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Home (1918) Department.

(Miscellaneous)

Ordinary SERIES.

G.O. No. 589

DATED 6-8-1918.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Council Resolution.

Recording papers relating to a ---- proposed to be moved by the Hon'ble Mr. Rama Ayyangar but which was disallowed on the subject of promotion of officers of Government.

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G.O. 547 W. of 4.4.16
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634 W of 16.5.08 } &c

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

SUBJECT.—No. XVIII for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 13-8- 1918

SUBMITTED that two copies of this Resolution may be forwarded to ~~the~~ All Departments with reference to Nos. (1) and (4) of the rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with these Resolutions in the Legislative Council. Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due course.

V. T. K.
13-7-18

Leg U.O. No. 1555, dated 13.7.18

To

The Home (Miscellaneous) Department. Mitta Resolu. XVIII.

14-JUL-1918

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Amended

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL (LEGISLATIVE) DEPARTMENT.
All Departments.

Resolution on matters of general public interest.

The Hon'ble Mr. K. RAMA AYYANGAR :—

XVIII. This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that ~~the rules of the departments relating to promotions of officers permanently in service be strictly adhered to~~ whatever may be the principles adopted by the Government in the matter of the entertainment of new officers to service.

[Meeting of the 13th August 1918]

with respect to officers already permanently employed in Government Department, the rules of Seniority being generally the deciding factor for promotion, be strictly adhered to.

The resolution [illegible]
to amalgamate the entertainment of
new officers in prejudice of the
claims of men already in service
This is a general question
is for consideration in the [illegible]
(Rule 2) [illegible]
[illegible] that the
may be [illegible]

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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~~1240~~ 1948
PUBLIC

14.7.18

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V. T. K.
13.7.18

Leg U.O. No. 1555-I, dated 13-7-18

Home (Misc) U.O. No 2057
Kgr 16.7.18

To

The Public Department. with Resoln. XVIII

REGISTRY HOME DEPARTMENT
15 JUL 1918
GOVT. OF INDIA

Jor V. S.

The resolution seems to aim against the entertainment of new officers in prejudice ~~of~~ the claims to promotion of men already in service. This is a general question which is for consideration in the Home (Misc) Dept.

He may mean this but he has not expressed it clearly.

Submitted that the question may be transferred to that Dept.

Jmz.
15.7.18.

15.7.18

Will Home (Misc) like the resolution?

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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15-7-18

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Regr 15-7-18

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V.T.K.
13.7.18

Leg U.O. No. 1555-1, dated 13.7.18

To

The Local & Sml (Plague) Department. with Resoln. XVIII

Lcl (Pl) Dep

u.s.

There are no officers under the administrative control of the Plague section. The file may be transferred ~~no~~ to Home (Mis) who will presumably deal with the resolution for all depts

L & M. U.O. No. 1212 Pl.-1
15.7.18

15.7.18

V.T.K.
15.7.18

Fin u.o

Home (Mis)

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
15-JUL-1918
GOVT. OF INDIA

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL (LEGISLATIVE) DEPARTMENT.
All Departments.

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[Meeting of the 13th August 1918]

L. & M. (Med.) Dept

U.S.

Officers belonging to the medical services are paid on a time scale and promotions depend on length of service, except in the senior grades where merit is ~~also~~ taken into consideration. The Resolution hardly affects these services.

2 As regards subordinate establishments in the medical dept, such as clerical and nursing staffs, ward ~~[illegible]~~ attendants in hospitals, etc, it is presumed that promotions ordinarily depend on seniority. It does not seem possible to lay down any hard and fast rule on the subject. The matter will have to be left largely to the discretion of heads of offices & depts.

3 As the Resolution affects several depts, Home (Mis) will presumably take charge of it. The file may be transferred to that dept u.o.

KM
15-7-18

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V.T.K
16/7

Home (Mis) u.

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16/7/18

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Home (Mis) u.o.
No 2058
Regr 16-7-18

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
16-JUL-1918
GOVT. OF MADRAS

Home (Edn.) Deptt.

