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Government of India notification prescribing conditions for the transmission of —, or cultures, to be observed by persons embarking on board vessels at any port in British India, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

Notification of the Government of India, Home Department (Sanitary—Plague), dated Simla, 28th April 1899, No. 1550.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following regulation to be observed by all persons embarking on board vessels at any port in British India, namely,—

1. No person, without the written or printed permission in this behalf of the Local Government in whose territories the port is situated, under the signature of a Secretary to Government, first obtained, shall take either on his own person, or in any baggage or parcel, or as cargo or otherwise howsoever, or shall send or permit to be taken or sent on his account either on the person of another, or in any baggage or parcel, or as cargo or otherwise howsoever, any plague microbes or cultures on board any vessel in any port in British India.

2. No person, whether he has or has not obtained permission as hereinbefore required, shall take, send or permit to be taken or sent as aforesaid any such microbes or cultures, on any such vessel at any such port unless and until he has—

(1) given 14 clear days' notice in writing of his intention so to do to the Health officer of such port; and

(2) by a certificate in the form hereinafter contained and signed by such person, and in such other manner as may be required by such officer, satisfied such officer that all such microbes or cultures—

(a) are addressed to, and intended for scientific purposes at, some recognised constituted laboratory or laboratories specified by such person in his own handwriting; and

(b) are secured in a tin or tins—

(i) of adequate strength,

(ii) hermetically sealed, and

(iii) labelled with such distinguishing inscription as will suffice to make immediately manifest the nature of the contents thereof.

(Signed) A. H. L. FRASER,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 1551.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Madras for information and guidance.

(By order.)

(Signed) R. NATHAN,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ENCLOSURE.

Form of certificate referred to in rule 2 (2).

Certified that the plague microbes (or cultures) which I wish to send to _____ by the vessel _____ which is timed to sail from the port of _____ on the _____ are addressed to the Scientific Laboratory at _____ and are intended for scientific purposes at that Laboratory or other recognised Scientific Laboratories. Certified also that the microbes (or cultures) are secured in _____ tin(s) of adequate strength, hermetically sealed, and labelled.

(Signed)

DATED _____,
The 1899.

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(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

9th May 1899.

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A. H. L. Fraser
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Presidency Port Officer.
" Collectors, Maritime Districts.
" the Superintendent, Government Press.
" the Public Department.
" the Political Department.
" the Local and Municipal Department.
" the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.
" the Sanitary Commissioner, through the Public Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

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