GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Order—dated 9th April 1883, No. 195, Educational.

His Excellency the Governor in Council considers it desirable that applications for exemption from examinations qualifying for entrance into the public service, or for holding appointments for which certain special tests have been prescribed, should in future be dealt with in one Department of the Government Office. This will most conveniently be the Educational Department; and references on this subject should hereafter be dealt with finally in that Department.

(True Extract.)

C. G. MASTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Military Department.
" Public Works Department.
" Judicial Department.
" Public Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1883} Madras.

EDUCATIONAL.

No 1200 Wd/21st April/83

Recorded for guidance.

(Sd) R. S. S.

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G.O., 9th April 1883, No. 195.

No 1200 Wd/ 21-4-83

APRIL.

Exemption from Examinations.

Directing that applications for — qualifying for entrance into the public service, or for holding appointments for which certain special tests have been prescribed, should in future be dealt with finally in the Educational Department of the Government Office.

With Order
Pub 1277/83

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To

Major. C. Bowen. R.E.
Under Secretary to Government P.W.D.
Madras.

Honored Sir,

Having been given to understand that some overseers and Sub-overseers 1st grade are about to be appointed in the D.P.W. I beg leave to offer myself as a candidate for the same.

I have about 12 years service of whic 6 years as overseer and I was in charge of the Irrigat and road works attached to the Gunnavaram Sectio Godavari District, and that in 1880 when all Local Fund works were transferred to the Civil Authoritie I was transferred to the Godaveri L. F. Board. & since I have been employed as overseer on Rs 60 attached to the Cocanada Section. I have bee discharging my duties entirely to the satisfactio of my superiors Vide copies of my testimonials enclosed for your honors kind perusal and favorable consideration. Under the above circumstances, I respectfully solicit the favo of being granted with an overseers place.

For this act of kindness I shall feel most thankful.

I beg to Remain
Honored Sir
Your most obedient serva

Govindarajan

may

Testimonials

T. Govindarajah served in my Office as draughtsman for a short time and gave every satisfaction.

Chintapilly
28.3.76.

(Signed) H. S. Taylor
Assistant Engineer, Godavery

Assistant Draftsman T. Govindarajoo Pilla is permitted to apply to the District Engineer, Chingelpu for employment in the Mount Range.

The assistant Draftsman has been employed in this Office for some years and his conduct has been good he has passed the examination for Draftsman.

Samulcotta
30th May 1876

(Signed) J. Beatty Major R.E.
District Engineer, Godavery

I am personally acquainted with T. Govindaraja=lu Pillay and his services in the Godavery District. He first served in it as a second Draughtsman in the Supg. Engineer's Office; and then came to me as a Local Fund Sub-overseer in the Central Delta Division, in July 1878. and when the L.F. works were seperated from the D.P.W. he was made over to the Local Fund district Establishment. I knew him from /73 to /80 and always found this subordinate a steady good man. He now seeks employment as Sub-overseer, for which he is well fitted in every way.

18-8-84.

(Signed) J. W. H. Ellis
Assistant Engineer

Endorsement on overseers letter No. 88 dated 24th October 1881 for a post Delta Supdt. in D.P.W. No. 2237.

"Govindarajah Pillay's petition may be forwarded, at the same time I

may

may remark that at present it will be in convenient for the Local Fund Department to dispense with his services.

(Signed) R. H. Brown C. E
26-10-81.
Local Fund Engineer

Before 2nd Draftsman Govindal Raja Pilla can be appointed as sub-overseer it is necessary that he should his ability to survey and Level. He will therefore make a survey of the two Compounds and between the main Road and Workshops (Colll Beatty's and Mr Walch's) with prismatic compass and chain plotting the Same and bringing it with his field book to the undersigned.

He will also level from the Standard B.M. on the Dowlaishweram Lock to each of the furlong stones in first mile L. B. main Canal producing his book when done

27-6-78.
(Signed) G. T. Walch
Ag: District Engineer

No 1177.

