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Home (Misc.) (1918) Department.

Ordinary SERIES.
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G.O. No. 394

DATED 19.4.18

[Despatch Abstract.]

Granting a ——— to Ganda Singh, a native of the Punjab, travelling to the Straits Settlements.

Book Form No. 139.
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HOME (~~Judl.~~ misc) ~~REVENUE~~ DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Forwarding the application of Ganda Singh for a passport to proceed to Singapore.

ENCLOSURES. No.	Eight
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C No. 192/P.P/18.

Station Madras, Dated the 20th March 1918.

From (Name) M.Armitage, Esq.,

(Designation) Commissioner of Police, Madras,

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Home (~~Judl.~~ misc) ~~Revenue~~ Department.

Sir,

The application of Ganda Singh for a passport to proceed to Singapore where he was employed previously as a watchman is forwarded for orders of Government with 2 copies of his photograph and papers in his possession (to be returned after perusal.) He says he applied for a passport in his native place but was directed to go to Madras and obtain a passport from the Commissioner. The fee of Re.1 has been received.

for Commissioner of Police.

Encl no (3) to Cno $\frac{92}{PP}$ dated 20.3.18 from the Commr of Police Madras.

(A)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT FOR PASSPORT.

(a) Marhana Distt Amritsar ~~21.1.~~ 20.3. 1918.

I, the Undersigned (b) Ganda Singh

at present residing at Marhana Distt Amritsar. Harbour Police Station Madras hereby declare that I am

(c) ~~FOR A MARRIED WOMAN OR WIDOW (to be struck out in other cases). Particulars of HUSBAND'S birth to follow.~~

~~the wife / widow of ______ and that my husband is / late husband was~~

a (d) British born subject. having been born

at Marhana Distt Amritsar on or about the 13th day of September 1894

~~FOR PERSONS BORN ABROAD, who derive British nationality from a father or paternal grandfather born within His Majesty's Dominions. (To be struck out in other cases.)~~

~~my (his) father / paternal grandfather having been born within His Majesty's Dominions at ______ on the ______ day of ______~~

and not having lost the status of British Subject thus acquired, and I hereby apply for a Passport for the purpose of travelling to Singapore: Straits Settlements.

(e) [accompanied by my ~~wife (and children under the age of 16), as indicated in the margin, who do not possess~~ separate Passports].

I further declare that I have no Passport already in my possession (f) ~~(other than that / those which I annex hereto for cancellation)~~.

(g) Signed sd/ Ganda Singh

AND I, the Undersigned (h) Rao Bal S. Bavanandam Pillai ~~of~~ Asst Commissioner of Police Madras hereby declare that to the best of my personal knowledge and belief the above made Declaration of the said Mr. ~~Mrs.~~ ~~Miss~~ Ganda Singh is true, and that I can from my personal knowledge of him ~~her~~ vouch him ~~her~~ as a fit and proper person to receive a Passport.

Signed S. Bavanandam Pillai
Assistant Commissioner of Police
Madras
20/3/18

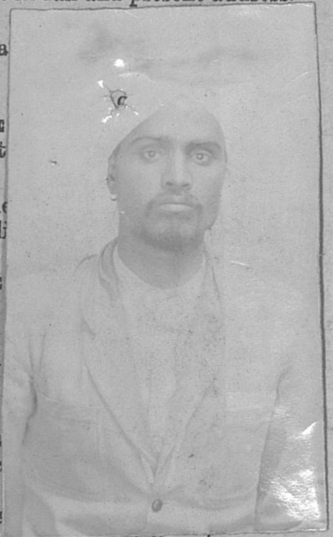
NOTE.—Duplicate small unmounted photographs of the applicant (and wife if to be included) must be sent, one of which must be certified on the back by the recommender.

IMPORTANT.

Applicants, and persons recommending them, are warned that should any of the statements contained in their respective declarations prove to be untrue, they will render themselves liable to prosecution.

(a) Insert name of Place and Date.

(b) Christian Names and Surname of the applicant in full and present address.



(c) In the ca… WIDOW, … required … OR LATE … applicant…

(d) State whe… a naturali… ject of a … THE CASE … SUBJECT …

(e) Wife and … or … cluded if … passports … in other c…

Persons … state the routes to be followed.

(f) The words in brackets to be struck out and initialled in cases where the applicant has no previous passport in his possession.

