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To

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THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIONS
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ALL ACCOUNTANTS-GENERAL
THE HEAD COMMISSIONER OF PAPER CURRENCY
THE MINT MASTER, CALCUTTA
THE MINT MASTER, BOMBAY
THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE POST OFFICE OF INDIA
THE COMMISSIONER OF NORTHERN INDIA SALT REVENUE
THE SUPERINTENDENT OF GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN INDIA

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"A practice of making in a lump sum such large recoveries in cases of this description seems calculated to occasion considerable hardship, and it would, I think, be desirable that the principle of making such adjustments by instalments proportioned to the pay of the officer concerned should generally be adopted."

2 The Governor-General in Council desires to call the attention of all officers concerned to the foregoing remarks of the Secretary of State

(Signed) J F FINLAY,
Offg Under Secy. to the Govt of India

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