Submitted that there are no special rules ~~[illegible]~~ in the Educational Deptt. in regard to the promotion of officers. Ordinarily promotion goes according to seniority though merit is an important consideration especially in the higher grades.

2. As the resolution is general it is presumed that the Home (Mis) Deptt. will deal with it. This file may be sent to that Deptt.

SK
16/7/18.

CR
16.7.18

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17/7/18

Mis (Hd)

Home (Edn.) No.
No. 1826 A[illegible] 1
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No. 2069
[illegible] 17-7-18

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CHIEF SECRETARIAT
14 JUL 1918
MADRAS GOVT.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT NO. ~~0709~~ 6049
FINANCIAL

Regd 14.7.18.

Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

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V.T.K
13.7.18

Leg U.O. No. 1551, dated 13-7-18

To

The Financial Department. with Resoln. XVIII

~~What has this to do with Financial?~~

Financial Dept.

L. C. Resln. re Promotion of officers.

[C.No. 6049] From the L. and M. (Legve.) Dept. No. 1555-1 & 13-7-18.

For the Asst. Secy.

Please see paras 4 and 9 under Standing Order No. 128 in B.S.O. Vol I, which lay down certain principles for the promotion of officers in the Rev. Dept. The practice in the offices of* under the control of Financial is apparently in accordance with ~~similar to~~ the rules laid down in the B.S.O. (There is no exact information on the point in the office).

* Stationery Office
Govt Press
M. Ro

2 The case may be passed on to Home (Mis) Dept. who will ~~it is understood,~~ presumably ~~will~~ take charge of the Resln. as a general matter.

Pub. has transferred the Resn. to Home (Mis)
JB

Stuart
16.7.18.

JB
16.7.18

I would follow the additional members also. [illegible].

16.7.18

File no 6049-1
17.7.18.

Home (Mis)

I expect the resoln. will be disallowed for vagueness.
17.7.18

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
18 JUL 1918
GOVT. OF MADRAS

Home (Mis) &
No 2073
Regr 18-7-18.

L. & M. (iv) 9—500—1-2-18.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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13 JUL 1918

CURRENT NO.
~~2424~~
ECCLESIASTICAL

419

Recd 14.7.18

Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

SUBJECT.—No. XVIII for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 13 – 8 – 1918.

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V. T. K.
13.7.18

Leg. U.O. No. 1556-1, dated 13-7-18

To

The Public (Eccl) Department. with Resoln. XVIII

Pub Dept
(Eccl)

So far as the ministerial officers of the Eccl deptt are concerned there do not seem to be any special rules governing their promotions in permanent service. The rules, if any, applicable to the officers of the other services are equally applicable to ~~them~~ these officers also.

2/ The pay + promotions of Chaplains are the Indian Eccl. Estt. (both Church of England & Church of Scotland) are governed by the rules appended to GO No 35 Pub (Eccl) of 9. 4. 18. These officers are on a time scale of pay. They have to be on probation for 2 years and during this period will get a ~~pay of~~ salary at the rate of Rs 5,760 per annum. On their confirmation as junior Chaplains they will get Rs 6,360 per annum for 5 years and thereafter Rs 8,160 per annum until promoted to be Senior Chaplains. A junior chaplain becomes a Senior Chaplain after 10 years' service, excluding the period of promotion. Senior Chaplains are paid at the rate of Rs 10,200 per annum for five years & then Rs 12,000 per annum. These rules are strictly observed in the case of these officers provided their character and work are certified by the Bishop to be satisfactory.

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para 8 of Appendix I & para 4 of Appendix II ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ to the GO at H

vide para 14 in Appendix I & para 9 of Appendix II to the GO at H

3/ Submitted that with the above remarks the file may be transferred to Home (mis) who will presumably deal with ~~it was understood~~ the Resolution ~~in~~ as it relates to a general question ~~dealt with as it is a matter of~~ affecting all depts. ~~general public interest~~.

DH
17.7.18

~~Home (Mis) et No 2076 Regr 18-7-18~~

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
18 JUL 1918
GOVT. OF MADRAS

Pub (Eccl) No. 419-1
17.7.18

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17/7/18

Home (mis)

Revl (Sep. Rev) Dept.

