what country or countries did you reside before appointment to the service of Government and for how long in each? NOTE.—If appointed in England and No. 2 is answered in the affirmative, questions 9 to 17 need not be replied to.	India
9. In what country was your father born?	Brettarton. Manchester England

Questions.	Answers.
10. In what country or countries was he educated and for how long in each?	England - Manchester - until he completed his 21st year. has a diploma as Veterinary surgeon which I have in my possession.
11. In what country or countries, and for how long, did he reside—	
(i) before you were born?	England & India
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	India till his death -
12. If he was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	1829 to 1865 -
(ii) for how long?	36 years.
(iii) in what capacity?	(iii) He came out in the D. Troop Royal horse artillery, left the service by buying his discharge & set up at Ootacamund as a Veterinary surgeon, had a place of business as a merchant, organised & worked the Neilgherry transit agency.
(iv) (a) how often did he leave this country?	(iv) (a) Never. but in 1864 he sold out & retired from business (Mr. C. Bill buying the business) with the intention of returning to England with his family for the education of his children, he suddenly died of heart disease, while these arrangements were being made.
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did he reside during the periods of absence?	
13. If your father is dead, state in what country he died and when?	Coimbatore - 13. 9. 1865 -

If your father is living, these questions need not be replied to.

Questions.	Answers.
14. In what country or countries, and for how long, did your mother reside?	My mother was born in India her grand mother was a Eurasian, her grand father & father were both English, both went home & died there
(i) before you were born?	
(ii) since your birth to the present time?	
15. If she was ever in India, state—	
(i) when?	
(ii) for how long?	
(iii) in what capacity?	
(iv) (a) how often did she leave this country?	
(b) when?	
(c) for how long?	
(d) in what capacity?	
(e) in what countries did she reside during the periods of absence?	
16. If your mother is dead, state in what country she died and when?	Madras - 19. 5. 95 -

Questions.	Answers.
17. If not born in India, how did you come to be in that country on appointment to the service of Government, and when did you arrive in India?	
18. To what office, service, or department were you first appointed and when?	I was first appointed in 1866 to the Topographical survey Bengal Presidency which I left in 1868 – and joined the Salt Department on 9.5.83 –
19. Are you still serving in the same office and department? If not, give the names of the departments and offices in which you have since served and in which you are now serving with dates. NOTE.—In cases in which complete information for questions 18 and 19 is obtainable from the History of services of Gazetted officers, a reference to the page and date of that publication will suffice.	I am still in Salt Department.
20. Is your present appointment permanent?	Yes.
21. If your present appointment is not permanent—	
(i) is it for a specified duty only?	
(ii) under what regulation or authority are your allowances fixed?	
22. If appointed by $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$, please forward your $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$ for inspection.	
23. Is your appointment under your $\frac{\text{contract}}{\text{agreement}}$ preliminary to employment in one of the regular services of Government? NOTE.—If your answer to this question be in the affirmative, please adduce proof of your statement.	
24. If not a member of any regular service, but employed in a professional capacity, are you debarred from the private exercise of your profession? Quote the rule so debarring you.	

Questions.	Answers.
25. Is any portion of your salary fixed in sterling? If so—	
(i) how much?	
(ii) at what rate of exchange is it convertible into Indian Currency? and	
(iii) under what rule?	
26. Have you been specially permitted to count any deputation allowance as salary for the purpose of calculating your leave allowances? If so, please give a reference to the authority.	
27. State your grounds, and quote any authority you may be able to refer to for holding—	
(i) that European qualifications are held by the Government of India to be indispensable for the office to which you have been appointed; or	
(ii) (a) that a proportion of Europeans is held by the Government of India to be indispensable in the $\frac{\text{Service}}{\text{Department}}$ to which you belong; and	
(b) that you were appointed as a European for the purpose of maintaining that proportion.	

I certify on honour that the foregoing answers are quite correct.

STATION, Manginapudi
Date 2nd August 1898.

J. Wilson 2.8.98.
Signature of claimant.

Financial Dept

C. No. 2108 + 2377

Memo No. 1883 d/ 3.9.98.

With reference to para 1 of its pro. 2799 d/ 13. July 1898, the Board of Rev (Sep Rev) is requested to furnish particulars of the information upon which it ~~was~~ has arrived at the conclusion that all the officers in the Salt Abkari and Customs Dept. embodied in list B. attached to G.O. No. 482 Finl d/ 26. May 1898 (with the exception of Mr. Puddefoot) are entitled to the benefits of Exchange Compensation Allowance. It should be clearly shown that none of these officers are Statutory Natives of India.

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Board of Rev (Sep. Rev)
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Financial (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 2785

CHIEF SECRETARY
7- OCT. 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

From

The Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue,
Madras.

Order

Mis. No. 3867.

Dated 30th September 1898.

Received
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SUBJECT.

