

Marine (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 516

DATED 5 June 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Medical Inspection: Ordered that a telegram be despatched to the Colonial Secretary Colombo stating that all vessels leaving Madras ports for ports out of India are liable to - for plague and enquiring whether the Ceylon Govt wishes that the rules be relaxed in the case of its own vessels carrying medical officers.

Removal of 543  
17.6.97

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Colonial Secretary,  
Columbo

All vessels coming from -  
(Bipinnam)  
Madras ports for ports  
out of India are  
- liable to be (Cibahant)  
medically inspected  
for plague. Does Geylon  
Govt. wish relaxation  
of rules - (Steriac) - in  
case of - (Tannernis) its  
own vessels carrying  
medical officer.

<sup>urgent</sup>  
Marine (1897) Department.

~~The Hon. Mr. P. H. C. J. E.~~

CURRENT No.

797

~~For orders.~~

The rules issued under G.O. 344 Marine of 8<sup>th</sup> April 1897 make medical inspection of all vessels leaving certain ports for "ports of India, compulsory." Order the view of the District Surgeon thus seems correct.

From

The Presidency Port Office,  
Madras

No.  $\frac{949}{200}$  4

N.S.

W.H.

4.6.97

Dated 1<sup>st</sup> June 1897

This is so. But ask the Ceylon Port if it would with the rules relaxed as regards these vessels which have their own (Ceylon Service) medical officers

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SUBJECT.

Enquiring whether the view of the District Surgeon of Madras is correct regarding inspection of vessels belonging to the Ceylon Immigration Service.

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Heading.

PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICE,  
Madras, 14<sup>th</sup> June 1897.

From

Commander H. A. Street R. I. M.,

PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICER,

*Madras,*

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

MARINE DEPARTMENT,

*Chepak.*

SIR,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the Port Officer at Pamban has brought to my notice that the District Surgeon of Madurai has decided that the vessels belonging to the Ceylon Immigration Service should be treated in respect to the medical inspection required by the Plague Regulations as vessels bound to a foreign port, though they are only employed in running between Pamban and Ceylon ports.

2. In view of the fact that each of the

the five vessels referred to carries her own Medical Officer and they are to all intents and purposes vessels of the Ceylon Government, I beg to enquire whether the view of the District Surgeon is correct.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,  
Your Obedient Servant,  
H. A. H. H.  
Commander R. J. H.  
Presidency Port Officer.

Marine (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 797

~~From Order~~  
B. from order

No. 516 March 5 June 1897

Ordered that the following telegram be despatched, From the A. O. Madras No. 749/200/9

To The Hon. the Colonial Secretary Colombo.

Dated 1-6-97  
Received 4-6-97  
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"All vessels leaving Madras ports for ports out of India are liable to medical inspection for plague. Does Ceylon Govt. with rules relaxed in case of its own vessels carrying medical officers?"

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SUBJECT.

Enquiring whether the view of the District Surgeon of Madras is correct regarding inspection of vessels belonging to the Ceylon Immigration Service

C.S. Please send a docket sheet for the G.P. which has been detained here for the expected reply from Ceylon. 19/6/97 Jacket? Herewille 11/6/97

