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Judicial Department

no 687

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India

Sir,

I am directed by the
Right. Honble the Governor in
Council to acknowledge the
receipt of your letter of 20th
April last, requesting to be
furnished with the informa-
tion suggested by the Honble
the Comd of Directors in their
Despatch to this Govt. dated 4th
February 1857 viz:

1. As to what other office can
be combined with the Admini-
-strator Generalship;
2. Whether the salary of the officer
of the Administrator General
can be reduced; and
3. Whether the expenses of its
establishment cannot be
diminished.

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2. In reply to the first two
of these enquiries, I am instructed
to remark, that, as will be seen
from the correspondence that has
already taken place with the
Govt. of India, - Mr Teed at present
holds the office of Master of the
Supreme Court in conjunction
with that of Administrator General
and that it is in consequence of
this union of offices, he performs
the duties of the latter at a rate
of remuneration which, though
nominally Rs 1200 per mensem,
is, from the mode in which
it is calculated, really Rs 700.

His Lordship in Council is unable
to suggest any other arrangements
whereby the wishes of the Honble
Court may be met, but they
will be borne in mind when,
~~at the expiration of two years~~
~~from the date of their having~~
~~taken effect,~~ - existing arrange-
ments come under revision,
on the expiration of two years.

3. In regard to the third
point on which the Govt. of India
call for information, I am to
observe that it is at present
impracticable to effect any
reduction in the office esta-
blishment of the Administration
General. The modifications
proposed by the Auditors of the
accounts of that office, to which
allusion was made in my
predecessor's letter of 10th July
1856, ~~have~~ ^{have} not ~~being~~ ^{been} yet car-
ried out & Mr Teed has been
~~therefore~~ ^{therefore} still paying Rs 75%
per mensem above the sum
fixed. He has also been obliged
to employ extra hands from time
to time to assist in the prepara-
tion of the accounts of
Estates which have lapsed to
Govt. under Sec 57 of Act VIII
of 1855.

Wm. D. George,
15 June 1857

[Signature]

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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 16th June 1857.

No. 23. Read the following letter from the Auditors of the Accounts of the Administrator General; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated 8th June 1857.

SIR,

We have the honor to acknowledge receipt of Extracts from the Minutes of Consultation, Judicial Department, as per margin, and with reference to the request made by Government in their order of 14th Ultimo, that we should report what reductions can be effected in the Establishment of the Administrator General, we beg to state that the reduction recommended by our predecessors in their letter to the Administrator General dated 24th August 1855, a copy of which was forwarded to Government on the 28th February 1856, has not yet been carried out, and consequently the said Officer has been and is still paying Rupees 75-12 per mensem above the amount allowed for his establishment by the order of Government, dated 14th March 1856, and has also been obliged to employ extra hands from time to time to assist in the preparation of the accounts of Estates which have lapsed to Government, under Section 51 of Act VIII of 1855.

2. Under these circumstances, we respectfully submit that it is not practicable to effect any reduction in the Administrator General's Establishment at present.

(Signed) B. CARDOZO,

(") J. T. MACLAGAN,

*Auditors of the Accounts of the
Administrator General.*

Ordered that the following letter be despatched.

No. 24. From E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George; to the Secretary to the Government of India, dated 15th June 1857, No. 687.

SIR,

1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 20th April last, requesting to be furnished with the information suggested by the Honorable the Court of Directors in their Despatch to this Government, dated 4th February, No. 5 of 1857, viz.

1. As to what other office can be combined with the Administrator Generalship.
2. Whether the salary of the office of the Administrator General can be reduced; and
3. Whether the expenses of its Establishment cannot be diminished.

2. In reply to the first two of these enquiries, I am instructed to remark, that, as will be seen from the correspondence that has already taken place with the Government of India, Mr. Teed at present holds the office of Master of the Supreme Court in conjunction with that of Administrator General, and that it is in consequence of this union of offices, he performs the duties of the latter at a rate of remuneration which, though nominally Rupees 1,200 per mensem, is, from the mode in which it is calculated, really Rupees 700. His Lordship in Council is unable to suggest any other arrangement whereby the wishes of the Honorable Court may be met, but they will be borne in mind when existing arrangements come under revision, on the expiration of two years.

3. In regard to the third point on which the Government of India call for information, I am to observe that it is at present impracticable to effect any reduction in the Office Establishment of the Administrator General. The modifications proposed by the Auditors of the Accounts of that Officer, to which allusion was made in my predecessor's letter of 10th July 1856, have not been yet carried out, and Mr. Teed has been and is therefore still paying Rupees 75½ per mensem above the sum. He has also been obliged to employ extra hands from time to time to assist in the preparation of the accounts of Estates which have lapsed to Government under Section 51 of Act VIII of 1855.

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.