Submitting to Government a statement showing particulars of information upon which the Board has arrived at the conclusion that all the officers of the Salt, Abkari and Customs Department whose names are included in List B in Government Order No.482, Financial, dated 26th May 1898 (with the exception of Mr. Puddephatt) are entitled to the benefits of Exchange Compensation Allowance.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
OCT. 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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From The Accountant General
Madras

No. Sacn/139

Dated 15 October 1898

Received 18th "

Registered 19th "

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SUBJECT.

Requesting reply to this office letter No. Sacn/98 dated 29-7-98 re: the grant of Ex: Compen allce to Mr B. Hawkins Salt Inspector

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CURRENT NO. 2905

Treasury Account DEPARTMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Accountant-General's Office,
15th October 1898.

No. Iacm/139

From
T. Hesketh Biggs Esqre
ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To
THE Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department.

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SIR,

I have the honour to request the favour of a reply to my letter No. Iacm/98 dated 29. July 98 regarding the grant of Exchange Compensation allowance to Mr. B. Hawkins Inspector Salt Abkari and Customs Department, whilst drawing a deputation allowance of Rs 150/- as Excise Officer at Bangalore, if orders have been passed on the matter.

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I have the honour to be,
Sir
Your most obedt. Servant
Dawson
for Accountt. General

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Financial Dept

C. No. 2006, 2366, & 2785

W. 21.10.98

Memo No. 2220, F.
21.10.98.

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With reference to its No 3867 Mis. of 30. Sept. 1898, the Board of Revenue is requested to ascertain and report:-

(1) whether the father of Mr. A. S. Kearns retired from service in the S. P. G. Mission prior to his death;

(2) When the father of Mr. S. D. Laybourn first came to India, & in what capacity, & the periods during which he was absent from India after his first arrival

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Financial DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 2008 2366 2785

SUBJECT.

Exchange Compensation Allowance to Officers of the Salt, Abkari & Customs Department.

Hon. Hon. W. Arnold

FOR ORDERS.

page 6 of G.O.No.491 Finl., d/24th June 1897

Rule XIII of the rules regarding the grant of Exchange compensation allowance ~~ran~~ runs as follows:--

"These rules shall come "into force with effect from the 1st "of April 1897, provided that officers "to whom exchange compensation would "not be admissible under these rules, "but who have been admitted to it "under the rules previously in force, "will continue to draw it to the extent of the salaries they were drawing on the 1st of April 1897; but any "increase in their salary after that "date will be taken in reduction and "ultimately in extinction of the claim "to the allowance".

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Page 4 ibid

2. In paragraph 12 of the resolution which accompanied the foregoing rules it was stated that rule XIII so far as it provided for the withdrawal of the exchange compensation allowance

from officers who had been admitted to it under previous rules would ~~[illegible]~~ not be brought into force until the proposed lists of appointments called for by the Govt. of India in paragraph 6 of the same resolution had been considered and determined. When that was done, it was stated, ~~[illegible]~~ the limitation prescribed would be applied to all officers who do not come within the list. In the meantime no person ~~[illegible]~~ not clearly admissible within the instructions issued last June should be admitted to the ~~exchange compensation~~ allowance.

Page 3 ibid

3. In paragraph 2 of Finance and Commerce Dept. resolution No.4217-Ex., d/21st September 1897 [on page 4 of G.O.No.809 Finl., d/30th Septr. 1897], it was directed that rule XIII should be brought into force at once in cases of officers who were appointed in India and whose salary is less than Rs.400 a month, inasmuch as they, as a general rule, will not fulfil the conditions required to entitle them to the allowance, and also in all other cases in which the head of the department or office in which the officer serves considers that there is reasonable doubt whether the officer will be eligible under the new rules. It was decided at the same time that no recoveries need be made of amounts passed in respect of any salary for the month of August 1897 or earlier months, but that it must be understood that all amounts drawn for subsequent months ~~[illegible]~~ would be subject

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to readjustment under rule XIII, if the officer concerned ~~is~~ should be finally declared ineligible.

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4. In paragraph 8 of ~~[illegible]~~ Fin: & Com: Dept. resolution contained in G.O.No.491, Finl., d/24th June 1897, the Govt. of India declared that the Salt Dept. is a department in which a proportion of Europeans is ~~[illegible]~~ indispensable, but apparently below Rs 200 should be excluded

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+ 20th. 11/9/1898 [illegible] intended that appts in this dept.