(g) Signature.
The applicant must also write a specimen of his signature in the space below marked*.

The whole of the declaration and marginal particulars should be in the applicant's own handwriting.

(h) Name and qualification of person verifying the Declaration (see Rule 4 at back), viz.:—
Political Officer, Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Police Officer not below the rank of Superintendent or Notary Public resident in India.

Specimen signature of applicant which will be detached and affixed to the Passport when issued.

Specimen signature of wife if to be included on the Passport.

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DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

Age 24 years
Profession ~~Watchman~~ Watchman
Maiden name and place and date of birth of widow or married woman travelling singly —
Height 5 *feet* 8 *inches*
Forehead Medium.
Eyes Dark brown.
Nose Medium
Mouth Medium.
Chin Blunt. Short beard.
Colour of Hair Black.
Complexion Dark brown.
Face Long
Any special peculiarities Scar on right ear

DESCRIPTION OF WIFE OF APPLICANT IF TO BE INCLUDED ON THE PASSPORT.

Names in full
Age
Profession
Place and date of birth
Maiden name
Height *feet* *inches*
Forehead
Eyes
Nose
Mouth
Chin
Colour of Hair
Complexion
Face
Any special peculiarities

Names, ages, and sex of children under the age of 16 if to be included on the Passport.

PASSPORT REGULATIONS.

1. Applications for Indian Passports must be made in the prescribed form, printed on the back of these regulations, and submitted either direct or through the local authority—

(a) in the case of a resident in British India, to the Local Government or Local Administration concerned.

(b) in the case of a resident in a Native State, to the Agent to the Governor-General or Political Resident concerned.

2. The charge for an Indian Passport is Re. 1.

3. Indian Passports are granted to :—

(a) Natural-born British Subjects.

(b) Wives and widows of such persons.

(c) Persons naturalized in the United Kingdom, in the British Colonies or in India.

(d) Subjects of Native States in India.

A married woman is deemed to be a subject of the State of which her husband is for the time being a subject.

4. Passports are granted upon the production of a declaration by the applicant in the prescribed form of application verified by a declaration made by a *Political Officer, Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Police Officer not below the rank of Superintendent* or *Notary Public*, resident in India.

5. If the applicant for a Passport be a Naturalized British subject, the certificate of naturalization must be forwarded with the form of application to the Officer empowered to grant the Passport. It will be returned with the Passport to the applicant through the person who may have verified the declaration.

Naturalized British Subjects will be described as such, in their Passports, which will be issued subject to the necessary qualifications.

6. Small duplicate unmounted photographs of the applicant (and wife, if to be included) must be forwarded with the application for a Passport, one of which must be certified on the back by the person verifying the declaration made in the application form.

7. Indian Passports are not available beyond two years from the date of issue. They may be renewed, *in India only*, for four further periods of two years each after which fresh Passports must be obtained. The fee for each renewal is Re. 1.

8. Passports cannot be issued or renewed on behalf of persons already abroad : such persons should be told to apply for Passports to the London Foreign Office or nearest British Mission or Consulate. Passports must not be sent out of India by post.

9. In the case of an applicant for a Passport being unable to write English a transcription in English should be placed below the applicant's vernacular signature in the form of application. In the case of an illiterate person, a thumb impression should be substituted for a signature on the form of application, which should be certified by the person verifying the declaration.

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Home (*) Dept

Letter No. 1021-1 23.3.18

Rep.

The Chief Secy to the Govt of the Panjab

(with pp 3-7 cf in original)

Sir,

In continuation of this Govt's letter No 198 d the 7th March 1918, I am directed to state that one Ganda Singh a resident of Amritsar in the Markana district of the Panjab province has applied for a passport to enable him to proceed to Singapore. From the papers in his possession (enclosed in original) it is observed that he was employed as a watchman under a Company in Singapore. ~~He says he made~~ an application for a passport in his own province but was told to go to Madras and obtain one from the Commr of Police

I am to request that with the permission of His Honour the Lieut Govr this Govt may be informed if there is any objection

OM 23/3

Recd for spl with encls MCS 23.3.18 J

pp 3-7 cf

with pp 6 cf

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to the grant of a passport to the applicant.

22.3.18

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22-3-18.