District Engineer's Office
Dowlaishweram 11th July 1878

Memorandum

With reference to his docket No 66 of 24th June 1878 the Sub-Engineer in charge Central Delta Dn is informed that the undersigned has appointed Tanjore Govindaraja Pillay, Assistant Draughtsman of this Office, Sub-overseer of the 1st grade Vice B. Vira Venkayya dismissed, and directed him to join the Central Delta Dn as soon as possible and report himself to Mr Ellis.

(Signed) G. T. Walch
Ag: District Engineer

T. Govindarajah pillay has been out levelling with me and showed himself capable of reading the level as well as adjusting it

Dowlaishweram
6th March 1878
(Signed) B. H. Young
Assistant Engineer

Extract of remarks passed by the Local Fund Engineer on overseer T. Govindaraja Pillay's letter dated 4th August 1884 requesting permission to apply for a Post in the D. P. W.

Mr Govindaraja Pillay is at liberty to try for a P. W. D. appointment if he wishes to do so, but as his being absent on leave prevents my getting another overseer and also prevents other overseers obtaining leave I would be glad if he would make up his mind as to whether he intends to return or not as the work on the Aditegula road must soon be commenced and an overseer is required.

15-5-84.
(Initial) R. H. B. C. E.
Local Fund Engineer

(True Extract)

No 1153

Forwarded to overseer M. R. Ry T. Govinda-raja Pillay for information.

(By order)
(Signed) T. V. Kristnamurty
Head Accountant

T. Govindarajah Pillay has served under my orders in this Office as draughtsman for nearly two months, and has afforded every

every satisfaction. He draws neatly and estimates correctly.-
(Signed) H. S. Taylor
Assistant Engineer
Ellore Dt office
20th March 1877.-

M.C. No 84

Proceedings of the Madras Govt. P. W. Department
6th October 1876 No. 2699

No 106 Read the following letter from Major J. Beatty R.E. Officiating Superintending Engineer, Godavery, to Major-General G. W. Walker R.E. Secretary to Govt. P. W. D., dated Dowlaishweram, 22nd September 1876 No. 1776:—

Two lists, Nos 235 and 290
T. Govindaraju Pillai, 2nd Draughtsman District Engrs office, possessing 3rd class certificate
G. Krishnabrahmum.

At the suggestion of the Examiner, Public Works accounts, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to obtain sanction for that Officer's passing the salaries of the individuals named in the margin, which have been disallowed in the accompanying lists.

2. The case is similar to that disposed of in G. O. No. 2015, of the 14th Ultimo. My draughtsman C. Kasava charier went on sick leave. The Assistant draughtsman, T. Govindaraju Pillai, was appointed to act for him on a moiety of the draughtsmans salary, and as no passed candidates were available a Volunteer draughtsman had to be taken on on Rupees 19-8-0 per mensem. C. Kasavacharier has been absent on sick certificates since 20th April, and has just applied for a further extension of three months. There are no unemployed passed candidates in this district.

No 107 Order Thereon, 6th October 1876 No. 2699.

Establishment, No 13

Under the circumstances mentioned in the last sentence of the Supg. Engineer's letter, Govt. authorize the Examiner to admit the charges disallowed by him.

(True Extract)
(Signed) G. W. Walker Major General R.E.
Secretary to Government.

T. Govindarajah Pilli has drawn some estimates for building repairs on the Mission premises & I have great pleasure in certifying that he has done them correctly and well
(Signed) F. N. Alexander
Missionary C. M. S. Ellore
4th September 1877.

No. 1876 Day 16th October /84

Memorandum

With reference to his application without date, T. Govinda Raja is requested to submit at once a regular application, for a post of Sub. Overseer, to the Supg Engr I Circle, who will consider his claims and qualifications,-

C.S.
15.10.84

To
T. Govinda Raja-
Pillay.
Copy to Supg Engr I Circle

Sd 16/10
Cn

F.C.
37 D. 8-1-85.

E.

Please send a memo to this man — [illegible] Major by name I think — who applied recently for a post, telling him to submit at once his application for a Sub-Overseership to the S.E. I Circle who will consider his claims & qualifications.

CW
15/10

No. 1876 D d/ 16-10-84

W.
18/10

Rajahmundry
19 November 84.

