

Local & Munl. (1896) Department.

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G.O., No. 678 M

DATED 20th April 1896

[Despatch Abstract.]

Municipal Council.

Informing the Collector of Madura that the most desirable course for the present is that the Divisional Officer should remain in charge of the --- Madura.

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List showing the present constitution of the Municipal Council, Madras.

No.	Name of Member.	Date of appointment.
<u>Officials</u>		
1	MR Ry. R. Ramachandra Row Auerghal (Ex-officio)	
<u>Councillors</u>		
2	Mr. G. E. Baudry	27-11-94 ✓
3	Surgeon Major F. L. Reeves	18-9-94 ✓
4	Mr. N. Macmichael	10-9-95 ✓
<u>Non-Officials</u>		
<u>Chairman</u>		
5	Vacant	
<u>Councillor</u>		
6	Mr. Robert H. Hunter	29-10-95 ✓
<u>Councillors elected</u>		
7	Mr. R. Fischer	11-2-1896 ✓
8	MR Ry. G. Srinivasa Row Auerghal	4-2-96 ✓
9	MR Ry. M. Majivisani Nayudu Garu	1-8-93 ✓
10	.. Selvaraj. Nayudu Garu	24-10-93 ✓
11	.. Saiyid Muhammad Ibrahim Sahib	24-7-94 ✓
12	MR Ry. Ananthakrishna Nayudu Garu	4-9-94 ✓
13	.. T. Jambu Chettiar Auerghal	4-9-94 ✓
14	.. G. Subbarayalu Naidu Garu	4-9-94 ✓
15	.. T. S. Krishnasami Aijar Auerghal	18-9-94 ✓
16	.. M. Subba Nayudu Garu	18-9-94 ✓
17	.. Chula Munisami Aijar Auerghal	18-9-94 ✓
18	.. A. Sitarama Aijar Auerghal	18-9-94 ✓
19	.. Swaraman Chettiar Auerghal	18-9-94 ✓
20	.. P. R. Venkatesulu Nayudu Garu	16-10-94 ✓
21	.. R. Muthusami Pillai Auerghal	16-10-94 ✓
22	Saiyid Gulam Ali Sahib	16-10-94 ✓
23	vacant	16-10-94 ✓
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Enclosure No. 2

In a letter

From

The Collector of
Madura.

R. C. no. $\frac{770}{\text{Sent}}$ of 96

Dated 19th February 1896.

—
List showing the Constitution of
the Madura Municipal Council

1/52 Mr. J. G. B.

Reference Current No. $\frac{770}{\text{Sent}}$ of 96

Madura Collector's Office
Dated 19th February 1896

From

J. Twigg Esquire,
Collector of Madura.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Department
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to recommend that —
Mr. R. Fischer Barrister-at-Law, a Councillor
of the Madura Municipality may be appointed
as Chairman of the above Municipality.

2. Mr. Fischer was Chairman till the —
7th instant, when he vacated the office as his
term as member of the Municipal Council
had expired. He was again gazetted as
Councillor in the Fort Saint George Gazette
of 11th February 1896.

3. His written consent and a list showing
the present Constitution of the Council are enclosed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

J. P. M. Chel
For Collector.

18th Feb 2-2-96
19th Feb 5-2-96

From

The Collector of
Madura

Dated 19th } February 1896.
Received

Reference Current No 770 of 96.

Enclosures - 2.



Nominating Mr. R. Fischer, Barrister at
Law, as Chairman of the Madura
Municipality.

Again G.O., dated

Current No.

Current No.

652M. of 1896, dated

745M. of 1896, dated

989M. of 96, dated

189, No.

19th February

26th January

28th February

12th 3-96

from the Collector of Madura

from the V. Muthuswami Aiyar

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FOR ORDERS.

V. Muthusami Aiyar is not a
man whose app't. for sanction
under any circumstances -

I don't object to Mr. Fischer's
app't., provided that it is clear
that, under the law as it will stand
as amended, he will have to vacate
office if the app't. of the Chairman
by election is sanctioned - Please
make sure about this.

Legislation is, as soon as
the bill becomes law, to ask
the M.C. if they would like an elected
Chairman plus a paid Secretary.
It would not do for Mr. F's app't. as
Chairman to stand in the way of this
arrangement. The C.M. by the way, had
told d.s. of this intention for common
to Mr. F. so that he may not complain
of being ousted. Perhaps, under the
circumstances, he may wish to ~~and~~ resume
office - In that case the Rev. Div. Officer
must remain in charge.

17/2/96

This is not infrequently the
best testimonial in an
official's favor - that he
is doing his work without
fear or favor. But I know
nothing personally of Mr. Fischer or his work.

As to whether the
Collector's nomination of Mr. Fischer
for the Chairmanship may be
approved. The administration of the
Municipality in 1894-95 was in-
efficient - vide. G.O. No. 1761, M. L. S.
25th October 1895, and of late nu-
merous complaints have been re-
ceived against him.

There is also an application
for the Chairmanship from V.
Muthuswami Aiyar, retired Tahsildar.
He appears to wish to do some
work, & might be successful, if the
other Councillors did not resent the
appointment of an outsider, &
in consequence hamper all his
actions. There have been numerous
petitions against Mr. Fischer, as well
as letters & articles in the newspapers,
as he has aroused so much
opposition, it might be advisable
to let him remain in charge.

to appoint some other man -
If it is also held undesirable to
appoint V. Mathurawami as the
Collector may be asked to submit
another nomination

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10.3.96. An article from the
Madura Mail of 29.2.96
re the appointment of Mr. Fisher
as chairman is enclosed in the file

WSD
10.3.96

H.M.

For orders.

The M^l says Mr. Fisher is
the best man in the world
available, failing in default
of a paid chairman

S.P.
18/3/96

Hold this over till
the M^l replies to the
D.O. then issue, if Mr.
Fisher agrees, without
the portion in brackets.

S.P.

C.S.

Rev.

The appointment of Mr. Robert Fisher
as chairman of the Madura Municipality
is approved [on the condition that he
will vacate office, if, when the Bill
to amend the M. Municipalities
Act of 1904 becomes law, it is
found to be necessary to make any
alterations in the ^{tenure} status of the office
of chairman.]

WSD
15.3.96

(from order)

S.P.
18/3/96

D.O. to Collector, Madura of 19/3/96

My dear Sir,
God has sanctioned the
appointment of Fisher as chairman,
but I am directed to tell you that
it is the intention of Govt., as soon
as the M. Municipalities Act as amended
becomes law, to ask the Municipal
Council, if it would like to have
an elected chairman ^{with} a paid
Secretary, in accordance with one of the
proposed amendments in the Act. In
the event of its agreeing to this, Fisher
will, ^{of course} have to vacate office, & I am to

request you to communicate this
to him, so that ^{he might} he may have no
cause to complain of being ousted
temporarily. ^{It is possible that he} may not wish to resume

office under these circumstances,
in which case the Divisional Officer
will have to continue in charge.

Please let me know ^{Mr. Fische}

as soon as possible.

(from orders) ^{will appoint} him Chairman

that it is subject to an
arrangement just exposed

in consequence of
the new arrangements

Despatch 19/3/96

Go. No. 678 mins. 7/22-4-96

The Govt. consider that the most
desirable course for the present
is that the D. Officer should
remain in charge.

(from orders)

15/4/96.

To The Collector of Madras.
Submitted to Hon. Mr. Goss with ref. to his note in linked file
of the being the D.O. in the minutes.

15/4/96

Despatch 23/4/96

Appointment of a chairman for
Madras municipality

FOR ORDERS.

652,745 & 751

(From orders)

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