6 Last November the Acct. Genl forwarded four lists of officers regarding whose eligibility to exchange compensation allowance he ~~maintained~~ entertained some doubts. In list B, in which were shown the services and departments in which the Govt. of India had declared European qualifications to be necessary, 31 officers of the Salt Department were shown and the Acct. Genl. explained in paragraph 3 of his letter that the eligibility of these officers depended upon the question whether they were appointed as Europeans for the purpose of maintaining the requisite proportion of Europeans. These lists were examined in the departments concerned and it was decided as regards the Salt department that all the ~~[illegible]~~ officers mentioned by the Acct. Genl. must be held to have been appointed as Europeans to maintain the proportion of Europeans which this Govt. considers to be indispensably necessary in the appointment of Dy. and Asst. Commissioners and Inspectors and Asst. Inspectors in the Salt, Abkari and

G.O.No.1005 Finl., d/3-12-97

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Customs department [vide pages 6 and 7 of appendix C to G.O.No.482 Finl., d/26th May 1898] Departments and heads of departments were at the same time requested to scrutinize the lists and to ensure that none of the officers included in them were Statutory Natives of India. In this Govt's letter No.481 Finl., d/26th May 1898, the Govt. of India has been informed that H.E. the Governor in Council considers that the offices of Deputy and Asst. Commissioners ~~Inspectors and Asst. Inspectors~~ in the Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept. should be treated as offices in which European qualifications are indispensable but that a Native of India should not be debarred from promotion to any of these appointments if he is found to be fit for it. As regards Inspectors and Asst. Inspectors in the same department, it was intimated that two-sevenths of the appointments should be held by Europeans.

para 4 of G.O.No.482, Finl., d/26th May 1898 B'

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6. In the present current the Board states that it has scrutinized the list of officers in the Salt, Abkari and Customs department embodied in list B attached to G.O.No.482 Finl., d/26th May 1898 and that it considers that with the exception of Mr.Puddephatt (Second Appraiser in the Customs Dept. who fills a non-qualifying post) they are all entitled to the benefit of exchange compensation allowance. The Board proceeds to observe that the orders

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orders of the Govt. of India as regards the proportion of Europeans to be employed in the Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept. have still ~~on~~ to be awaited before the grant of the allowance to the officers in the list can be confirmed. It points out that this means that all officers who draw less than Rs.400 per mensem and who have received promotion since the promulgation of the rules continue under orders of refund. It therefore requests a reconsideration of the orders on the grounds that the presumption that an officer who draws less than Rs.400 per mensem is ineligible for the allowance does not apply to the Salt dept., and that the number of appointments for which European qualifications are required according to the proposals accepted by this Govt. is more than double the number of officers in the list, so that there can be no fear of their ultimate exclusion from the allowance. The Board takes the opportunity of submitting for disposal ~~10~~ 11 applications for admission to the allowance from officers whose names have not been included in the A.G's list B and draws special attention to the case of six officers who were kept out of the allowance under the ruling in Wanchope vs. Wanchope which decided that by accepting service in the East India Co. an officer acquired an Indian domicile.

Indian Law Reports, Calcutta, Vol IV. pp. 106-115.

7. It is not clear whether the Board is correct in its presumption that

none of the officers mentioned in list B attached to G.O.No.482 Finl., d/26" May 1898, can be admitted to the allowance until the receipt of the Govt. of India's orders regarding the proportion of Europeans to be employed in the Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept.. As stated above the Govt. of India has already intimated that a proportion of Europeans is indispensable in the Salt Dept. The Acct. Genl. might be referred to on this point. C

8. It is to be remembered that an officer appointed in India is excluded from the allowance if he is a Native of India. The definition of "Native// of India" includes any person born and domiciled within the dominions of Her Majesty in India of parents habitually resident in India and not established there for temporary purposes only. Should an officer not be ~~exc~~included by the foregoing test two further qualifications are necessary. (1) He must have been appointed either (a) to offices in which European qualifications are held to be indispensable or (b) to services and depts. in which a proportion of Europeans is held to be indispensable. (2) He must have been appointed as a European, and in the second case for the purpose of maintaining the requisite proportion of Europeans. The Salt Dept. falls under (1) (b) and it has to be decided in the case of all officers who are not natives of India whether they were appointed as Europeans for the purpose of maintaining the requisite proportion of Europeans. The names of the officers submitted by the Board will be dealt with seriatim

vide para 4 of Govt. of India, Fin: & Com. Dept. resolu- No.2422-Ex., d/31-5-97

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(1) Mr. C.W.P. St: John, Asst. Commr. was born in India and his father by coming out in the service of the East India Co: acquired an Indian domicile which he apparently retained until after Mr. St: John attained his majority. The father retired about four years ago and has since resided in England. He cannot therefore be said to be habitually resident in India and Mr. St: John is not a Statutory Native.

(2) Mr. C.V.D. Dalrymple Hay, Ag: Asst. Commr., was born in India in 1860 and was educated in Scotland and England. His father apparently came out in the service of the East India Co: and died in India in August 1881. Mr. Dalrymple Hay states that his father intended retiring in Scotland but that the sudden and serious nature of his illness prevented his going home immediately the leave was granted him in spite of the fact that all arrangements had been made. His mother is still alive and resides in England. Here also the qualification of the parents habitually resident in India seems to be wanting and Mr. Hay does not appear to be a Statutory Native of India.