To
Major C. Bowen R. E.
Dy: Chief Engineer P. W. Dept.
Madras.

Most Honored Sir,

In obedience to your honor's memo: No. 1876 D of 17th October 1884. I humbly beg to state that I have made my application as therein directed, and herein enclose the copy of the endorsement given by Supg: Engineer 1st " Circle for perusal.

I would humbly beg to bring the following few lines for your honor's favorable consideration that I have for the last 7 years held post as overseer, my present post worth (Rs 60 + 45) & I have been discharging my duties giving entire satisfaction to my Superiors in D.P.W and also in L.F.

Having now heard that some Taluq overseers post are vacant under your honor's Control. I beg to

Offer

passing the overseers

offer myself as a candidate for the same.

Inclo 9891

For this act of kindness I shall be most thankful.

I beg to remain
Most Honored Sir
Your most obedient & humble Svt.
Govindarajulu

Rec 27/11/84
En 1

P. W. Dept.

No 131

Petition from T. Govindarajulu Pillay Local Fund overseer, dated 30th October and 3rd 12th November 1884 requesting to be favored with a sub-overseer post in Public Works Department.

Endorsement

The petition is informed that his application has been registered in this office.

(Signed) M. A. Mathews
For Supg: Engineer 1st Cir

Supg: Engrs office
1st Circle Dowlaishweram
10th November 1884

To
T. Govindaraja Pillay
Local Fund overseer
Godavari District

E.

This applicant may suit for one of the Tempy Overseerships in connection with Wards Estates in I Circle. —

You may ask him if he will take one (Rs 80) — telling him the post will be a temporary one only.

I presume he has the authority of L. F. Board to apply, but this had better be ascertained.

CS.
11.11

D.W.

The Petitioner seems only to have been a Sub Overseer in the P. W. D. & ~~as~~ we have still numerous applications from passed men, would it not be well to let this application "lie over" with the others till the new posts are sanctioned when they could all be considered together?

I.M.
11.10

Very good.

CS.
11.10

9891/84

No 37 D 8-1-84

E.

Let me see, please, the papers connected with one Govinda Raju or Rajooloo who applied some months ago for an overseer's or sub-overseer post & about whom I wrote to S. & I.

CS.
7.1.85

D.W.

Submitted.

EAS.
7/1/85

E.

We might wire to S. & I, with reference to his telegram of yesterday, to ask whether he will take Govinda Raju as a temporary overseer on Rs 60. If S. & I is willing, we can thus fill one of the vacancies.

CS.
7.1

D.W.

The man is not qualified for the post of Overseer, and the Educational Deptt. will have to be asked to exempt him from passing the Overseer's Test. There

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Reg. of Memdy

P. W. Deptt.

th January/85

emorandum.

With reference to his application dated 19th Novr. 1884, T. Govinda Rajaw Pillay is requested to report at once whether he has obtained the permission of the Local Fund Board to take up a temporary appointment as Overseer in the P. W. Deptt.

CS.
7.1.85

I.M.
7.1.85

R.J./

E.

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You may ask him if he will take one (Rs 80)— telling him the post will be a temporary one only.

I presume he has the authority of L. F. Board to apply, but this had better be ascertained.

CJ.
11.11

He has the authority of
the L. F. Board

D.W.

The Petitioner seems only to have been a Sub Overseer in the P.W.D. & ~~has~~ we have still numerous applications from passed men, would it not be well to let this application "lie over" with the others till the new posts are sanctioned when they could all be considered together?

EM.
11.10

Very good.

CJ.
11.18

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is also nothing to show that he has obtained the permission of the President L. F. Board to take up a temporary appointment in the P.W. Dept.

EAS
7/1/85.

Under para 107 of Code he can be appointed — more especially as he is only wanted temporarily. Ask him if he has permission of L. F. Board.

CJ.
7.1.85

× Since seen G.O. 195 d/9 Apl/83 which restricts the power.

RS
10-1-85

Rajahmundry
by the Local
P. W. Dept.

D/

No. 37 Dd/8th January/85

Memorandum.

