

Marine (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 68 Mar

DATED 23 January '99

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[Despatch Abstract.]

A. Benjamin, late of the S.S. "Laurel Branch"

Orders that the R^d Hon^{ble} the Secretary of
India be informed that _____ is apparently
a native of the Presidency that the expenditure of £ 3.16.9
incurred on his account is accordingly admissible
against the Indian Revenues

Stating that A. Benjamin, late of the S.S.
"Laurel Branch" is apparently a native of
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MARINE (1899) DEPARTMENT.

Dated 23rd January,

STATING that A. Benjamin, late of the S.S. *Laurel Branch*, is apparently a native of the Madras Presidency and that the expenditure of £3-16-9 incurred on his account is accordingly admissible against the Indian revenues.

No. 3, MARINE, 23RD JANUARY 1899.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

LETTER—to

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA.

MY LORD,

We have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's despatch, No. 14, Financial, dated 24th November 1898, and to state in reply that the distressed seaman, A. Benjamin, is apparently a native of this Presidency. The expenditure of £3-16-0 incurred on his account is accordingly admissible against the Indian revenues.

We have the honour to be,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient, humble servants,

(Signed) A. E. HAVELOCK.

(„) A. T. ARUNDEL.

(„) H. M. WINTERBOTHAM.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
23rd January 1899.

Encl. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar

Government (1899) of Madras.
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No. 68, MARINE, 23RD JANUARY 1899.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Governor in Council, Fort St. George, dated India Office, London, 24th November 1898, No. 14 (Financial).

I forward a copy of a letter from the Board of Trade, dated the 8th of November, and of its enclosure, and request that I may be informed whether the claim therein preferred, on account of expenses incurred in the relief of A. Benjamin, stated to be a native of Madras and late of the S.S. *Laurel Branch*, should be admitted as a charge against the revenues of India.

ENCLOSURES.

From COSMO MONKHOUSE, Esq., Assistant Secretary, Board of Trade (Finance Department), to the Under Secretary of State, India Office, dated 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., 8th November 1898, No. 20165 R.

I am directed by the Board of Trade to transmit herewith a statement of expenses incurred by this department in the relief of a native of British India named A. Benjamin, late of the S.S. *Laurel Branch*, and to request that you will be good enough to move the Secretary of State for India to direct that the sum of three pounds sixteen shillings and nine pence (£3-16-9) be transferred to the credit of this department in the usual manner.

The abovementioned lascar (a native of Madras) shipped in the *Laurel Branch* at Blyth on the 1st July and was discharged on the 30th July 1898 into hospital at Port Said, suffering from rheumatism.

An account of wages was rendered to Her Majesty's Consul by the Master of the vessel and the balance due has been applied towards the expenses incurred on the seaman's behalf.

I am to add that, ultimately, A. Benjamin was forwarded to Madras in the S.S. *Clan Murray* under an order for conveyance as a distressed native seaman.

No. F. 20165.

STATEMENT of Expenses incurred by Her Majesty's Government, in respect of A. Benjamin, of the *Laurel Branch*, S/S O.N. 99621, of Sunderland.

PARTICULARS OF EXPENSES AT PORT SAID.

July 30th to September 2nd, 1898.

Hospital Expenses—

35 days at 3s. per day	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£.	s.	d.	
Boat hire, etc	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	0	
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Less wages deposited with Her Majesty's Consul								Total	...	5	6	9
								...	...	1	10	0
								Total	...	3	16	9

No. 68, MARINE, 23RD JANUARY 1899.

No. 5 E.

Referred to the Presidency Port Officer for report.

(Signed) A. S. RUSSELL,
Under Secretary to Government.

3rd January 1899.

No. 498/10 G.

The man is apparently a native of this Presidency, as he is reported to have been sent to Madras as a distressed seaman from Port Said. The claim may therefore be admitted as a charge against the revenues of India.

(Signed) H. A. STREET, Comdr., R.I.M.,
Presidency Port Officer.
MADRAS,
10th January 1899.

ORDER—No. 68, Marine, dated 23rd January 1899.

Ordered that the following despatch be sent.

[Here enter No. 3, Marine, dated 23rd January 1899.]

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

MAINE DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:—

Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India,

No. 14 Financial, dated 24th November 1898

From the Presidency Post Officer, Madras, No. 498 G., dated 10th January 1899

Circulated to—

ORDER. No. 68 Mar 23. 1. 99.

Ordered that the following despatch be sent

To 1103 Marine
8/23/99
The Right Honourable the Secretary of State
for India,

My Lord,

We have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Lordship's Despatch, No. 14 Financial, dated 24th November 1898, and to state in reply that the distressed Seaman A. Benjamin is apparently a native of this Presidency. The expenditure of £3-16-9 incurred on his account is accordingly admissible against the Indian Revenues.

We have &c,

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W. H. S. 11. 1. 99

Marine (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 52

Order

From

The Chief Port officers

No. $\frac{498}{10}$ 4

Dated 10.1.99

Received 11.1.99

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SUBJECT.

A. Benjamin, late of the
S.S. "Laurel Branch".

Reporting that the claim
preferred by the Board of Trade
on account of expenses
incurred in the relief of —
may be admitted as a
charge against the Revenue
of India.

BACK PAPERS.

FURTHER PAPERS.

F. 20165.

GOVERNMENT IN RESPECT OF A. BANJAMIN OF THE "LAURELBRANCH"

S/S O.N. 99621 of SUNDERLAND.

Particulars of Expenses at Port Said.

1898.

July 30th to September 2nd.

Hospital Expenses

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Boathire etc.	1. 9.
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£5. 6. 9.

Less Wages deposited with

Her Majesty's Consul £1.10. 0.

Total £3.16. 9.

(Sd) Cosmo Monkhouse.

Assistant Secretary,

Finance Department,

Board of Trade.

8th November 1898.

F. 20165.

BOARD OF TRADE,

(Finance department)

7 Whitehall Gardens,

London, S.W.

8th November 1898.

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The Under Secretary of State,
India Office.

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(Sd) Cosmo Monkhouse.

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INDIA OFFICE,

LONDON. 24th NOVEMBER 1898.

FINANCIAL,

No. 14.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR

IN COUNCIL FORT ST. GEORGE.

Sir,

I forward a copy of a letter from the Board of Trade dated the 18th of November and of its enclosure, and request that I may be informed whether the claim therein preferred, on account of expenses incurred in the relief of A. Benjamin, stated to be a native of Madras and late of the S.S. "Laurel Branch", should be admitted as a charge against the revenues of India.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble Servant,

George Hamilton

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CHIEF SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
13 DEC 1898

ASH.
13.12.98

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Marine (1899) Department.

No: 5E- d/3 January 99.

CURRENT No. 13
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Order

Referred to the
Presidency Port Officer for
report.

From
The Secretary of State
for India

As Russell.
Under Secretary
to Government.

No. 14 Financial

Dated 24-11-98

Received 2-1-99

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To The Presidency Port Officer
in original. The returned.

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S.S. "Laurel Branch"

No 498/10 G
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Revenues of India.

Enquiring whether the claim
preferred by the Board of
Trade on account of the
expenses incurred in the relief
of — Should be admitted
as a charge against the
revenues of India.

H. A. Theist

Madras,
10 Jan. 1899.
mmv.

Commander, R.S.M.
Presy. Port Officer.

No. 3.

Financial,
24th November 1898.

The
Letter to Fort St. George,

No. 14.

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FURTHER PAPERS.