To Under Secy,

Please see the Resolution on p. ~~2C1~~ 2 ante which the H. A. A proposes to move at the next meeting of the Legve Council. The General principles to be observed in making promotions of officers belonging to the Salt ~~and~~ Abkari & Customs department are embodied in para. 739 A of the Salt Manual, Vol II.

2 As a result of certain irregularities observed by the Govt. in the Commrs recommendation roll of 1911, H. E the Governor issued certain instructions ~~to the Commr~~ to be followed by the Commr in recommending the promotions of officers — vide G.O. 8 9-7-11 on pp 64-65 of S. R. Notes 65. It will be seen therefrom that the chief principles are

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(1) in the case of promotions from one class to another, the question of efficiency and of fitness to perform the duties of the higher class of appointment form the first consideration seniority being of secondary importance etc.

(2) in the case of promotions from grade to grade, seniority should determine the question unless an officer has been guilty of misconduct or negligence or is not qualified under the examination rules, etc

These are strictly observed at present

in making the promotions of officers, full reasons being given by the Govmt. in cases of supersession ~~by the Govmt.~~ of officers

With these remarks the file may be transferred to Home (Mis) dept, where it is understood, the question is being dealt with.

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GH
17/7/18

W.F. 17/7

17.7.18

17.7.18

Sep. Rev. No 1083-1
17.7.18

BAR HOME DEPARTMENT
17 JUL-1918
OF MADRAS

Home (Mis) dt
No 2020
Regr 17-7-18

Home Dept w.o.

L. & M. (iv) 9—500—1-2-18.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

13 JUL 1918

CURRENT No ~~0880~~ 1209
POLITICAL

Regd 14-7-18

Resolutions on matters of General Public Interest.

SUBJECT.—No. XVIII for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on the 13—8— 1918.

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U. T. K.
13.7.18

Leg U.O. No. 1555-1, dated 13.7.18

To

The Public (Political) Department. with Resoln. XVIII

Pub. Depᵗ
(Pol)

So far as ministerial officers of this depᵗ are concerned there do not seem to be any special rules governing their promotions in permanent service. The general rules, if any, on the subject are applicable to these officers also.

2/ The Pol. officers and the Paymaster are all I. C. S officers and this depᵗ is not concerned with their promotions. [The Public section deals with matters relating to the I. C. S officers and a copy of the Resolution has been sent to that dept. for taking the necessary action]

3/ Submitted that with the foregoing remarks the file may be transferred to Home (mis) who ~~should~~ will presumably deal with the Resolution as it relates to a general question affecting all depts.

DN 17.7.18

Home (mis) at
No 2075
Rgr 18.7.18.

Pub (Pol) No. 1209-1
17.7.18

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To Home (mis) ws

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT [illegible] JUL-1918 GOVT OF MADRAS

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT 18 JUL-1918 GOVT OF MADRAS

8 (b)—15,005—27-1-16.

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[redacted] Public Works Department

D.W./W

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Please see copy of the Resolution No.XVIII on page 2 ante which the Hon'ble Mr.K.Rama Ayyangar proposes to move at the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on 13th August 1918.

2. The perm^t establishment ~~statement~~ of the P.W.D. consists of the following classes:-

(1) Engineer establishment

(2) Upper Subordinate establishment

(3) Lower Subordinate establishment

(4) Office establishment

3. Engineer establishment - The rules regarding the promotion of officers on the Engineer establishment (both Imperial and Provincial, the two classes being borne on one list) are contained in the marginally noted orders. It will be seen from these orders

G.O. No 634 W. d/16.5.08. E
" 816 W d/15.6.12 J
" 547 W. d/4.4.16. V

(1) that promotion in the Assistant and Executive Engineer class is regulated by a time scale, that the annual increments are ~~to be~~ given for approved service only and that an Asst: Engineer passes into the Executive Engr: class provided (a) he has completed a certain term of service and (b) that he is reported to be fit in all respects for the charge of a division

(2) that promotion to the ranks of Superintending Engineer and Chief Engineer go by selection x from the most competent and otherwise suitable Executive and Superintending Engineers respectively seniority being taken account of only when other qualifications are equal.

x The principle of selection is explained in para.4 on page 3 of G.O. No.547-W, d/4-4-16
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4. Upper Subordinate establishment - The Upper Subordinates on the permanent establishment are divided

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into 3 classes, viz.