With reference to his application dated 19th Novr 1884, T. Govinda Rajaw Pillay is requested to report at once whether he has obtained the permission of the Local Fund Board to take up a temporary appointment as Overseer in the P. W. Dept.

CJ.
7.1.85

MS
7.1.85

T. Govinda Rajaw Pillay
Local Fund Overseer
Rajahmundry.

Despd 8-1-85

EAS. R.S./

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F.C.
Bld. 20-1-85.

No. 37 D d/ 8-1-85

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D.W.
W.

Rajahmundry

To
Extract of rem ... by the Local

Fund Engineer on overseer T. Govindaraj
Pillay's letter dated 4th August 1884 request-
permission to apply for a post in the D.P.W.
"Govindaraja Pillay is at liberty to try for
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15-5-84 (Signed) P. H. Brown C.E.
Local Fund Engineer

(True Extract)

No. 1153

Forwarded to overseer Ln. R.Ry. T. Govin-
-daraja Pillay for information

(By order)
(Signed) T. V. Kistnamoorty
Head - accountant

(True copy)

Od Jan / 428/85

Rajahmundry
14th January/85

To

Major C. Bowen R.E.
Dy: Chief Engineer P.W. Dept.

Honored Sir,

In obedience to your honor's mem
No. 37 D of 8th Instant. I most humbly
beg to enclose herewith a copy of the
S. F. Engineer's endorsement on my
letter for a transfer to D.P.W. whic
will convince your honor that I have
already obtained my superiors permi
to try my chances in the D.P.W.

I beg to remain
Honored Sir
Your Most obdt. & humble St
Govindal Rajan

P. W. D.

D

No 131 D dt 20th January /85

Telegram (deferred)

To,
Supg Engineer I Circle
Rajahmundry

Tel: despatched
19/1/85

My number 1876 D sixteenth October × Will you take T. Govinda Raju as a temporary Overseer on Rupees sixty ×

C.W.
19.1.85

No. 37 D d/ 8-1-85
" 28 D d/ 6-1-85
" 1876 D d/ 16-10-84
G.O.d 1200 W d/ 21-4-83

F.C.

260 D. 3-2-85.

No. 131 D d/ 20-1-85

Ed.

P. W. D.

No. 260 D d/ 3rd February/85

Telegram (deferred)

To,

Supdg. Engr: I Circle
Rajahmundry

Please wire reply to my telegram of 19th January regarding Govinda Raju

(Signed) C. B. Mojirkh

Despd 3.2.85

No. 131 Dd 20-1-85
" 37 Dd 8-1-85
" 1876 Dd 16-10-84
G.O. B/1200 W dd 21-4-83

F.C.
244 C. 7-2-85

No. 260 Dd 3-2-85

No. 2526 G.D.

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER
FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER
Public Works Department
~~FOR IRRIGATION~~

DOWLAISHWARAM, 27th January 1885.
Desp'd 29th.

SIR,

With reference to your telegram of the 19th Instant, I have the honor to inform you that there will be no objection to the appointment of T. Govinda Raja Pillay as a temporary Overseer on Rs. 60 and I would suggest that he be posted to the Godavari for employment on Estate Works.

2. The Collector of Ganjam recommends Mr. C. J. Fonceca (passed Overseer in 1877) and lately employed on the Kimedi Estate and I would suggest that Mr. Fonceca be appointed to the temporary Overseer post available in the Ganjam Division. When Sasha Ayergal joins this Circle there will still be two Overseer posts unfilled.

One in the Rushikulya Division and one in the Western Delta of the Godavari in the room of Runga Row deceased.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient St.

W. Mathews Asst Engr.
For Supt. Engr. 1st Circle.

JK

C No 971.

D.W.

Govinda Raju may now be appd on Rs 60 and the Educational Deptt asked to exempt him from the Overseers test.

There is no objection to Mr Fonceca's apptt. What pay would you give him 60 or 80 Rs?

Two others Kodanda Ramayya (please see his reply in linked file) and Narayanaswami Nayudu have been offered appts in the I Circle. The latter has not yet replied.