(3) Mr. C.M. Sherman, Ag: Asst. Commr., was born in India and was educated almost entirely in England. His father came out in the service of the East India Co: but he has resided in England

since his retirement in Feb: 1888. Mr. Sherman does not appear to be a Statutory Native of India.

(4) Mr. V.S.F. Wilson, Inspector, was born in India and educated in England His father was born in India and entered the service of the East India Co: and except for periods of absence in England from 1855-56 and from 1869-71 resided in India till his death in 1897. His mother died in India in 1890 Mr. Wilson appears to be a Statutory Native of India.

(5) Mr. E. W. H. Doveton, Inspector, was born in India and educated in England. His father came out in the service of the East India Co. in 1846 and except for leave spent in England resided in India till the date of his death in 1874 at Pondicherry. Mr. Doveton's mother last went to England in 1880 and returned to India in 1885. Mr. Doveton was born and is domiciled in India and his parents appear to have been habitually resident in the country. He seems to be a ~~native~~ Statutory Native of India.

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(6) Mr. F. Hodding, Asst. Inspector was born in Rangoon and educated in England. His father came out in the service of the East India Co: but apparently retired to England and died there. His mother resides in England at present. He appears not to be a Statutory ~~of~~ Native of India.

(A) Mr. S.C.H. Robinson, Asst. Inspr: was

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This does not follow. See passage marked with red pencil on p. 114 of the Cal. Law Reps. herewith. Mr. Robinson's father is perhaps at present in service. 11/9/1898

*S. Ld. that Mr. Robinson's father has retired & is residing at his house "Berry" at Ootacamund

I shd. call Mr. Robinson a Statutory native.

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I so approve. 11/9/1898

was born in India and was educated partly in India and partly in England. His father came out to India in 1858 and has resided here up to the present time. He appears to be a Statutory Native of India.

(8) Mr. R.W. Bickle, Asst. Inspr., was born in India and educated in England. His father came out to India in June 1857 but has retired to England. He does not appear to be a Statutory Native of India.

(9) Mr. F.W. Gooch, Asst. Inspector, was born in England and cannot therefore be a Statutory Native of India.

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(10) Mr. J.A. Muller, Inspector, was born in India and appears to have never left the country. His father died at Madras in 1858 five years after his birth and his mother who always resided in India, died in the country in October 1896. He appears to be a Statutory Native of India.

(11) Mr. M.H.M. Lamb, Asst. Inspr., was born in England and cannot therefore be a Statutory Native of India.

The Board certifies with reference to Messrs. Lamb and Robinson that they were appointed by the Board with a view to maintaining the proper proportion of Europeans in the Salt Dept: Mr. Robinson's claim appears however to be barred by the fact that he is a Native of India.

9. Messrs. St. John, Dalrymple Hay, &

Sherman and Doveton are four of the six officers ~~about whom~~ to whose cases the Board has drawn special X attention in paragraph 3 of the current. There remain two others in whose cases the usual replies have not been forwarded by the Board but regarding whom there is information in the Govt. records.

(12) The first of these cases is that of Mr. Mainwaring, Asst. Commissioner, and it will be seen from the particulars regarding him that although he was born in India and domiciled in this country in consequence of his father having acquired an Indian domicile by accepting employment under the East India Co: , his parents cannot be said to be habitually resident in India as his father has resided in England since he left India. Mr. Mainwaring is therefore/ not a Statutory Native of India.

No. ~~#~~ 4th enclosure to Board's proceedings No.5373 Mis., d/7-12-94 M

(13) The ~~next~~ other case is that of Mr. Chamier and it will be seen from the papers in G.O.No.639, Finl., d/23rd July '98, VII in which the Inspector General of Prisons addressed Govt. regarding the admission of Mr.Chamier to exchange compensation allowance in the appointment of Ag: Supt. of the Salem Central Jail, that Mr. Chamier is ~~also~~ not a Statutory Native of India.

10. Of the officers whose cases have now been dealt with, Messrs. Mainwaring and St: John are permanent Asst. Commissioners and this Govt. has suggested to the Govt. of India that

X Vide List B of Appendix to G.O. No. 482 Finl. d/ 26.5.98.

all Europeans holding these appointments ould be eligible for exchange compe ation allowance.

11 Regarding the remainder who are not manent Asst. Commissioners although some of them are acting as such, the case appears to stand as follows:--

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE 12 AUG 98 MADRAS

	Total	Two-sevenths of the *	Entitled to Exchange Compensation Allowance		
			List B *	Present proceedings	Total
Inspectors --------	78	22	14	3	~~16~~ 17
Asst. Inspectors ------	106	30	7	4	11
Total	184	52	21	7	28

* Page 7 of G.O. No. 482, Finl. d/ 26-5-98
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12. It is submitted that before passing orders the papers may be referred to the Acct. Genl. u. o. for his opinion as regards the general questions raised here.