(a) Sub Engineers

(b) Supervisors

and (c) Overseers

each class being again divided into grades.

'9' The principles regulating promotions on this establishment are laid down in the Chief Engineer's Circular Memo No.552-D, dated 23-7-13. It will be seen from this Circular

(a) that promotions ~~within~~ from grade~~s~~ to grade in the ~~of~~ Overseer and Supervisor class~~es~~ and from the Overseer to the Supervisor class go by seniority combined with merit,

(b) that promotions to the Sub Engineer class go by selection of only those who have proved their fitness for the charge of a P.W.D.Sub-division, and

(c) that promotions to the 1st and 2nd grades of the Sub Engineer class go by a further selection of the most competent and suitable men.

5. Lower Subordinate establishment - There is a separate scale for each Circle and for each of the Chief Engineers' offices. These are treated as separate units for purposes of promotion, and it is left to the discretion of the head of each Circle and office to regulate promotions on this establishment which in the lower grades go as a rule by seniority combined with efficiency, and in the top grades by selection.

6. Office establishment - The remarks under Lower Subordinate establishment apply to office establishment also.

7. The rules for promotion under each class are being strictly adhered to. in the case of officers permanently in the service.

8. Information

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UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
20 JUL 1918
LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

8. Information has not yet been received as to whether the proposed Resolution has been admitted by the President, or ~~xx~~ as regards the Department which will take charge of it and furnish the necessary reply at the Council meeting.

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9. The case may, after perusal by H.M.(P.W.D.) be forwarded to the L & M (Legislative) Department u.o. with the request that it may be transferred to the Department which is to be in charge of the Resolution for further necessary action.

TBR
17.7.18

WJM
18.7.18.

18.7.18

H.M (P.W.D.)

19.7.18

19.7.18

P.W.D.C-39
19.7.18
Received
20.7.18

DW

The file may now be forwarded to L & M (Legislative) u.o. with refce to A. above.

20.7.18

TBR
20.7.18

WJM
20/7.

P.W.U.O. No. 1265/2-1
DATED 20.7.18

L & M (Leg)

L & M (Legis) Dept.

As the resolution is vague & does not raise a specific issue, it has been returned

NOTES.

[A copy of the letter addressed to The H.A.M. is being sent to The depts].

to The Add^l. Member with the request that it may be suitably amended & an amended resolution forwarded as early as possible. The depts. concerned will be informed as soon as the amended resolution is received.

It is submitted that the file may be transferred to The Home (Mis). dept. who will presumably take charge of the resolution.

CVR
20.7.18

V.TK
20/7

Home (Mis) u.o

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20/7

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20/7/18

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Home (Mis)
A. 2097
22.7.18

Resolution on matters of general public interest.

The Hon'ble Mr. K. Rama Ayyangar:--

All departments.

XVIII. This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the rules of the departments relating to promotions of officers permanently in service be strictly adhered to whatever may be the principles adopted by the Government in the matter of the entertainment of new officers to service.

Resolution as amended will be found on p 2 ante

There are not elaborate rules on the subject of the promotion of officers permanently in Government service. The principles to be observed in the matter as ~~thus~~ laid down by Government ~~is~~ are given in para 9 of Boards Standing Order~~s~~ No.128 and ~~is~~ are as follows:--

"Subject to considerations of honesty and efficiency, men who have devoted their past lives to the Public Service have a moral claim to advancement to higher appointments. Such claims should always receive full consideration; but no official should, simply on the ground of seniority in service, be promoted to a post, the duties of which he is not competent to discharge."

Revenue (Spl.) department.

For the U.S.

Forests and Marine.

