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G.O., No. 1957/m

DATED 23rd November 1895

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Municipality.*

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. 3573 of 1895, dated 16th Nov 95 from the Chairman, M.C., Madura.
Current No. of 189 , dated from the

Order. No. 1957 mis. 23-11-95

The Chairman will be informed by wire that, as the rules stand, there is no objection to an elector nominating more than one candidate, even when there is only a single vacancy. The necessary ^{alteration} addition will, however, be made to the rules when they are next revised.

L.R.
24/11/95

W.D.
22/11/95

Despatches. Chairman's letter should have been marked "urgent" on the docket, as required in G.O. No. 5762 of 12 April 1895.
Please return after despatch. Sef.
25/11.

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Note The following deferred telegram will be sent to the Chairman through the Collector.
"Your letter 76 of sixteenth."
"No objection to elector nominating more than one candidate even for single vacancy."
23/11

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FROM
THE CHAIRMAN,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
MADURA.

No.
ENCLOSURE. nil
Dated } 16th November 1895.
Received }

CHIEF SECRETARY
18 NOV. 1895
SUBJECT
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Referring for the decision of Honours:—
ment whether an elector or voter can nominate 2 Candidates when there is only one vacancy in the ward of which he is the registered voter.

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V.F.

H.9m.

For orders.

The Chairman's contention is correct, but, as the rules stand, there is apparently no objection to an elector nominating more than one candidate, although there is only a single vacancy to be filled up.

Submitted that the rules may be modified to prevent an elector nominating more than one candidate. He cannot vote for more than one, so why should he be able to nominate more.

W.D.
20/11/95

I think the matter might be left alone. 25/11/95

As the Rules stand, there seems to be nothing to prevent an elector nominating more than one candidate, about which it is that he should do so. The rules should be altered in the coming session thereof.

W.D.
21/11/95

there is more than one vacancy in the Ward,
of which he is the registered voter. Following
this analogy, I am of opinion that an elector
or voter is debarred from nominating more
than one candidate and that the two nomi-
nations made in this particular instance
ought to be rejected; because it appears to
me that the principle underlying the restriction
attaching to a voter equally applies to a
nominator or elector. Further the object of
rule 18 seems to be frustrated in its spirit,
though not in its letter.

4. As far as I am aware of, there is
no express ruling on the point, one way or
the other, and the question not being free
from doubt, I have ventured to trouble
Government with a reference on the subject.

5. As the schedule of valid nominations
has to be published on the 28th instant, I beg
that orders be communicated to me by wire,
if necessary.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant,
H. May
Chancery, Sedge.

Municipal Office,
 Madras 16 November 1897
 From, Mr. P. Selvaraj Nayudu Iyer

Chairman, Delegate,
 Municipal Council
 Madras.

The Chief Secretary to Government,
 Fort St. George,
 Madras.

Sir,
 I have the honor to report that an
 elective seat in the 9th (Elephant Stone) Ward,
 having fallen vacant, the necessary prelimi-
 -naries prescribed by rule 16 of the elections
 rules were gone through and the notice under
 rule 17 was published on the 11th instant.
 And 11 eleven nominations have been received.
 Out of these in 2 cases, A, an elector or voter,
 has, with B, nominated D and again
 with C, nominated E.

3. The question for the consideration of
 Government is whether one and the same
 elector or voter, A, can nominate 2 candi-
 -dates, D and E, and whether nominations
 made in the aforesaid manner are valid.
 It is clear that an elector or voter cannot
 vote for more than one candidate, unless
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