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[Despatch Abstract.]

CANTONMENTS ACT, XIII OF 1889.

Communicating to certain District Magistrates, for necessary action, letter from the Government of India forwarding a copy of the rules made under sections 26 and 27 of the---as amended by Act V of 1895, and directing the Tamil, Telugu, and Malayalam Translators to Government to furnish the District Magistrates concerned ~~and~~ with translations of the Act and the rules issued.

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## Subject

Forwarding a copy of the rules made under Sections 26 & 27 of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, as amended by Act I of 1895 and requesting that cantonment magistrates may be directed to give publicity to them.

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Note

The Rules have been published in the Govt. Gazette. Please see the Govt. Gazette.

W.O.

## ACT No. V OF 1895.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.  
(Received the assent of the Governor General on the 8th February 1895.)

An Act to amend the Cantonments Act, 1889.

XIII of 1889. WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Cantonments Act, 1889; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the Cantonments Act Amendment Act, 1895. Title, extent and commencement.

(2) It extends to the whole of British India; and

(3) It shall come into force at once.

XIII of 1889. 2. To section 26 of the Cantonments Act, 1889, the following shall be added, namely:— Addition to section 26 of Act XIII of 1889.

“Provided that no such rule shall contain any regulation enjoining or permitting any compulsory or periodical examination of any woman by medical officers or others for the purpose of ascertaining whether she is or is not suffering from any venereal disease, or is or is not fit for prostitution, or any regulation for the licensing or special registration of prostitutes, or giving legal sanction to the practice of prostitution, in any cantonment.”

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## MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 3rd May, 1895.

### JUDICIAL.

No. 460.—In continuation of the notification of the Government of India in the Military Department, No. 309, dated the 22nd March 1895, and in supersession of the rules published in G. G. O. No. 617, dated the 4th July 1890, and of any rules hitherto issued which are inconsistent with the rules hereby published, the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to make the following rules, under sections 26 and 27 of the Cantonments Act (XIII of 1889), and to direct that they be put in force in all cantonments in British India:

1. As many hospitals as may be necessary, within or without the limits of the cantonment, as the cantonment authority with the concurrence of the District Magistrate may determine, shall be maintained at the expense wholly or in part of the cantonment fund.
2. A medical officer, to be appointed in such manner as the local Government may direct, shall be in charge of every such hospital.
3. A person admitted to such a hospital shall be treated gratuitously, and if such person is without means of support and is either a resident of the cantonment or was admitted to the hospital on the request of the cantonment authority or of any officer of that authority, shall receive from the cantonment fund such subsistence allowance not being less than the lowest allowance for the time being fixed by the local Government under section 338 of the Code of Civil Procedure, as the cantonment authority may determine.
4. Every such hospital shall have attached to it one or more wards for the treatment of persons suffering from infectious or contagious disorders.
5. If the medical officer for the time being in charge of any such hospital is informed upon testimony which he believes to be credible that any person living in the cantonment is suffering from cholera, small-pox, diphtheria, or typhoid fever, he may by notice require such person to attend at the hospital at a time to be mentioned in such notice, and if, upon the attendance of such person in pursuance of such notice or otherwise, he shall ascertain that such person is in fact suffering from any of the above-mentioned disorders, he may require such person to remain in the hospital until he shall have been pronounced free from such disorder, or may give such other direction in the matter as may seem to him most expedient for the purpose of preventing the spread of such disorder.

6. If any person upon whom any such notice as is mentioned in the last preceding rule shall have been served, shall refuse or neglect to attend at the hospital in pursuance of such notice, he shall be deemed to be suffering from such disorder as aforesaid and to have refused to go to the hospital.
7. If the medical officer for the time being in charge of any such hospital certifies in writing to the commanding officer of the cantonment that any person living in the cantonment is or is deemed to be suffering from any of the disorders mentioned in rule 5, and that such person has refused or is deemed to have refused to go to the hospital, or that he, having gone to the hospital, has left it while still under the influence of such disorder, and that the continuance of such person in the cantonment is likely to be attended with danger to the health of the other inhabitants of the cantonment or some of them, the Cantonment Magistrate may, on the application of such medical officer, order such person to remove from the cantonment within twenty-four hours, and prohibit such person from remaining in or re-entering it without the written permission of such medical officer.
8. Save as aforesaid, no person shall be required to attend at or become a patient in any such hospital, nor shall any person under any circumstances be detained in any such hospital against his will, nor shall any person, except at his own request, be examined by any such medical officer as aforesaid, or any other person acting under Government authority, with a view to ascertaining whether he is or is not suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.
9. If a person having been prohibited under rule 7 from remaining in or re-entering a cantonment remains in or re-enters the cantonment without such written permission as is mentioned in that rule, such person shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to eight days, for every breach of the said prohibition.
10. No person known to be a prostitute shall, under any circumstances, be permitted to reside within the limits of any regimental bazar.

E. H. H. COLLEN, Major-General,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

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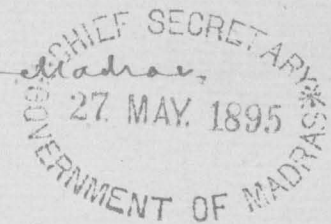
J. P. HEWETT, Esq., C.I.E.,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India,

TO

*The Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Madras.*

Home Department.  
Sanitary.



Simla, the 20<sup>th</sup> May 1895.

SIR,

IN continuation of the Circular letter from this Department No. <sup>4-Sanitary</sup> 111-118, dated the 8th July 1893, and with reference to the Resolution of the Government of India in the Military Department, No. 1910-D., dated the 29th April 1895, I am directed to forward a copy of the rules made under sections 26 and 27 of the Cantonments Act, XIII of 1889, as amended by Act V of 1895, to provide for the prevention of the spread of infectious or contagious disorders within a cantonment and the appointment and regulation of Hospitals within or without the limits of a cantonment for the reception and treatment of persons suffering from any disease, which have been finally adopted by the Government of India and published in the *Gazette of India* under Notification (Military Department) No. 460, dated the 3rd May 1895.

2. I am to request that, with the permission of His Excl. ~~the Governor in Council~~, the rules, together with Act V of 1895, may be translated into the official languages of the various Districts in which cantonments are situated in ~~the~~ *Madras Presidency*, and that Cantonment Magistrates may be directed to give publicity to them in accordance with the orders contained in the above Resolution.

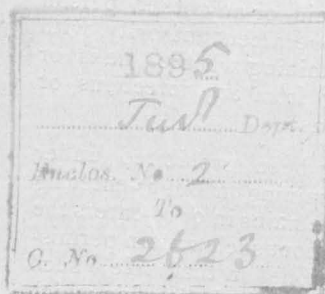
I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

*J. P. Hewett*

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.



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ORDER.

P.S.

d/ 30<sup>th</sup> May 1895 No 1175

Comd. to the St. Magistrates of  
Chingleput, Malabar, Nitjinis + Visapapa-  
tam, in continuation of go of 9 May 1895,  
No 967, Pudd, for the necessary action.  
2 The Tamil, Telugu + Malayalam  
translators to govt will furnish the  
Dms concerned with the necessary  
translations of the Act + rules issued.

35-5-95

To

The S.M. Chingleput. 6  
" " Malabar. 6  
" " Nitjinis. 6  
" " Visapapa. 6

.. Tamil Translator to govt  
.. Telugu  
.. Malayalam

dis/ 12/1/95

MR 29/1/95. Note. As the first gubd circular is compl: I am not certain of the proposed draft. Perhaps it will suffice. MR/

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