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SUBJECT.

Forwarding notification
prescribing the conditions
subject to which cultures
or other articles contain-
ing living germs of plague
may be transmitted by the
inland post to a port of export
or persons.

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The Notification has already been
republished in the Fort St George
Gazette Part I, dt 7-11-99.

To all Collectors (A, B, F, G, H).
" the Surgeon-General.
" the Sanitary Commissioner.
" the President, Municipal Commission, Madras.
" the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.
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Notification No. 4868-S. R., dated Simla, the 24th October 1899.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 21, and with reference to the provisions of section 19, sub-section (1), of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor General in Council is pleased to issue the following rules prescribing the conditions subject to which cultures or other articles known or believed to contain the living germs of plague may be transmitted by the Inland post to a Government laboratory or to a person specially permitted by the Governor General in Council, or a Local Government, to receive such cultures or other articles:—

- (1) The cultures or other articles aforesaid shall be securely packed in a hermetically closed tin of adequate strength, which shall be placed in a strong outer box of wood or tin with a layer of at least three quarters of an inch of raw cotton wool between the inner and outer case.
- (2) The outer case shall be enclosed in stout cloth, which shall be securely fastened and sealed, and labelled with such distinguishing inscription as will suffice to make immediately manifest the nature of the contents.
- (3) The sender shall present the parcel at the post office accompanied by a declaration as to the nature of its contents, and a certificate signed by himself to the effect that he has advised the addressee of its despatch.

J. F. FINLAY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 4869-S. R.

Copy forwarded to the Home Department and to the Director General of the Post Office of India for information.

By order,

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Finance and Commerce Department.

No. 3163.

COPY forwarded to Local Governments and Administrations for information, in continuation of the endorsement from this Department, No. 2654-2663, dated the 15th September 1899.

HOME DEPARTMENT,
SANITARY—PLAGUE;
Calcutta, the 13 November 1899.

By order,

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Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To
The Govt. of India.