The principles governing the promotions of the controlling executive and protective staff of the Forest dept. are laid down in Sections 34 to 42 of the Madras Forest Code. As regards the Marine dept. the present cadre of Port service is divided into two sections, one comprising three selection appointments and the other containing 12 appointments on a time scale of pay. In regard to the three selection appointments "the claims of seniority only prevail when there is no difference of capacity" - vide para. 2 of G.O., No. 207, Marine, dated the 27th June 1912. As an instance in which the Govt. promoted an officer by reason of merit, please see G.O., R. No. 127, Marine, dated 24-9-1915 and para. 1 on page 2 of notes in that G.O.

para 4 of 63 B 28-2-12

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removed

So far as the clerical staff are concerned, their appointments and promotions are governed by the principles laid down in B.S.O. No. 128 (1), (2) and 9.

The Resolution at page 2 supra presupposes that the above rules are not strictly observed. There appears to be no ground for such a presumption. The resolution is a general one affecting all departments under Govt. and will have to be considered in the Home (Mis) dept. to which the file may now be transferred.

S. R.
18-7-18
G.S.
20-7-18
S.D.S.
20-7-18

Home (Mis) F
G.O.

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M. V. V.
18-7-18

Rev. no. 1352 B/18-1
22-7-18

The Home Secy has agreed to the Home (Mis) Depts dealing with the Resoln.

REGISTRAR, HOME DEPARTMENT
22-JUL-1918
GOVT. OF MADRAS

Home (Mis) u.o. No. 2111
22-7-18

Financial (Pension) Dept.

[Ct. 417]

From the L & M. Dept. u.o. Leg. No. 1558-1 d/ 13-7-18

Subject: L. C. Resolution No. XVIII on the rules regarding the entertainment & promotion of officers

For the Asst. Secy.

Orders regarding admission will be communicated in due course.

please see commn. since recd. from Legve. - p. 2 of ct.

p. 1 ante

2. The Hon'ble Mr. K. Rama Ayyangar proposes to move that the rules of the departments relating to promotions of officers permanently in service be strictly adhered to whatever may be the principles adopted by the Govt. in the matter of the entertainment of new officers to service. Submitted that, as there are no officers or heads of departments under the Pension Department, the points raised in the resolution ~~[illegible]~~ need not be examined in this Dept. With these remarks the ~~go~~ resolution may, it is submitted, be ~~has~~ returned u.o to L & M (Leg.)

p. 1 c.f.

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L & M (Leg.) Dept.

The file may be passed on to the Home (Mis) Dept who will, presumably, take charge of the resolution

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27.7

Home (Mis) u.o

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
29. JUL. 1918
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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
24. JUL. 1918
LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

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MADRAS

Government of Madras.

Local and Municipal(Legislative) Department.

No.1555-2.

From

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The Hon'ble Mr.R.A.Graham, I.C.S.,

Acting Secretary to the Government of Madras.

To

The Hon'ble Mr.K.Rama Ayyangar.

Dated Ootacamund, the 20th July 1918.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that your resolutions on the subjects noted in the margin have been admitted by His Excell the President.

XV. Admission of students to the Intermediate course.

XVI. Posting of Police officers to their native districts.

XVII. Extension of the system of non-official chairmen and presidents in certain districts.

2. As your resolution rela to principles guiding promoti of officers is vague and doe not raise a specific issue as its meaning is hardly clear, I am to return it to you wit request that you will be good enough to amend it suitably an send the amended resolution as early as possible.

3. The resolution regarding the opening of high and mid schools in certain localities with the help of Provincial has been disallowed, as it does not relate to a matter o public interest in the true sense and the last four word its"definite"character-vide rule 4.

I have the honour to

Sir,

Your most obedient

R.A.Graham,

Ag.Secretary to G

Copy the Home(Education) Dept.
Home(Judicial) Dept.
Local & Municipal(Local) Dept.
" (Municipal) Dept.
other departments(with reference to para 2).

Copy of Resolution as amended by Addl. Member.

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that with respect to officers already permanently employed in Government Department, the rules of seniority being generally the deciding factor for promotion, be strictly adhered to whatever may be the principle adopted by the Government to promote officers hereafter entertained".

