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Exchange Compensation Allowance.

Communicating to the Inspector-General of Prisons letter from the Government of India declining to admit Deputy Jailors of Central and Presidency Jails and Jailors of District Jails to the list of appointments which qualify for — ; and cancelling G.O., No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899, with reference to the concluding portion of paragraph 2 of that letter.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Stating, with remark, that Mr. W. McInnes, Deputy Jailor of the Coimbatore Central Jail, is entitled to draw exchange compensation allowance.

G.O., Mis. Nos. 619, 620, Financial, dated 20th May 1899.

Read—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel W. O'HARA, I.M.S., Acting Inspector-General of Prisons, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 23rd March 1899, No. 1785:—

As directed in memorandum No. 371, Financial, dated 4th February 1899, communicated in G.O., R. No. 258, dated 20th February 1899, I have the honour to report the result of the examination of the claims to exchange compensation allowance of the officers of the Jail department (mentioned in the appendix to G.O., No. 482, Financial, dated 26th May 1898), with reference to the resolution of the Government of India recorded in G.O., No. 1081, Financial, dated 19th November 1898.

2. As the list of officers contained in the appendix to G.O., No. 482, of 26th May 1898, was drawn up in accordance with the rules communicated in G.O., No. 809, Financial, dated 30th September 1897, and based on those communicated in G.O., No. 491, Financial, dated 24th June 1897, it follows that the officers therein mentioned are not Statutory Natives of India as defined in Statute 33 Victoria, Chapter 3, Section 6.

3. Messrs. E. L. F. Cavendish, R. L. Shubrick and J. E. Young hold office each as Superintendent of a Central Jail, *i.e.*, one of the appointments mentioned in Government of India Resolution No. 4847-Ex., Finance and Commerce Department, dated 5th November 1898, by virtue of holding which an officer appointed in India, not being a Statutory Native of India, becomes entitled to exchange compensation allowance. These officers, therefore, are entitled to the allowance under the revised rules.

4. Mr. S. H. Wheeler is Jailor of the Central Jail, Salem, and holds an appointment which entitles him to the allowance.

5. Mr. J. Wills who was Jailor of the District Jail, Vizagapatam, has since died.

6. Mr. Lovejoy is Jailor of the Hill Jail, Russellkonda. In this office No. 6520, dated 23rd December 1898, the question of the eligibility of Deputy Jailors of Central Jails for admission to the allowance was submitted to Government, who agreed with the view expressed by Mr. Cardew that the term "Jailor" covers "Deputy Jailors" on the ground that Deputy Jailors are recruited with a view to their eventually becoming Jailors, and in G.O., No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899, the Government sanctioned the allowance to Mr. McInnes, Deputy Jailor of the Trichinopoly Central Jail. It is now submitted that, besides Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails, Jailors of District Jails are eligible for admission to the allowance, if otherwise entitled, inasmuch as Deputy Jailors of Central Jails are, as a rule, first posted as Jailors of District Jails before they are appointed as Jailors of Central Jails. If this view is accepted then Mr. Lovejoy is entitled to the exchange allowance under the revised rules and accordingly it is requested that orders may be passed admitting Jailors of District Jails to the allowance if they are otherwise eligible.

Endorsement, dated 29th March 1899, Judicial.

Transferred to the Financial Department.

(By Order.)

(Signed)

A. R. KNAPP,
Ag. Under Secretary.

To the Financial Department.

Order—Mis. No. 619, Financial, dated 20th May 1899.

Messrs. E. L. F. Cavendish, R. L. Shubrick, J. E. Young and S. H. Wheeler are entitled to draw exchange compensation allowance if personally eligible, that is, if not barred as Statutory Natives of India.

2. From the correspondence ending with G.O., No. 1838, Judicial, dated 10th September 1891, it is clear that Mr. Shubrick is not a Statutory Native and no further question arises as regards his claim.

3. The Inspector-General of Prisons will, however, obtain from each of the other officers mentioned above replies to the questions contained in the appendix to G.O., No. 482, Financial, dated 21st March 1899.

4. The orders of the Government of India will be obtained in regard to the admission of Jailors of District Jails to the allowance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Prisons.

„ Accountant-General.
„ Judicial Department.

Letter—Mis. No. 620, Financial, dated Ootacamund, 20th May 1899, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, with copy of G.O., No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899.

In paragraph 21 of Government of India Finance and Commerce Department Resolution, No. 4847-Ex., dated the 5th November 1898, it was laid down that Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails may be admitted to the benefits of exchange compensation allowance, if personally eligible. As it is obvious that Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails cannot be enlisted, as such, without first undergoing training in the post of Deputy Jailor, and as in paragraph 22 of the resolution quoted above the Government of India recognised the claims to the allowance of European warders in those jails in which special accommodation is provided for Europeans, the Governor in Council has ruled that the term "Jailor" in paragraph 21 of the Resolution includes "Deputy Jailor"—*vide* copy of Proceedings, No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899, enclosed.