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Cwd. 8/8/98

Very well.

No 1680 d/10 August 1898

To A.G. u.o.

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P.T.O.

Financial CURRENT No. 2377

Papers received with W.O. Memo: No. 1680 dated 10 August 1898 are herewith returned with the following remarks:-

As regards para 2 of the Board's letter there is no objection to suspending the operation of rule XIII in the cases of the officers mentioned in so far as allowances already drawn by them are concerned; but sanction of the Govt. of India would be necessary to their continued exemption from the operation of the rule. Having regard to the terms of para 11 of the Govt. of India Resolution 2422 Ex dated 31st May '97, the mere fact that the Government of India have declared that a proportion of Europeans in the Salt Department is necessary is no ground for supposing that Para 2 of the Govt. of India Resolution No. 4217 Ex dated 21st September '97 is in-applicable to the officers in question.

As regards para 3 of the Board's letter there appears to be no objection to the cases of the officers therein named being reconsidered.

Accountant General.

30-8-98.

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The Acct. Genl.-vide his note d/30-8-98 - is of opinion that there is no objection to suspending the operation of rule XIII of the revised exchange compensation rules in the case of the officers of Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept. embodied in list B attached to G.O.No. 482 Finl., d/26th May 1898, in so far as allowances already drawn by them are concerned; but he states that the sanction of the Govt. of India would be necessary to their continued exemption from the operation of the rule. He considers further that there is no objection to the cases of the officers mentioned in para 3 of the Board's proceedings which are set out in the previous office note being reconsidered.

The Acct. Genl. apparently intends that the officers mentioned in para 3 of the Board's Proceedings should if otherwise qualified be permitted to draw the allowance with effect from 1st April 1897 subject to the provisions of rule XIII. As India has the whole subject under consideration, it seems unnecessary to address it regarding the continued exemption of these officers from this rule although perhaps a letter on the subject may be the means of expediting its decision on the general subject.

C.No.2366 received while these papers were with the Acct. Genl. relates

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relates to the claim of Mr. J. R. Wilson Inspector, Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept., to exchange compensation allowance. Attention is in this connection solicited to Mr. Wilson's replies to the questions flagged XIV. His father resided for 36 years in India and died in India although he intended to retire to England with his family but was prevented from doing so as he suddenly died of heart disease // while ~~[illegible]~~ arrangements were being made for his return to England. Mr. Wilson's mother was born in India and apparently lived the whole of her life in the country and died at Madras. Mr. Wilson was born in India and has apparently never left the country. He seems clearly to be a Statutory Native of India.

// Yes. Rule 1.

3/9/98 AA

Attention is in this connection solicited to the officers in the Salt Dept. in list B appended to G.O. No. 482, Finl., d/26th May 1898, all of whom the Board has pronounced not to be Statutory Natives of India. It is not known what steps the Board has taken to ascertain the facts of each case ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~, but it seems only right that it should be mentioned that there are two or three names in the list which seem very doubtful viz.

104 Mr. R. L. Haden

107 Mr. G. E. Johnston

109 Mr. E. D. Laybourn

114 Mr. A. M. Story

115 Mr. R. M. Thurley

Better call for the returns & examine them.

3/9/98.

Memo subd.

Cms 3.9.98

① Born in England but the family is altogether Anglo-Indian

The linked file which relates to Mr. Hawkin's case remains still to be decided.

Cms 3.9.98

C.S.

Please see the Board's list in C. No. 2786. The doubtful cases are.

(i) 5. Mr. A. S. Kearns. His father cannot however be said to have been domiciled in India although it is doubtful whether he had not taken up his permanent abode in India. The Board may be asked to report if Mr. Kearns' father had retired from the S. P. G. Mission prior to his death.

(ii) 8. Mr. B. McMaster. although born in India does not appear to be a Statutory Native as his father was not habitually resident in India.

(iii) 11. Mr. T. R. Baxter. Further information appears to be required as to the father's reason for staying in India from 1873 onwards.

(iv) 14. Mr. A. A. Deighton. The father is not residing in Ootacamund

Find out what the [illegible]'s difficulty is exactly.

19-10/98

This may be asked. It would seem however that the father had no Indian domicile.

19-10.98

He had not retired I believe, but ask & make sure. AA

19-10/98.

AA

I think it plain that the father had no Indian domicile.

19-10/98.

Yes - went home I believe & then came out again. AA

AA

at present but the fact that he has apparently retired in India would make him habitually resident &, the son being born in India, the latter a Statutory Native.

(v) 16 Mr. R. L. Haden. The father died in Madras & the son seems to be clearly a Statutory Native

(vi) 21 Mr. E. D. Laybourn The case is very doubtful. The family is a Madras one & the father seems to have been habitually resident in India, with short ~~spells~~ trips to England

(vii) 27. Mr. R. M. Thurley The father cannot be said to have been habitually resident in India & the son is not legally a Statutory Native.

