

Marine (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 543-4 Marine

DATED 17 June 1897

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by M. S. S. S.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Government vessels.

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Letter, No. 544, 17th June 1897.

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MARINE DEPARTMENT.

LETTER—from

THE HONOURABLE COLONEL D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, R.E.,  
Secretary to the Government of Madras,  
Marine Department,

To

THE HONOURABLE THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,  
COLOMBO.

SIR,

With reference to your communications noted in the margin, I am directed to forward, for the information of His Excellency the Governor, the accompanying

Letter, dated 4th June 1897.  
Telegram, dated 14th June 1897.

copy of a notification of this Government exempting from medical inspection, under the Epidemic Diseases Act, all vessels of the Ceylon Government carrying emigrants from Madras Presidency ports to Ceylon.

2. I am to add that the regulations under the Epidemic Diseases Act are intended to remain in force only so long as the plague lasts.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your most obedient servant,

Colonel, R.E.,  
Secretary to Government.

OOTACAMUND,  
17th June 1897.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

Government {1897} of Madras.  
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## GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

## MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., No. 516, Marine, dated 5th June 1897.

Read—the following letter from Commander H. A. STREET, R.I.M., Presidency Port Officer, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated 1st June 1897, No. 949/200 G. :—

I have the honour to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the Port officer at Pámban has brought to my notice that the District Surgeon of Madura 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 Pámban and Ceylon ports.

2. In view of the fact that each of 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.

Order—No. 516, Marine, dated 5th June 1897.

Ordered that the following telegram be despatched :—

To the Honourable the Colonial Secretary, Colombo.

All vessels leaving Madras ports for ports out of India are liable to medical inspection for plague. Does Ceylon Government wish rules relaxed in case of its own vessels carrying medical officer?

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Col., R.E.,  
Secretary to Government.

READ—also the following papers :—

From the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Marine Department, dated 4th June 1897.

I am directed to state, for the information of the Government of Madras, that it has been brought to the notice of this Government that the immigrant vessels leaving Pámban for Ceylon are subjected to inspection by the Port Health officer and Civil Apothecary at Pámban, under the regulations notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette Extraordinary* of April 8th, 1897.

2. I am desired by His Excellency the Governor of Ceylon to request that you will, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor of Madras in Council, be so good as to cause instructions to be issued so as to avoid any delay in the granting of a bill of health after such inspection. It is presumed that the regulations made by the Madras Government are intended to remain in force only so long as the plague lasts,

Telegram from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Marine Department, Ootacamund, dated 14th June 1897.

Your telegram 5th instant. Ceylon Government wishes immigrant vessels exempted from medical inspection.

ORDER—No. 543, Marine, dated 17th June 1897.

Ordered that the following notification be published in the Fort St. George and Madura District Gazettes :—

## NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Act III of 1897, the Epidemic Diseases Act, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt from medical inspection, under the rules published at pages 517 and 518 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 13th April 1897, Part I, all vessels belonging to the Ceylon Government which may leave ports in the Madras Presidency with emigrants for Ceylon.

[Here enter No. 544, Marine, dated 17th June 1897.]

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,  
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent, Government Press.  
" Collector, Madura.  
" Presidency Port Officer.  
" Local and Municipal Department.  
" Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Medical Inspection of  
Ceylon for vessels

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Marine  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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Show for

Print  
G.O. No. 576 Marine, 2/5/97

again  
Read the following

From the Presy. Port Officer, Madras, No. 949/200 G., dated 1st June 1897.

-do- Colonial Secretary, Colombo, No. - dated 4th June 1897.

Telegram from do - dated 14th June 1897.

The Hon. Mr. P. S. S. C. L. E.

No. 543 Mar 2/17 June 1897  
Ordered that the following

notification be published in the  
Port St. George and Madura District  
Gazettes.

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AA  
17/6/97

S.P.

To

- The Supt. Govt. Press. 9/6/97
- „ Collector, Madura. 2/17/97
- „ Presy. Port Officer. 2/17/97
- „ Local & Munl. Dept. 2/17/97
- „ Public Dept. 2/17/97

H.E. No. 544 Marine, dated 17 June 1897.

To

H.M. 16.6.97 R. 17.6.97

To

The Hon. the Colonial Secretary,  
Colombo.

Sir,

With reference to your communications noted in the margin, I am directed to forward for the information of His Excellency the Governor, the accompanying copy of a notification of this Government exempting from medical inspection, under the Epidemic Diseases Act, all vessels of the Ceylon Government carrying emigrants from Madras Presidency ports to Ceylon.

2. I am to add that the regulations under the Epidemic Diseases Act are intended to remain in force only so long as the plague lasts.

I have &c.

W.H.

For M.

16.6.97

\* Letter dated 4th June 1897.  
Telegram dated 14th June 97.

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This is in reply to  
para 2 of the Colonial  
Secretary's letter*

# Marine (1897) Department.

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CURRENT No. 848

*Telegram*

Order

From

*The Colonial Secretary  
Colombo*

No. -

Dated 14-6-97

Received 15-6-97

Enclosures -

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## SUBJECT.

*Ceylon immigrant vessels  
Stating that the Ceylon  
Govt. wishes — to be exempted  
from medical inspection.*

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W. H. L. L. L.  
19/6/97*

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 324 7 8 4 97  
 327 7 8 4 97

Marine (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 821

Order 848

Order

From

The Colonial Secretary  
Colombo

No. -

Dated 4-6-97

Received 10-6-97

Enclosures -

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SUBJECT.

Ceylon Immigrant vessels

Requesting that instructions may be issued so as to avoid any delay in the granting of a Bill of Health after the inspection by the Port Health Officer & Civil Apothecary at Panbani to the \_\_\_\_\_ and presuming that the present regulations are intended to remain in force only so long as the plague lasts.

Answer reply to telegram  
sent to the Colonial Secretary  
on the 5th inst.  
W.H.

BACK PAPERS.

FURTHER PAPERS.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 ombo, 1<sup>st</sup> June, 1897

CHIEF SECRETARY  
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS  
D. JUN. 1897

*[Signature]*  
for Colonial Secretary