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Subj.

Regarding the exemption of
the United States Consular Officer
at Madras from liability to
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To the Hon. the C. J. with Encl. (1)
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Note

The United States Consular Officer
at Madras is not a salaried
Officer of Court and so cannot
be exempted ^{either} ^{or by the S. of S.} by this Encl. -
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To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
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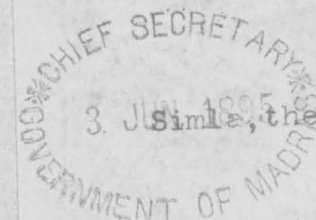
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(Judicial)

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 800, dated the 19th ultimo, and of the communication from the Registrar of the High Court at Madras forwarded therewith on the subject of the proposed exemption of the United States Consular officer at Madras from liability to serve on the High Court's jury. The Hon'ble the Judges, with whom the Governor in Council concurs, object to the proposal on the ground that no real necessity exists for its adoption and that the exemption if granted to the Consular officers of the nation will be demanded by the Consuls of other nations, and that the jury list will thereby be denuded of persons who are likely to be among those

best



29th May 1895.

best fitted to sit on a jury.

2. In reply I am to explain that though the request of the Consul General for the United States for exemption of United States Consular officers from liability to serve on juries was of universal application to all places in India at which the United States are represented by accredited Consular Agents, the exemption was particularly desired at Madras. The request has been complied with in all other Provinces, and I am to state that, having regard to the desirability of meeting if possible, the Consul General's request, the Governor General in Council would be glad if the Governor General Council could, after referring again, if necessary, to the High Court at Madras see his way to reconsidering the view expressed in your letter under reply.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. Servant,

J. H. Hewitt.

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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