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G.O. No. 205

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Government Servants Conduct Rules.-

Stating that a Collector is at liberty in his discretion to attend political meetings for the purpose of gauging public opinion or observing the proceedings.

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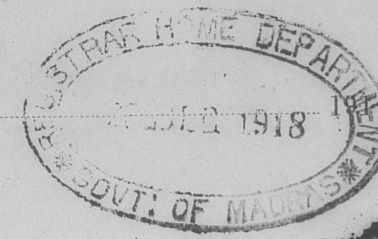
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HOME (MISCELLANEOUS) PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

R.F.D.—80-a.

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Subject.

Requesting certain further information on G.O.No.866
dated 5th December 1918.

ENCLOSURES.

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R.C. No.1339 B & G of 18.

Station Vizagapatam. , Dated the 20th December 18. 191

From (Name) H.A.B.VERNON ESQ., I.C.S.,

(Designation) Collector.

To the ~~Chief~~ Secretary to the Government of Madras
Home (Miscellaneous) Department,
Madras.

Sir,

Adverting to G.O.No.866 dated 5th December 18
informing that ^{the} prohibition against Government Servants
attending political meetings adverted to in G.O.No.684
dated 1st October 1918 applies also to attendance at
District Conferences whether upon invitation or other-
wise, I have the honor to solicit orders whether the
prohibition applies to Collectors, or, whether they are
to be permitted to use their discretion in the matter
as heretofore. My personal experience in Kurnool was
that attendance of the Collector at such Conferences did
a great deal of good.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

N.M. 24.12.18

24.12.18

For Collector.

K. R. M. S. R. 24.12.18

York Servants Conduct Rules

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M^r. Vernon has again come up to the Govt for instructions whether the attendance of Coll^{rs} at Dth Conferences is prohibited or whether they may use their discretion in attending a conference. The Govt can not perhaps issue a general authorization permitting the attendance of Collectors at the Dth Conferences.

During the course of the proceedings ~~occasions~~ may arise when the presence of a collector may be as undesirable from the point of view of the work as from that of the Conference. So that if a collector chooses to attend a D^h Conference he must do so on his own responsibility unless specially authorized.

A draft reply to Mr. Kernon is Subd.

~~Aug. 1. 19.~~

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Back
8. 1. 19

$$\begin{array}{r} 18.866 \\ 1.1078 \end{array}$$

seems to me to
be at the Discretion of

the Collector even as it now
stands. Obviously if a

Collector thinks he should
 attend such a meeting in
 order to gauge opinion
 he can do so. May we
 publish this interpretation?
 We will say that such
 attendance is his. He reports
 to you. applications.

P. I. S.

It would seem from HM's note printed with
 L.O. 866 Home (Mis) d. 5 Dec 1918 that
 he wished Head of the Dept to mean
 "District Head of the Dept". If so, this
 interpretation might be published. But in
 some Depts e.g. Salt & Abkan, it may not be
 obvious who is the D^t Head. On the whole if
 it is intended that the authority of the Coll^r
 & D^t Mag^{le} should be sufficient in his
 own Dept, it would probably be safe to
 insist on his authority being obtained in
 all Depts in a district. After all, he is the
 authority directly interested in maintaining
 the peace & safeguarding the loyalty of
 the district & other departments look to him
 for guidance in this respect.

I am afraid the time is past or rapidly passing
 away when Govt servants could usefully attend such
 conferences. Some have to attend always on duty of course
 eg. the Police & this is all that seems to have been meant
 & those who are on quasi-police duty.

neg. O. no 6842. 1 Oct. 1918

LWS

10.1.19

HM

Recd. on 16/1
B: 34
C: 151
R: 17
Explain delay in 0-18/1/19

(under further routine correspondence with Gov. like he separately planned)

I wd. reply that a collector is at liberty under discretion to attend such meetings for the purpose of forming public opinion or observing the proceedings

Please circulate to H. M. (to other members of Govt. if they were present to the previous Govt.)

16-1-19

circulated

18/1/19

HM 2

HM 1

H.E. the Governor

self

20.1.19

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20.1.19



Secy

A draft order is subd

It is proposed to send a copy of the order to the other Govts also

Wj 22.1.19

Pd 22.1.19

S. 24/1/19

Statuting that a Conr. is at liberty in his discretion to attend political meetings for the purpose of forming public opinion or observing the proceedings.

READ AGAIN G.O. No. 69, dated 1.10.1918.

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 670, From the Con? Migration, No. 1338, dated 20 12, 1918.

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ORDER.

Ms

No. 205, dated 24.1.1919.

The Coll^y of Vizagapatam
is informed that a Collector
is at liberty in his
discretion to attend
political meetings for
the purpose of gauging
public opinion or observing
the proceedings.

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STATEMENT WITH LITTO.

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