C.W.S.
19. x. 98

C.S.

Please see memo below.

Meanwhile the file might ~~as~~ perhaps circ: as regards the general question raised

C.W.S.
19. x. 98

Very well. I have marked the other A.G. u.o. 19/10/98.

Yes. He seems to be habitually resident in India.

A.A. 19/10/98.

19-10-98.

A.A.

Further inquiry seems needed.

19-10-98.

A.A.

19/10/98

A.A. 31-10-98

C.S.
Perhaps the quickest way of ascertaining the A.G.'s difficulty in the linked file will be to refer it to him u.o. If C.S. approves will he please mark the file to A.G. u.o.

C.W.
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Financial DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 2103

SUBJECT.

Mr. Hawkins' claim to Exchange Compensation Allowance

FOR ORDERS.

pages 142-5 of the book-file E

In letter No.481 Finl., d/26th May 1898, this Govt. has suggested to the Govt. of India that for the purposes of exchange compensation allowance, a proportion of two-sevenths of Europeans is indispensable in the appointments of Inspectors and Asst. Inspectors in the Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept:

page 91 of the book-file F

2. Rule XIII of the rules for the grant of exchange compensation allowance printed on page 6 of G.O.No. 491 Finl., d/24th June 1897 runs as follows:--

"These rules shall come into force "with effect from the 1st of April 1897, "provided that officers to whom ex- "change compensation would not be ad- "missible under these rules, but who "have been admitted to it under the "rules previously in force, will conti- "nue to draw it to the extent of the "salaries they were drawing on the 1st of April 1897; but any increase in their salary after that date will be taken in reduction and ultimately in extinction of the claim to the allowance."

and paragraph 12 of the resolution which precedes the new rules states:-

"Rule XIII of the annexed rules, so far as it provides for the withdrawal of the exchange compensation allowance from officers who have been admitted to it under past rules, will not be brought into force until the proposed* lists of appointments are considered and determined. When that is done, the limitation prescribed must be applied to all officers who do not come within the list. But meantime no person who is not clearly admissible within the instructions now issued should be admitted to exchange compensation allowance."

page 89 of the book-file C

* Para 6 of the same resol^n. (page 88 of Bookfile)

3 India however in paragraphs 2 & 3 of Fin: & Com: Dept. resolution No.4217-Ex., d/21st Septr. 1897, directed that rule XIII should be brought into force at once in cases of officers who were appointed in India and whose salary is less than Rs.400 a month and explained that the intention of rule XIII was to continue to officers who had been drawing the allowance under the old rules, but who were not entitled to it under the new rules, exchange compensation allowance in respect of the salary which they were drawing on the 1st April 1897, such allowance being subject to reduction to the extent of any increase of salary on or after 1st April 1897, so as to be gradually absorbed in such increase.

pages 95 & 96 of the Book-file B
[pages 3 & 4 of G.O.No.809, Finl., d/30th Septr. 1897]

4 Mr. Hawkins an Inspector of the Salt Dept. who has been placed on special duty to report on the excise syetm in force in Bangalore has been granted by the Govt. of India a deputation allowance of Rs.150 in addition to his pay of Rs.350 per mensem. Mr. Hawkins draws exchange compensation allowance under the old rules and the Acct. Genl. points out that if the proposals contained in G.O.No.480 Finl., d/26th May 1898, are approved by the Govt. of India, he will apparently be entitled to the allowance under the new rules also. But with reference to ~~paragraph 3 of~~ the Fin: & Com: Dept. resolution referred to in the preceding para ~~above~~, he enquires whether Mr. Hawkins can continue to draw ~~ex~~ the ~~change compensation~~ allowance.

page 138 of the book-file A

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The Acct. Genl's difficulty is apparently whether the allowance should be admitted on the [redacted] Rs 500 now drawn by Mr.Hawkins [redacted] or on the amount which he drew on the 1st April 1897 [redacted]

If so, the decision will follow that in the linked file.

Cml
8.8.98

I think his difficulty is whether the compensation sh^d not be taken in abatement of the increase of pay.

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but this point too will follow
the decision on the linked file
or rather on whether India admit-
2/7ths of the Insp.rs as the proportion
for Europeans.

9/10/98

No. 2216. d/ 21st October '98.

To A.-G. u.o.

CHIEF SECRETARY 26 OCT. 1898

27/10/98.

The point is whether the compensation
should not be ~~reduced~~ taken in
abatement of the increase of salary
or not – Exchange compensation is
not admissible on deputation allow.ce

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Please see draft on
linked file

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26.11.98

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Financial Department. 13

Exchange Compn. Allowance
to certain Salt Officers.

