

Local & Munl. (1895) Department.

PRINTED:

G.O., No. 918M

DATED 30th May 1895

[Despatch Abstract.]

Tax.

Communicating to all Municipal Councils G.O., dated 13th March 1890, No. 423 M., stating that the Chairman of a Municipal Council is not a servant of the municipality and that the vehicles and animals used by him are not exempt from municipal taxation.

ANNEXURE.

G.O., dated 13th March 1890, Mis. No. 423 M., Local and Municipal.

Read—the following paper:—

From M.R.Ry. K. PERRAJU Garu, Rao Bahadur, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Revenue officer in charge of Cocanada division), dated 23rd January 1890, No. 695.

Having been informed that the tax payable on the carriage and animal used by the Chairman of the municipal council on his out-door duties has hitherto been understood here as falling within the exemption provided in clause IV, section 78, of Act IV of 1884 (Madras), notwithstanding the fact that the Chairman occasionally makes use of the carriage for his personal purposes as well, I have the honour to solicit your opinion as to the applicability or otherwise of the said clause to the case of the Chairman using the carriage as aforesaid. I am of opinion that the Chairman is not a servant of the municipality within the meaning of the said clause and the fact of the municipal council allowing him a carriage allowance will none the less exempt his carriage from liability to the payment of the tax under the Act.

No. 19.

Forwarded.

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
*Asst. Collector in charge of
Principal Division.*

25th January 1890.

No. 11.

Submitted to Government.

COCANADA,
29th January 1890.

(Signed) W. A. HAPPELL,
Collector.

Order—dated 13th March 1890, Mis. No. 423 M., Local and Municipal.

The Government is of opinion that the Chairman of a municipality is not a servant of the municipality and that consequently he is not entitled to claim, under section 78 (iv) of the District Municipalities Act, exemption for vehicles and animals used by him in the performance of duties on behalf of the municipality.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

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To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada,
through the Collector of Gódvári.

Govt. of {1895} Madras.
LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL,

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Karur Municipal Office,

Dated 7th May 1895.

No. 4

From

W. R. R. V. Subba Rao a/c
THE CHAIRMAN,
Municipal Council,
KARUR.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Local & Imp. Department
Madras.
Through
The Collector of Coimbatore.

Sir,

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I have the honor to request, that you will be good enough to obtain the orders of Government, as to whether a Chairman of a Municipal Council can claim exemption from payment of tax on a vehicle and two animals under clause IV of Section 78.

2. I make the reference as the late Chairman of this Council, did not pay the tax and as in my humble opinion the exemption can apply only to "Servants of the Municipality". At present there seems to be no uniformity, some Chairman paying the tax and others claiming exemption. I solicit the orders of Government for ^{my} future guidance.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Yours most obedt. Servant

W. R. R. V. Subba Rao

Chairman.

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Local & Municipal

From 7000 CURRENT NO. 1566M

The Chairman

Municipal Council
Karur.

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To, The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Local & Impl. Dept.
Through The Collector of Coimbatore
Madras

Dated 7th May 1895.
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a Municipal Council, can claim

exemption from payment of tax

on a vehicle & two animals under

Sec. 78. cl. IV. of Act IV of 1888.

To

All Chairmen of Municipal Councils
& Collectors.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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