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[Despatch Abstract.]

Mr. A. H. Deane.

Recording papers relating to the grant of leave to ---

--- H. B. M's consul at Pondichery & Karaikal in addition to the privilege leave for which he is eligible.

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
OOTACAMUND.

2nd August 1918

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My 4-818

My dear Davidson,

I am to send you the accompanying D.O.
No.132 dated the 29th July from Mr.A.H.Deane, and to
ask you kindly to give it as early and speedy consi-
deration as is conveniently possible.

Yours sincerely,

W. S. S.

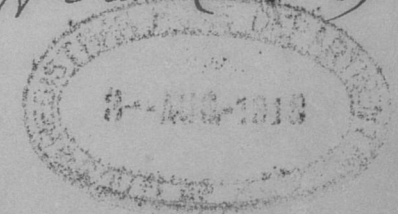
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The Hon'ble Mr.L.Davidson, C.S.I., I.C.S.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Stonehouse Hill, Ootacamund.

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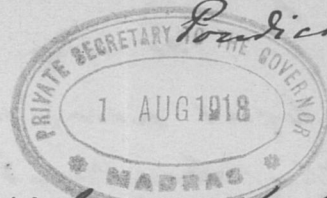
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D.O. No 132-

British Consulate

Pondicherry 29th July 1918



My dear Moir

I shall be much obliged if you will ask His Excellency kindly to grant me a short private interview the next time he visits Madras. H.E.'s time is so fully taken up that it is perhaps advisable that I should state before hand what is the object of my request.

I practically agreed to remain here as Consul till the war is over, but although willing to do so as long as possible, I regret that I cannot face another hot weather in Pondicherry. Had I been able to obtain the leave for which I applied last April, I might perhaps have got through next year with a short holiday, but unfortunately the ruling of the Accountant General that my service counting for privilege leave only commences from the 19th October 1917 (the date of the orders of the Government of India) practically nullified the object of the concession. I respectfully submit that this decision is not equitable, even if it is technically correct, which I do not admit, as under the Civil Service Regulations I became

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entitled to privilege leave ever since I entered
Government service. The only difficulty was the
grant to me of local allowance while not on
duty, vide the Chief Secretary's D.O. No. 2294-1
dated 17th April 1915, and D.O. No. 1096-5 dated
18th June 1915. However if the ruling of the Accountant
General is final the result is that I shall only
become entitled to about 6 weeks leave next year.
This might be sufficient for a younger man, but
after 50 years service in India I do not feel
equal to another hot weather in the plains, and
under the circumstances I am compelled to ask His
Excellency to permit me to resign on 1st March
next. Perhaps after explaining the fact it may
be unnecessary for me to trouble His Excellency for
a private interview, but Lord Pentland has always
been so kind and considerate towards me that
I should like to assure him personally that it is
not from any desire to shirk my duty that I ask
to be relieved, but simply because a very long
service in India makes it impossible for me
to continue to work under present conditions.

It is just possible also that in a private
interview, some way might be found of

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solving the difficulty if the
Government particularly wish
to retain my services till the
war is over.

Yours sincerely
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To
T. E. Moir Esq. C.I.E. I.C.S.
Private Secretary to
His Excellency The Governor.

Home (Misc) Dept.

Mr. Deane apparently refers to D.O. No. 1361-2 of 29-5-18, in which he was informed in the reply to his D.O. letter of the 15th April 18, that the Accountant General is of opinion that his service counting for privilege leave commences from the 19th Oct. 1917, the date of the sanction of the Govt. of India, and that as he has not yet completed 11 months of duty from that date, he is not eligible for privilege leave at present.

His statement that under the C.S.R. he became entitled to privilege leave ever since he entered Govt. service is not correct, for until the receipt of the sanction of the Govt. of India he was not entitled to any privilege leave, as he was receiving only a local allowance and no substantive pay. Please see in this connection para 4 of the Financial Dept. office note on page 25 of G.O. 952 of 18-6-15, in which it was pointed out that Mr. Deane could not be brought under any of the leave rules of the C.S.R. Please see also Accl. Genl's endorsement on page 3 of G.O. 658 of 27-4.

The difficulty therefore was not merely of granting him local allowance while not

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on duty as stated by him, but of granting him any privilege ^{leave} at all. It was to overcome this difficulty that he was permitted to spend a month each year from Pondicherry and discharge his duties at any place in British India - Vide D.O. 1096-5 dated the 18-6-15. The Accountant-General's opinion that his service counting for privilege leave commences from the 19th October 1917, seems correct. As the rules do not permit any privilege leave being granted to him for the present, - and he appears to be badly in need of a change, - it is for orders whether Govt. may permit him to absent himself from his head-quarters for a definite period this year and discharge his duties at any place in British India that he chooses. If the suggestion is approved, Financial may be consulted whether there is any objection to its sanction. ^{Presumably there is none.} In his D.O. of the 15th April 1918, he asked for permission to apply for privilege leave for 1 month and 18 days.