C. No.s 2008, 2103, 2366, 2785 & 2905.

C. W. 2008. Read - Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Sep.Rev.) No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898 (Bd's.Pros. = A)

Q – Enclosure to ~~Ditto~~ the foregoing being information in regard to claims to Exchange Compensation Allowance supplied by the following officers: of the Salt Abkari Customs Dep.

Mr.C.W.P.St.John, Asst. Commr.
Mr.C.V.Darlymple-Hay, Ag. Asst. Commr.
Mr.C.M.Sherman, Inspector
Mr.V.S.F.Wilson, "
Mr.E.H.Doveton, "
Mr.F.Hodding, Asst. Inspector
Mr.S.C.H.Robinson, " "
Mr.R.W.Bickle, " "
Mr.F.W.Gooch, " "
Mr.J.A.Muller, Inspector
Mr.M.H.M.Lamb, Asst. Inspector

C. W. 2103. linked file From the Accountant-General, No. I.A.C.M./98, dated 29th July 1898 (A)

C. W. 2366. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Sep.Rev.) No. 3352, dated 25th August 1898 (A ~~with enclos.~~)

Memo. No. 1883, dated 3rd September 1898 (Q)

C. W. 2785. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Sep.Rev.) No. 3367, dated 30th September 1898 (A with encl.)

C. W. 2905. linked file From the Accountant-General, No. I.A.C.M./139, dated 15th October 1898 (Q)

Memo. to the Board of Revenue No. 2220, dated 21st October 1898 (Q)

Issue 14/11/98.

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Have draft
checked carefully – checked

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for proof from
the Press for me
to check
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O R D E R:- ~~No 4065 dt 16-11-98~~

P. S.

With reference to its Pros. No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898, the Board of Revenue (Sep.Rev.) will be informed that in so far as allowances already drawn are concerned there is no objection to the suspension of rule XIII of the rules for the grant of exchange compensation allowance in the case of officers of the Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept., who are not disqualified from drawing the allowance by the fact of their being Statutory Natives of India. [Any further exemption of these officers from the rules would require the sanction of the Govt. of India which will be addressed on the subject.]

Omit

The Govt. of India has in ~~I~~ a recent resoln [No. 4847-Ex. of 5th November 1898] XI which will ~~be communi~~ reach the Board in due course ruled that all officers of the Salt Dept. in this Presdy. holding appts. not lower in rank than Asst. Inspector shall if otherwise eligible, obtain exchange compensation allowance.

2. Of the officers of the Salt, Abkari, and Customs Dept. whose cases are mentioned in the Board's Proceedings read above, the following are ineligible for the allowance owing to the fact that they are Statutory Natives of India.

(1) Mr. V.S.F. Wilson. ~~This officer~~ was born in India and educated in England. His father was born in India, entered the service of the East India Company, and except for periods of absence in England ~~for~~ from 1855 ~~to~~ to 1856 and from 1869 to 1871 resided in India until his death in 1897.

~~Mr.Wilson~~'s mother died in India in 1890.

(2) Mr.E.W.H.Doveton ~~was born~~ in India and educated in England. His father came out in the service of the East India Company in 1846 and, except for leave spent in England, resided in India till the date of his death in 1874 at Pondicherry. Mr.Doveton's mother last went to England in 1880 and returned to India in 1885. Mr.Doveton was born and is domiciled in India and his parents appear to have been habitually resident in the country.

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(3) Mr.S.C.H.Robinson ~~was born~~ in India and educated partly in England. His father who came out to India in 1857 has since resided in the country, even after retirement from the service of Govt.

XXIII

(4) Mr.J.A.Müller ~~was born in India~~, in 1850 and appears to have never left the country. His father died at Madras in 1858, ~~nine years after his birth~~, and his mother, who always resided in India, died in the country in October 1896.

XXII

(5) Mr.J.R.Wilson. ~~This officer's~~ father resided in India for 36 years and died in the country. Mr.Wilson's mother was born in India and apparently spent the whole of her life in the country and died at Madras. Mr.Wilson himself was born in India and has never left the country.

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(6) Messrs. A.A.Deighton and R.L. Haden. ~~From the particulars afforded in~~ the

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the statement which accompanied Bd's. Pros. No.3867, dated 30th September 1898 it is clear that these officers are Statutory Natives of India.

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3. Messrs.E.R.R.Mainwaring and W. Chamier are not Statutory Natives. Further information has been called for regarding Messrs. A.S.Kearns and E.D. Laybourn in Memo.No.2220, dated 21st October 1898. The remaining officers whose claims are mentioned in the papers read above are not Statutory Natives.

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4. The case of Mr.B.Hawkins referred to in the A.G's. letter No. I.A.C.M./98, dated 29th July 1898 ~~will~~ should be dealt with in accordance with the orders contained in para. 1 of these proceedings.

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To

The Board of Rev. (Sep.Rev.)
,, Accountant-General.
,, Revenue Department.

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A.G.K.
12.11.98

LETTER:-

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Fin. and Com. Department.