From

The Hon'ble Mr. R.A. Graham, I.C.S.,

Acting Secretary to the Government of Madras,

To

The Hon'ble Mr. K. Rama Ayyangar,

Dated, Ootacamund, the 29th July 1918.
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Sir,

I am directed to inform you that the resolution regarding principles guiding promotions of officers, which you forwarded in an amended form with your letter of the 24th instant, has been disallowed under rule 4(b) as not being clearly and precisely expressed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

R.A. Graham,

Ag. Secretary to Government.

Copy to all departments (with copy of Resolution as amended by Additional Member.)

Home (Cons) Depts

~~Lodged~~

Home (Mis)

F.A.R.
10-8-18

LEGISLATIVE HOME DEPARTMENT
30-JUL-1918

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Government of Madras.

Local and Municipal (Legislative) Department.

No.1555-2 Leg.

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

R.A. Graham
~~XXX~~ Acting Secretary to Government.

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opy to Home (Judicial) Dept.
opy to the Local and Municipal (Local) Dept.
y to the Local and Municipal (Municipal) Dept
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What the Hon'ble Additional Member has in view is apparently that in filling up vacancies, the claims, for promotion, of officers already in service should be taken into account irrespective of the question of caste. Submitted that this principle is usually observed so far as ~~txxx~~ appointments under this Secretariat are concerned, and ~~Submitted~~ that with these remarks the resolution may be forwarded to Home (Miscellaneous) where a consolidated note will have to be prepared.

18/7/18

V.TK
20/7

Home (Mis) U.O.

Lr of U.O.No. 3890-1L
20.7.18.

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
20-JUL-1918
GOVT. OF MADRAS

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Home (Mis) U.O.
No 2095
20-7-18

For the Regr.

Home dept
(Mis)

This may go u.o
to Reo in continuation of the
main file.

22/7/18

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UNDER SECY. TO GOVT.
-JUL-1918
REVENUE DEPT.

Home (Mis) U.O.

Intimation as to admission of the Resolution not received from Legve,

Revenue Dep

To Under Secretary

Please see the Legislative Council Resolution at pa 1 above.

2. So far as Revenue Departm is concerned appointments and promotions of officer are governed by the principles en ciated in B.S.O. No. 128(1)(2) & 128 (9). The resolut presupposes that the principles emb therein are not followed at prese There seems to be no ground for su presumption. Further the resolut as it stands, seems to be vague. A the resolution is a general one affecting all departments of Govt. it is submitted that it ~~should be~~ seems to be one for ~~dealt~~ consideration in Home (Mis) Dept. That Dept. may be requested to state whether they will accept the transfer of the file.

P.1. 233-34, B.S.O. Vol I

It is understood that Public Dept. have sent the copy of the resolution to Home (Mis) Dept with a similar request)

S.U. 16/7/18

RR 16.7.18

3. So far as promotions dy. collrs. are concerned, unde * rule VII of the ~~Govt. of India~~ P.C.S. Rules issued by the Gov of India the Local Govt.

M.R.O. A & F Sections & ~~Separate~~

(Sep Rev has received copy of the Resolution from Legve)

.6 of G.O. 409 Pub. E.

of the Provincial Civil service without regard to seniority, and seniority alone should not give a claim to appointment to the grade of Rs 500 a month and higher grades". In Nov. 1917 the Hon'ble Member said that in his opinion grade promotions should be given automatica upto and including the fourth grade on Rs 500, unless ther a definite blackmark agains an individual and it is desi to punish him by withholdin such promotion. This however does not amount to a definit abandonment of the limit prescribed in the Govt. of India Res quoted above.

P. 3 of D.C. notes 1450
Extract flagged (K)

VP.
17.7.18.

S/ I suppose the Resolution d mean something but I don't quite know what it Home (Misc). may be asked if they will take Resol: whether Rev. can give them any furth

JK
18.7.18

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
18 JUL 1918
GOVT. OF MA

Home dept
(Mis)

For the Regr..