2. The Inspector-General of Prisons now points out that Deputy Jailors of Central Jails are, as a rule, first posted as Jailors of District Jails with a view to their being appointed as Jailors of Central Jails, and he contends that Jailors of District Jails should, if otherwise eligible, be admitted to the allowance.

3. I am to remit this proposal for the favourable consideration of the Government of India.

(Signed)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

READ—also the following paper:—

From J. F. FINLAY, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 22nd June 1899, No. 2763-Ex.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 620, dated the 20th May 1899, regarding the admission to the list of appointments which qualify for exchange compensation allowance of Deputy Jailors of Central and Presidency Jails and of Jailors of District Jails.

2. In reply I am to say that the Government of India had no intention of giving exchange compensation allowance to the Jailor class as a whole, and that the restriction of the allowance to "Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails" made in paragraph 21 of this department Resolution of 5th November 1898, No. 4847-Ex., was deliberate. The Government of India regret that they are unable to widen the area of the concession then made in view of the fact that in Madras it is the custom for Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails to have previously served in district jails. The proposal to class district jailorships as eligible for exchange compensation allowance must therefore be negatived; and it follows that the Deputy Jailors of Central Jails are also ineligible, for it appears that they are in process of development into District and not into Central Jailors. I am to point out that the Government of India should have been referred to before the Madras Government ruled that these Deputy Jailors were entitled to exchange compensation allowance and I am to ask that the order may now be withdrawn, though no refund will of course be required from any Deputy Jailor who has hitherto drawn exchange compensation allowance on the strength of it.

Ordered that copy, with copy of the letter to which this is a reply, be forwarded to the Home Department, to all Local Governments and Administrations and to all Accountants-General and Comptrollers.

ORDER—No. 787, Financial, dated 13th July 1899.

The foregoing letter from the Government of India will be communicated to the Inspector-General of Prisons and, with reference to the concluding portion of paragraph 2 thereof, G.O., No. 114, Financial, dated the 18th January 1899, will be cancelled.

(True Extract.)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Prisons.
" Accountant-General.
" Judicial Department.

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THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

" HOME DEPARTMENT.

" ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, MADRAS.

No. 2763-Ex.

Dated Simla, the 22nd June 1899.

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Non-admission of the claims to exchange compensation allowance of Deputy Jailors of Presidency and Central jails and of Jailors of District Jails.

From—The HONOURABLE MR. G. STOKES, I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department.

In paragraph 21 of the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, Resolution, No. 4847-Ex., dated the 5th November 1898, it was laid down that Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails may be admitted to the benefits of exchange compensation allowance, if personally eligible. As it is obvious that Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails cannot be enlisted as such without first undergoing training in the post of Deputy Jailor, and as in paragraph 22 of the resolution quoted above the Government of India recognised the claims to the allowance of European warders in those jails in which special accommodation is provided for Europeans, the Governor in Council has ruled that the term "Jailor" in paragraph 21 of the Resolution includes "Deputy Jailor" *vide* copy of Proceedings No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899, enclosed.

2. The Inspector-General of Prisons now points out that Deputy Jailors of Central Jails are, as a rule, first posted as Jailors of *District* Jails with a view to their being appointed as Jailors of Central Jails, and he contends that Jailors of *District* Jails should, if otherwise eligible, be admitted to the allowance.

3. I am to remit this proposal for the favourable consideration of the Government of India.

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of Madras, Financial Department,
No. 114, Financial, dated 18th January 1899.*

READ the following paper:—

From A. G. CARDEW, Esq., M.A., Inspector-General of Prisons, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 23rd December 1898, No. 6520.

I have the honour to submit, for the orders of Government, an application from Mr. W. McInnes, Deputy Jailor of the Coimbatore Central Jail, for the compensation for exchange allowance.

2. The information given in the answers to the prescribed set of questions shows that Mr. McInnes is a European, and is not a statutory native of India.

3. In paragraph 21 of the Government of India's Financial Resolution, No. 4847-Ex., dated 5th November 1898, it is laid down that Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails are eligible for admission to the allowance. The case of Deputy Jailors not being specially mentioned, while that of European Warders is provided for in paragraph 22, it appears that the term "Jailor" covers "Deputy Jailors" also, and that Mr. McInnes is eligible.

4. It is obvious that Jailors of Presidency and Central Jails cannot be enlisted, as such, without first going through training in the subordinate post of Deputy Jailor, and as the Government of India has accepted the view that European qualifications are required for the post of Jailor, Deputy Jailors who are Europeans and who are recruited with a view to their eventually becoming Jailors should, apparently, also be admitted to the allowance.

5. Mr. McInnes was formerly employed as Deputy Jailor of the Jubbulpore Jail, and was then admitted to the allowance under the rules in force prior to 1st April 1897 under a certificate granted by the Deputy Commissioner, Jubbulpore. A copy of that certificate is enclosed. Mr. McInnes having subsequently resigned the service, the Treasury officer has declined to pass the allowance to him without a fresh order of Government.

Order thereon by the Government of Madras.

The Government agrees with the view taken by the Inspector-General of Prisons in paragraph 4 of his letter. Mr. McInnes is entitled to draw exchange compensation allowance.

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