

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 2787bis

DATED 22/2/99

[Despatch Abstract.]

Additional Mafaseal Regulation N° 16.

*Recording with remark, Proceedings of
the Plague Comm. requesting Col. W. to
consult him & to furnish him with a
report on certain points before applying
to any area.*

Recd. } 17 - 2 - } 1899.
Regd. }

Enclosures

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Proceedings, No. $\frac{359}{29}$, 8th February 1899.

FEBRUARY.

Recorded with the
remark that the order of
P.A. 15/2/99
L.H. Car 8nd be obtained
before Ad. must be
acted upon in any
area. 10. 11/2/99
may the P.C. be told
to take for sanction
No. 16. before approving?

Additional Mufasssal Regulation No. 16. before approving?

Requesting Collectors to consult the Plague Commissioner and to furnish him with a report on certain points before applying — to any area.

~~To PC for receipt~~

To: The P.C. ^{Dear Sir} ~~in Sir~~ 24/2

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONER.

READ—the following papers:—

Notification by S. G. ROBERTS, Esq., Acting Head Assistant Collector in charge, the Nilgiris, dated Ootacamund, 22nd January 1899.

Under the provisions of Regulation 16 of the Additional Mufassal Regulations under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, printed on pages 55—64, part I-A, *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 1st March 1898, as amended by notification No. 582, *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 19th July 1898, part I-A, page 206, the Acting Head Assistant Collector in charge of the Nilgiris orders that, in respect of all deaths occurring within the limits of Ootacamund Municipality, the certificate of a Government Medical officer shall be obtained showing the cause of every death within two hours after such death.

2. If, after the issue of these orders, a burial or cremation takes place without such a certificate having been obtained, the death may be presumed to have been due to plague and the persons believed to have been in recent immediate contact with the corpse shall be liable to segregation and detention.

Genl. Cur. No. 66.

To the Plague Commissioner for Madras for information.

22nd January 1899.

(Signed) S. G. ROBERTS,
Ag. Head Assistant Collector.

Ref. on C. No. 985.

The Collector is requested to hold his order in abeyance pending report on the following points:—

- (1) What classes of officers have been authorized to issue certificates under this order.
- (2) Whether any fees will be required for the grant of this certificate.
- (3) Whether there is such a number of Government Medical officers at the station as will be sufficient to carry out inspection promptly so as not to cause any delay in burials.
- (4) Whether there has been any increase in the rate of mortality.
- (5) Whether there is any reason to believe that deaths are concealed or that causes of death are not correctly reported.

2. The following telegram has been despatched: "Suspend your notification under Regulation 16 pending orders."

25th January 1899.

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Plague Commissioner.

From the Collector of the Nilgiris, dated 31st January 1899, R. C. No. 66.

ABSTRACT.—Informing that the notification requiring certificate of a Government Medical officer showing cause of every death under Regulation 16 has been suspended.

PROCEEDINGS—No. 359, dated 8th February 1899.

Recorded.

2. Collectors are requested to consult the Plague Commissioner before applying Additional Mufassal Regulation 16 to any area, and to furnish him with a report on the points mentioned in his Ref. on C. No. 985, dated 25th January 1899.

Personal Assistant
for Plague Commissioner.

To all Collectors (A).
" the Surgeon-General.
" the Sanitary Commissioner.
" the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department.

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READ AGAIN G.O., No. *182*, DATED

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ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT .. A A A A A A A

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DETAIL.

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