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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

13th December 1880, No. 1802.

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2. The Accountant-General has now taken exception to this procedure, on the ground that the examination for which the leave has been hitherto granted, is not one which must be passed before the Sub-Registrar is eligible for higher appointment in his own department.

3. Under these circumstances, I have the honor to request that the Government will be pleased to instruct the Accountant-General to consider their authorization of 1875 to apply to all Special Test Examinations qualifying for higher appointment in the Uncovenanted Service generally.

No. 2128.

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FORT ST. GEORGE,
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(Signed) R. DAVIDSON,
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No. 33. *From W. DONALD, Esq., Officiating Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 22nd November 1880, No. 4283.*

Treasury Account Department.

With reference to your endorsement, No. 2128, dated 15th November 1880, referring, for my remarks, letter from the Inspector-General of Registration, No. 395, dated the 8th November 1880, on the subject of the grant of Examination leave to Sub-Registrars, I have the honor to state that I am of opinion that leave, under Section 14 of Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, can be granted to an officer, only if the examination be one which he must pass before he is eligible for a higher subordinate appointment in his own department.

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No. 34.

ORDER THEREON, 13th December 1880, No. 1802.

The Government see nothing in the Civil Leave Code, as quoted by the Accountant-General, limiting the Examination leave in the manner for which he contends. The effect of it would be to absolutely exclude persons of one branch of the public service from entering any other, the preliminary to employment in which is a successful examination in certain special subjects; for the only authority competent to decide whether the candidate can be spared from his post, and deserves the privilege from his general good conduct, is to have no voice in the matter. If such authority is not to dispose of such applications, what other is to be allowed to do so?

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(True Extract.)

R. DAVIDSON,
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To the Revenue Department.
„ the Military Department.
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„ all Heads of Departments under Chief Secretariat.

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