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Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.



From

F.J.Nobes, Esquire,

Under Secretary to the Government of India,

To

The Chief Secretary to the

Government of Bihar & Orissa.

Home Department

(War)

Sir,

Simla, the 24th June 1920.

I am directed to refer to your letter No.48 P.T., dated the 6th May 1920, inquiring whether the instructions contained in the Home Department letter No.4794-4805, dated the 3rd December 1915, regarding the issue of passports to Indians for certain countries, are still in force.

2. In reply I am to say that these restrictions will be automatically superseded by the rules to be framed under the new Passport Legislation when it is brought into force, but pending the introduction of the new rules the Government of India do not consider it desirable to issue formal orders cancelling the instructions. In the meantime however passports need not be refused unless there are definite and explicit,

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grounds for considering that British interests would be prejudiced by the proposed journey, and in considering future cases the proviso about " definite business " in para 2 (III) of the Home Department letter of the 3rd December 1915, may be waived altogether.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Sd. F.J.Nobes.

Under Secretary to the Government of India.

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Under Secretary to the Government of India.

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