There are no rules in respect of the permanent promotion of officers under this dept as the establishments with which this dept is concerned are comparatively very small. The Resolution aims at the strict adherence to the rules of the depts in making permanent promotions without allowing any other factor to influence the consideration of the case, for instance the fact of a man belonging to a particular community etc. Submitted that it appears desirable that the dept.. which is concerned with the administration of large establishments, & which has framed special rules governing the permanent promotion of officers, such as Rev should take charge of the Resolution. For orders whether that dept.. which seems to ~~the~~ most intimately concerned with the Resolution may be asked whether it will take charge of the Resolution.

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NOTES.

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I can guess the object of the resolution Latterly we are admitting in service non Brahmins in large numbers.

Some of them are probably admitted at the outset to posts higher than the bottom. To a certain extent it deprives the subordinates already in service of a step in promotion which otherwise they might reasonally look forward to.

2 There are no inflexible departmental rules of ~~recognition~~ promotion. So the resolution is meaningless. All that we can say is that ~~Expect~~ expect that no one will be passed over in favour of a less qualified person (outsider or insider)

3. I see no objection to the Mis dept dealing with the resolution.

4 Orders requested

a) if other depts should be consulted

b) if the resolution should be discussed in the Ex Council.

c) if the resoln should be disposed

& d) if so, will H.M. (Mis) take charge of the resolution -

17/7/18

HM

Revenue is most interested in the Resolution and may be asked if they can explain it—

18.7.18

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME DEPARTMENT
19-JUL-1918

FD Rev (M)

19/7/18

Home (Mis) No 2040-1
19-7-18

Recd. Su
20/7/18

Revenue Dept

To Under Secretary

With reference to the Honourable Mr. Gillman's notes above it is submitted that, it does not appear that, this Department can add anything to the notes at pages 19-20 above. The Revenue Dept. notes have apparently not been seen by the Honourable Mr. Gillman.

Para 3, p22 above

2 The Home Dept. Secretary has agreed to deal with the Resolution and the Honourable Mr. Gillman's notes does not seem to express disagreement. The file may now be transferred to the Home (Mis) Dept.

Su.
20/7/18

Have orders about admission been received?

EH
20/7/18

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To Under Secretary 26/

With reference to the Under Secretary's note on page 23 above it is understood from the Legislative Dept. that the H. A. M. is being asked to amend the resolution so as to remove its vagueness and ~~may~~ make the meaning clear.

S.U.
20/7/18

S/ I don't think we can do anything more till we know what the Resol.n means. ~~[illegible]~~.

GM
20/7/18

I presume Legislative Dept. will tell us the result of their reference to the H. A. M.

W. 20/7

Dp (1) Legve U.O.

Rev. U.O. No. U.O. 1340 E/182
20-7-18

Intimation will be given to Revenue as soon as the revised resolution is received.

V.T.K.
20.7

Dp
20/7

L. & M. No. 1625-1 Leg.
20.7.18

Revenue U.O.

Await it

GM
21/7

To Under Secretary

The amended resolution ~~will~~ will be found on page 1 2 ante. The resolution as amended

~~Box~~ 14
cuc 5.8.18

P.I.C.F.

has been disallowed by His Excellency
Submitted that the papers may now be sent to Home (Mis) Dept. for record in that Dept.

S.U.
31/7/18

Home (Mis) No. G.H.
31/7/18

Dp FD

Rev. Wo. No. W.o 1340 E/18-3
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Home (Mis) Ct
No 2190
Hyd 1-8-18

Home (mis) Dept

Reg.

Submitted that the papers may be recorded.

L.C. ~~R~~ Resn.
Recording papers relating to a ~~[illegible]~~ moved proposed to be ~~asked~~ by the Hon'ble Mr. Rama Ayyangar but which was disallowed, on the subject of promotion of officers of Govt.

A.i.
2.8.18.

P.d.e.R.
2.8.18

Cm. dr. / Mis No. 5890, 6.8.18.

Recorded.

A.
3/8/18

For perusal by H.M./Mis.
5/8/18

H.M.

5.8.18

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