The S.E. has also been asked if he would accept Krustnaswami Nayudu on trial (No 68 C a/ 10/1/85), but no reply has yet been recd.

E.A.S.
4/2/85.

To,

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER
FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER ~~FOR IRRIGATION.~~ DPW
Madras

DATED 27th
DESPATCHED 29th January 1885.
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No. 2526 G.D.

ENCLOSURES. —

G.O. 244 C a/ 7-2-85

T. Govinda Raja Pillay

Suggests the appointment of —— to be a temporary Overseer on Rs 60 in the Godavari District on Estate works.

No 244 C a/ 7th February /85

P. W. D.

Memorandum.

Letter from the Supg Engineer I Circle
No 2526 G.D. a/ 27th January 1885.

The Chief Engineer sanctions the proposed appointment of Mr C. J. Fonceca as a temporary Overseer on Wards Estate Works in Ganjam; but the Superintending Engineer is requested to state the pay he proposes to be given.

Arrangements are being made to post two more temporary Overseers to the I Circle, to complete the Establishment.

W.S.
5.2.85

W.S.
5.2.85

S. E. I Circle. Despd 7-2.85.

No. 260 D d/ 3-2-85
" 131 D d/ 20-1-85
" 37 D d/ 8-1-85
" 1876 D d/ 16-10-84
G.O. B/1200 W d/ 21-4-83

No. 244 C d/ 7-2-85

E.A.S.

12/2

K.W.
W

No. 244 C d/ 7 February /85 P. W. Dept.

Memorandum.

T. Govinda Rajan is appointed a temporary Overseer on Rs 60 per mensem and posted to the I Circle for employment on Wards Estate Works in the Godavari District.

2. This appointment is made subject to his exemption from the Overseer's Test, for which application has been made to the Educational Dept.

3. Govinda Rajan has submitted the written authority of the Local Fund Engineer to his acceptance of employment in the P. W. Dept. But this should, if necessary, be confirmed by the President of the Local Fund Board.

4 Subject to these provisos, Govinda Rajan may report himself for duty to the Superintend-

Engineer I Circle at Dowlaishweram.

CW
5.2.85

WS
5.2.85

84

No. 241 C a/ 7-2-85

ES

To, T. Govinda Rajan
Local Fund Overseer
Rajahmundry
thro' the President L.F. Board.

S.E. I Circle
Ex: P.W. Accts:

Desp'd 7-2.85

No. 242 C a/ 7th February /85

P. W. Dept.

Memorandum.

Adverting to the Proceedings of Government in the Educational Department No. 195 of the 9th April 1883, the undersigned has the honour to request that T. Govinda Rajan, whom it is proposed to appoint as a temporary Overseer in the P. W. Dept., may be exempted from passing the Overseer's Test. The case falls under paragraph 107 of the P. W. Code.

EW

To, The Secy: to Govt. P.W.D.

CW
5.2.85

Transferred to the Educational Dept.

CW
5.2.85

WS
5.2.85

To,
The Educational Dept.

Desp'd 7-2.85

No. 242 Ca/ 7-2-85

EdS

Educational Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following *from*

The Public Works Department dated 7th February 1885 No 242 C. regardin the exemption of Overseer Govinda Raja from the overseers test.

Order 16 Feby/85 No 107 Mis

The exemption of T. Govinda Rajan from the Overseer's test is sanctioned.

(True Extract)

R W Benson

Ag Under Secretar

To

The Public Works Deptt:

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Govt. of {188 } Madras.

✓ P.W. No. 4475

To

The P.W.D.

17.2.85

No. 413 W d/ 21st Feby/85

Communicated to
the Supdg. Engr 1st
Circle in Continuation
of No. 241 C d/ 7th Feby 1885.

C.W.
19.2.85

W.
21.2

S. E. I Circle
Ex: P.W. A.
T. Govinda Raja thro' the
[illegible] L. F. Bd Rajahmundry

21-2-85

Proceedings, dated 6/2 189
No. 107 [illegible]

Subject.

B. No. 413 W d/ 21st Feby/85

Sanctg the exemption
of T. Govinda Rajan
from the overseers
Test

Dc/4/8/85

With Orders