Sir,

In para. 8 of Fin. & Com. Dept. resolution No. 2428-Ex., dated 31-5-97 it was declared by the Govt. of India, with reference to the rules governing the grant of exchange compensation allowance, that the Salt Dept. is a department in which a proportion of European is indispensable. Mr. Arundel's letter No. 481, Finl., dated 26th May 1898, forwarded the proposals of this Govt ~~which~~ in regard to the new rules. These proposals included the suggestion that the offices of Dy. Commr. and Asst. Commissioners in the Salt, Abkari & Customs Dept. in the Presidency should be treated as offices in which European qualifications are indispensable, although the declaration should not debar the promotion of a Native of India to one of these posts, and that two-sevenths of the appointments of Inspectors and Asst. Inspectors ~~in this Dept.~~ should be deemed to be offices requiring European qualification.

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2. In the absence of ~~the~~ final orders ~~of the Govt. of India~~ on these proposals it is not possible to confirm the grant of the allowance in the cases of officers who drew ~~the allowance~~ it under the old rules, although their ~~cases~~ claims have been individually examined to ensure that they are not Statutory Natives of India and that in the case of Inspectors and Asst. Inspectors they were appointed in order to maintain the requisite proportion of Europeans in the department. All such officers who are in receipt of smaller salaries ~~not less~~ than Rs. 400 per mensem and who have received promotion since the 1st April 1897 theref~~ore~~ors continue to be placed under reduction of salary with reference to rule XIII of the Exchange Compensation rules as interpreted

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interpreted in Govt. of India, Fin. & Com. Dept. resolution No. 4217 Ex., dated 21st September 1897.

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3. The presumption that an officer who draws less than Rs. 400 per mensem is not eligible for the grant of the allowance does not apply to the Salt Dept. and the number of appointments for which European qualifications are required under the proposals of this Govt. is in excess of the number of officers who would otherwise be entitled to draw the allowance. The order of abatement of salary operates ~~however~~ with particular hardship on the European officers of the dept, with their small incomes, whilst ~~several~~ officers who were excluded under the domicile test of the former rules ~~would~~ will be eligible for the allowance if the proposals made by the Govt. in regard to this dept. are accepted.

4. In the foregoing circumstances I am to ask for the early order~~s~~ of the Govt. of India on the proposals made in Mr. Arundel's letter quoted in para. 1 supra.

CMS
10.11.98

[G/75] 1,000 31-7-17.

NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

The draft flagged XX is resubmitted with reference to India's cable received yesterday & flagged XI. The case of the Salt Dept has been settled and no reference to India appears to be necessary. Please see the proposed alterations in the draft

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ORDER:- No 1150 d/2-12-98

P.S.

With reference to its Proceedings, No. 2799, dated 13th July 1898, the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue) will be informed that the Govt. of India has in a recent resolution (No. 4847-Ex, dated 5th November 1898) ruled that all officers of the Salt Department in this Presidency holding appointments not lower in rank than that of Assistant Inspector shall, if otherwise eligible, obtain exchange compensation allowance, ~~and~~ or has further decided in Resolution No. 5040-Ex, dated 17th November 1898, that they may be admitted to the allowance with effect from the 1st April 1897 with the sanction of the local Government. ~~This~~ The requisite sanction is ~~accorded~~ now granted accordingly in the case of all officers of the classes mentioned in the Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept, who are not Statutory Natives of India. The allowances drawn by officers who are Statutory Natives

N.B. Revised draft submitted with ref: to India's recent resolutions

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+When has this sanction been given.
25-11-98.

C.S. Subd. that it was intended to grant the sanction now

CWB
25.11.98

in respect of salary for the month of September 1897 and subsequent months will be adjusted in accordance with the orders of the Govt. of India contained in the second para. of the resolution last quoted.

2. Of the officers of the Salt, Abkari and Customs Department, whose cases are mentioned in the Board's proceedings read above, the following are ineligible for the allowance owing to the fact that they are Statutory Natives of India:-

Mr.V.S.F.Wilson
Mr.E.W.H.Doveton
Mr.S.C.H.Robinson
Mr.J.A.Muller
Mr.J.R.Wilson
Mr.A.A.Deighton
Mr.R.L.Haden.

3. Messrs.E.R.R.Mainwaring and W. Chamier are not Statutory Natives. Further information has been called for regarding Messrs.A.S.Kearns and E.D.Laybourn in memorandum No. 2230, dated 21st October 1898. The remaining officers whose claims are mentioned in the papers read above are not Statutory Natives.

XXIII

4. The case of Mr.B.Hawkins referred to in the Accountant-General's letter No.98--I.A.C.M.,dated 29th July 1898, should be dealt with in accordance with the orders contained in para.1 of these proceedings.

24.11.98

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To the Bd.of Rev.(Sep.Rev.)
,, Accountant-General.
,, Revenue Department.

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