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[Despatch Abstract.]

Emigration - Ceylon.-

Recording papers relating to a question asked at a meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 23rd May 1917 and the answer given thereto as regards the duties of the Indian Civil Service officer stationed at Mandapam.

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[Question no 99 -
Duties of permit-issuing officers
at Kandapuram]

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QUESTION.—No.

99

for the meeting of the Legislative

Council to be held on the *22nd May* 1917.

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Question may be forwarded to the
Home (Miscellaneous) Department with reference to Nos. (1) and (4) of the
rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with these Questions in the
Legislative Council. Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due
course.

U.O. No. *1163-1* dated *9-5-17*
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To

The *Home (Miscellaneous)* Department. *with Q. No. 99.*



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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL (LEGISLATIVE) DEPARTMENT.

Home (Miscellaneous) Department.

The Hon'ble the Raja of Ramnad.

Cooley

99 Q.—Will the Government be pleased to state the duties of the Indian Civil Service officer now stationed at Mantapam ~~Cooley~~ Camp?

[Meeting of the 22nd May 1917]

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Local and Municipal (Legislative) Department.

The departments concerned may be informed that:-

(i) Questions 97, 99, and 100 have been admitted without alterations.

(ii) Question 98 has been returned to the Additional Member for amendment.

(iii) Question 101 has been admitted with the alterations shown in the accompanying copy.

V.T.K.
12-5-17.

Leg.U.O.1162-3 dated 12th May 1917.

To

The Local and Municipal Department (Qn.97)

The Revenue Department with Qn.101 revised (Qn.98, 100 & 101)

The Home (Miscellaneous) Department (Qn.99)

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Home Dept
(His)

The following draft
answer is submitted for consideration.

Draft answer.

The duties of the ~~present~~ officer at present
are

- 1) to issue permits to proceed to Ceylon
 - a) unskilled labourers proceeding to Ceylon on whose behalf application is made by the Ceylon Labour Commission provided the lists of labourers presented to him exclude all adult males of over 18 years of age unaccompanied by their families proceeding to Ceylon for the first time.
 - b) Skilled labourers without restriction
 - c) labourers employed in the Colombo harbour on the certificate of the Supdt of the Quarantine camp at Handspan that they are proceeding to Ceylon for ~~employment~~ in the harbour.
 - d) aged and infirm unskilled labourers on his own discretion.

- 2) to submit a monthly return to Govt showing the number of unskilled labourers for whom permits were issued and differentiating old from new emigrants.

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S.

The above Statement is correct in far as it goes being a summary of the views voiced in regard to this affair. I am not sure however that Mr. A. M. wants to know their details; rather, he would want to know with what object the affair is put on them; what he is then to do, in fact. I would suggest alternatively a more general reply —

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In the interests of ^{conserving} ~~economy~~ the manpower of India within the country the Government have decided under the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules to prevent the emigration to Ceylon of unskilled labourers ~~being adult males, and proceeding to Ceylon unaccompanied by their families and for the first time.~~ The Government have accordingly posted an officer of the I.C.S. at Mandapam to enforce these orders; his duties are to prevent the emigration of persons of the class described above, and to issue permits to proceed to all labourers to whose emigration there is no objection.

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E. M.
14.5.17

H. M.

I would shorten the answer thus:—

"The Government of India have decided under the Defence of India Consolidation rules to prevent the emigration of unskilled labourers except under conditions. The duties of the officer referred to are to enforce these conditions

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HM

I prefer U.S.'s draft; we had better make the reasons for the appointment quite clear.

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Duties of the
Indian Civil
Service officer
at Mantapam
Cooly Camp.

100 Q.—Will the Government be pleased to state the duties of the Indian Civil Service officer now stationed at Mantapam Cooly Camp?

100 A.—In the interests of conserving the man-power of India within the country the Government have decided under the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules to prevent the emigration to Ceylon of unskilled labourers, being adult males, proceeding to Ceylon unaccompanied by their families and for the first time. The Government have accordingly posted an officer of the Indian Civil Service at Mantapam to enforce these orders; his duties are to prevent the emigration of persons of the class described above, and to issue permits to proceed to all labourers to whose emigration there is no objection.

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Draft recording the papers submitted for approval.

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