2. It would appear from his present D.O. that he is willing to continue in office till the war is over, if some means could be found of giving him a holiday now.

3. From para 4 of letter to India No. 251 dated 12-3-17 it will be seen that "the Governor in Council is anxious not to lose Mr. Deane's services as long as the war is in progress, and, if possible, till sometime after the conclusion of the war".

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Suppose he doesn't want
leave this year at all: it
is not his weather that is
worrying him. Suppose he takes

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priv. leave from 1.5.19, he
we have about six weeks due
which we can carry him on to,
the day, 15.6.19. ~~Now~~ The right
to privilege leave seems to have been
a special & definite concession
to the appointment & there is
nothing to show that Mr. Deane, as a
non-official, is entitled to any of
the other forms of leave sanctioned
by the C.S.D. If he were he
not continue his privilege leave
with extraordinary leave or special
leave, though, being without allowance,
that not suit him. The
simplest thing would be to allow
him to conduct his duties from
any place in the Prov. (as was
done before) for a period of
3 months in continuation of
any privilege leave due to
him. This may be asked to
advise whether there is any
technical objection to this



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In all, along
with his privilege
leave?



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The proposal is to permit Mr. Deane to conduct his duties from any place in the Presidency for a period of 3 months, any privilege leave he may be entitled to being included in that period.

2. Under D.O. 1096-S of 18.6.15 (page 31 of R.O. 952 Pub of 18.6.15) Mr. Deane is permitted to spend a month in each year away from Pondicherry and to discharge his duties during that month at any place in British India which he may select provided that no extra expense to the State is caused thereby.

3. Mr. Deane commences his privilege leave from 19.10.1917 (vide H.C.'s letter on page 2 of flag A). If as presumed in the Home Dept. R.S.'s note he is granted 6 weeks' p.l. from 1.5.1919 (which is about the period of leave he would have earned ^{*} then) he will have only about 2½ months to spend outside Pondicherry.

4. Privilege leave is understood to be a period in which the officer is absent from duty. The position will then be that Mr. Deane will be on

vide Home Dept's marginal remarks on the previous page

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6 weeks p.l. + 1 month
to spend outside Pondi-
cherry already permitted

p.l. to be weeks or so from 1.5.19, other arrangements being made for the discharge of his duties during his absence from duty and that on the expiry of the p.l. he will rejoin duty at some place in the field selected by him from which he will conduct his duties. Subd that there is no objection to the one month being extended to six weeks so as to make up three months. As observed in A.C.'s note of 21.5.15 on page 25 & 26 of C.O. 952 Pat of 18.6.18 there should be no extra expense to the State and the A.C. will not be concerned.

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Understand A.S. Home to mean that Mr. Braze may be away from Pondicherry for about 4 1/2 months in all.

The question appears to be an administrative one & I think the proposal may be sanctioned under C. I. R. Art. 55.

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C.S. 14/8/14

P.S. 9. 10. 14

W.S.H.

His Excellency has consulted the
Honble Mr. Gillman & approves
these arrangements by which Mr
Deane will be enabled to
spend 4 1/2 months next hot
months in the hills. I have
written to Mr Deane.

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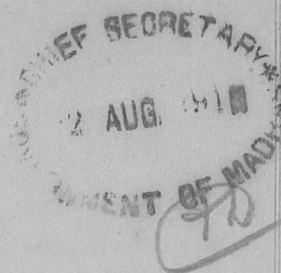
The P. S. G. has written to Mr
Deane informing him of the
decision of the Govt. The
papers may now be

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French
Consulate
leave

MADRAS GOVERNOR'S CAMP,
INDIA.
(Madras)

13th August 1918.

My dear Davidson,

I am to ask you kindly to expedite examination of Mr. Deane's D.O. 132 dated the 29th July which was sent to you with my letter of the 2nd August, as it may be convenient for His Excellency to see Mr. Deane in Madras should that be necessary.

Yours sincerely,

K. P. S. I.

Please ascertain from Mr. L.
where the case is & if necessary
telegraph to the file
14-8-18

The Hon'ble Mr. L. Davidson, C.S.I., I.C.S.,
Chief Secretary to Government,

Fort St. George, Madras.

For the C.S.

The case relating to Mr. Deane's
leave was sent out from Madras
to AS, Ooty, on 13th Aug. Jones has been
called back by wire
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P.S. I. for
many thanks
14-8-18

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 French Consulate and deans leave file
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Financial Supt/mo.

The file re Mr Deane's leave is being sent separately. I presume this is the only file you wanted. (4 one refers to French Consulate, which evidently relates to this file only)

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