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28 MAR 1918

Madras
28/3/18

To

The Secretary to Government
Home Department

Ref
Please dispose
of Mr. ~~Appointt~~
LWS
D.3/4/8

I have Explained the position to him & told him that we would ourselves send a wire. ~~[illegible]~~. He wants the pass~~[illegible]~~
port at least by the 3rd April, when he understands a boat leaves for Singapore. He says that he has unfortunately missed the one which sails tomorrow.
28/3/18

Respected Sir,

I beg to bring to Your kind notice that I am employed in the Central Indian Wood Factory at Singapore as a Watchman on 15 dollars. I came from Singapore on leave for 7 months to go to my native place, Ummritsar in Punjab. Now as I want to go and join my duty at Singapore, I humbly request that You will be good enough to grant me a passport. If Your honour requires my whereabouts fully I will pay the telegram charges by which You can ascertain my whereabouts. I am working as a Watchman in the said factory under Mr. Thompson, Manager of the factory.

For which I shall ever feel thankful.

I beg to remain
Respected Sir
Your most obedt servant
~~[illegible]~~
Watchman.

Name Handa Singh
in Hindi

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Home (Pol.) Dept

Telegram

To

Chief Secretary to the
Govt. of the Punjab.

Ton. Despd
RE
28/3

Pp3-4

86 My letter 23rd instant. Passport for Ganda Singh. Application urgent. Please telegraph reply.

LWS
28.3.18

M.D.R.
25.3.18

D 28/3

Post copy.

Telegram

To

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of the Punjab.

My telegram 86 28th March Passport for Ganda Singh. Very early reply requested.

M.D.R.
4.4.18

Fdek
4.4.18

Post copy.

~~Home (Misc.)~~ C. No. 1242
5.4.18

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
5 APR 1918
GOVT OF MADRAS

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O.S. POSTS & TELEGRAPHS.

MADRAS
No.
5 APR 18

Received here at ______H.______M.

O PK LAHORE CIVIL SECT 4 STE 32 HOME MADRAS =

7749= P YOUR 86 OF 28 TH GANDA SINGH STOP PLEASE
STATE PARENTAGE CASTE VILLAGE & TAHSIL OF APPLICANT
MARHANA IS NOT A DISTRICT IN PUNJAB
ADDITIONAL PUNJAB : 90 7749= D 86 28

This form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

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Home (Misc) Deptt.

Telephonic Message

From the U. S., Home Deptt.
To the Commissioner of Police. Madras

Your letter C No. 192/P.P. of the 20th March 1918 forwarding passport application of Ganda Singh. Please enquire and let me know particulars as to his parentage caste, village and tahsil. ~~There~~ The Punjab Govt. have telegraphed for information on these points.

[illegible] 5.4.

MDK
5.4.18.

Pdek.
5.4.18

Issued
[illegible]
5/4 [illegible]

285/4

Recd [illegible]
MWS
6.4.18

Post Copy

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Home (Misc) Dept

Telegram

To

The Chief Secretary,
the Punjab Govt.

98. Your telegram 7749 P
4th. Ganda Singh.
Father's name. Nihal Singh.
Caste. Jat ~~Sikh~~ Sikh.
Village. Marhana,
Patti Samsaki. ~~Sarhali~~
~~Kalan~~. Post office Sarhali Kalan.
Tahsil. Tarantaran
District. Amritsar.
Very ~~repl~~ early reply
requested.

L.W.S.
5.4.18.

H.D.R.
5.4.18.

Pded.
5.4.18

Despd.
5.4.18.

Recd. [illegible]
6.4.18.

Post copy
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10 Home (Misc.) C. No. 1360
2-20 PM
19.4.18

C. POSTS TELEGRAPHS.

NOTICE.

This form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this Telegram.

Charges to pay. Rs. As.

Office Stamp. STONEHOUSEHILL 19 APR. 18

Handed in at (Office of Origin). Madras F
Date. 19
Hour. 13
Minute. 5
Service Instructions. Rate
Words. 37

Recd. here at 14 H. 10 M.

TO Superhome Ooty Stone House Hill

following telegram dated 18th Received from additional punjab begins 369 Reference your telegram 97 of fifth inst no local objection to granting passport to jaidasingh of Makhana ends

= Superhome =

N.B.—The name of the Sender, if telegraphed, is written after the text.

Lal Chand & Sons, Calcutta.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
19 APR 1918
HOME DEPT.

x
please refer ~~to~~ at this telegram to only

Dupl
CfH
19.4.18

POSTS TELEGRAPHS.

OFFICE.

This form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this Telegram.

Charges to pay.		Office Stamp.
Rs.	As.	MADRAS-FORT 19 AP 18

Handed in at (Office of Origin).	Date.	Hour.	Minute.	Service Instructions.	Words.
Lahore civil	sieft 18 15 hrs			Ste Redtd at pms	

TO Home madras Fort St George

Recd. here at 10/25 32 M.

369 refce your telegram 97 of 5th inst no local objection to granting passport to gaidasin of marhana additional Punjab

N.B.—The name of the Sender, if telegraphed, is written after the text.

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Passport.

(Ch 1041) From the Commissioner of Police, Madras
C No. 192/PD, 18 d 20-3-1918

For the US.

It ~~is clear~~ appears from the Commissioner's letter that he is not in a position to recommend the grant of a passport in the case of this applicant. In view of the instructions of the Government of India conveyed in their letter dated the 18th September 1916 regarding the issue of passports to residents of other Provinces, it would seem necessary to make a reference to the Punjab Government ~~in this~~ before a passport can be granted in the present case. Draft letter put up.

page 2 of GO 204 d 7-10-16.
K.

22-3-18.

~~But the application is required under signature of the [illegible] Commissioner.~~

The orders of the G of I. leave us no alternative. Draft for approval.

23.3.18

approved
LWS
23.3.18

(Letter 1041 – 1 d 23.3.18)

The applicant Ganda Singh requests that the Punjab Govt. may be requested by telegram to wire reply. It is for orders whether the cost should be recovered from him. The cost would be ~~about~~ only about Rs 1-4-0 including Punjab's reply.

Draft telegram is subd.

MDR
25.3.18

AHL
25.3.18.

S.

I am not in favour of issuing telegrams to other Govts at the request of all & sundry. He could have applied for his passport in better time if there was any urgency.

25.3

In any case as letter to Punjab Govt. was only despd on 23rd it is too early to wire. We might wire on 28th or so.

LWS
25.3.18.

Submitted for orders whether a ~~pas~~ telegram may be sent ~~to~~ to-day. If so, the draft put up on the 25th instant is for approval.

MDR
28.3.18

Issue
LWS
28.3.18

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(Telegram No 86 of 28.3.18)

The reply of the Punjab Govr. has not been received. The applicant ~~came~~ came to

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office and requested ~~for~~ for very early issue of a passport. He represents that he is put to heavy ~~expenditure~~ expense on account of the delay. It is for orders whether a reminder telegram may be sent.

Draft telegram is Subd.

TDK
4.4.18

Rdck
4.4.18

(~~not~~ sent to Sec)

S.

I don't think we shd send it.

4.8

(G. No. 1242) From the Punjab Govt. Telegram No 7749 d/ 4.4.18

Draft telephonic message to the Commissioner of Police, requesting him to obtain the particulars asked for by the Punjab Govt. is submitted.

TDK
5.4.18

Rdck
5.4.18

Issue
5.4.18

The applicant came to office and furnished the following information to the Registrar:—

Fathers name. Nihal Singh.
Caste . Jat. Sikh.
Village . Marhana, Patti Samsaki P.O. Sarhali Kalan.
Tahsil . Tarantaran.
District Amritsar.

The particulars may be telegraphed

to the Punjab Govt.

Draft telegram is submitted.

MDR
5.4.18

LWS
5.4.18

5.4.18

Please see the reply telegram of the Punjab Govt. A passport may now be granted. The passport prepared in March last is subd., with draft order.

MDR
19.4.18.

19.4.18

Home (Miscellaneous) Department.

Passport.-

Granting a ——— to Ganda Singh

travelling to ~~Ceylon,~~ the Straits Settlements, ~~the Federated Malay States.~~

Read:-

C. No. 1041 From the ~~District Magistrate,~~ Commissioner of Police, Madras, C No. 172/BP d/ 20-3-18
~~Resident in Travancore & Cochin,~~ ~~No~~
II Letter No. 1041-I d/ 23.3.18.
~~dated the~~ From the Punjab Govt. III d/ 18-4-18

ORDER:- Mis. No. 394 dated the 19-4-18.

A passport is ~~Passports are~~ granted.

I.D.R
19-4-18.

To the ~~District Magistrate,~~ Commr. of Police, Madras.
~~Resident in Travancore and Cochin.~~

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READ AGAIN G.O. No. , DATED
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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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