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 (3) ஆதாரங்குறிப்பவர் சுருக்கொப்பம் 600

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It seems advis-
able to issue an
office order on this
subject for the
guidance of H.C.
and the Despatcher.
If you concur will
you kindly draft
an office order and
send it down for
entry in the book.

J.B.

8.4.89.

SAW

I have marked
the original to H.C. &
Despatcher to note.

N.S.

10.10.89

H.C.

Great care
to be taken in
this matter -
J.B.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department (Public), dated Calcutta, the 4th March 1889, No. 5—432-448.

Read—

Home Department Circular letter to Local Governments and Administrations, Nos. 19—860-869, dated the 6th May 1878.

Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 78 (Statistics and Commerce), dated the 8th November 1888, paragraph 4.

Resolution—

In paragraph 2 of Home Department circular read in the preamble, it was ruled that no official letters to Her Majesty's Government or to the Government of India, and no resolution or other official paper that would in ordinary course be reported to either of those authorities, should be made public by Local Governments until the interval had elapsed which was required for their transmission to the superior authority. It was added that if, in cases of rare exigency, this rule had to be transgressed, telegraphic intimation of the circumstances, with explanation, should be sent, to the superior authority. Similarly, communications from the Government of India to subordinate Governments were not to be made public until the interval above described had elapsed, save under exceptional circumstances, the occurrence of which would in each case be explained by telegram to the subordinate Government concerned.

2. The Secretary of State for India has now ruled that no document which forms part, or is likely to form part, of a correspondence between the India Office and any other Government office in England, shall be published without communication with His Lordship. The Governor-General in Council accordingly directs that this rule shall be strictly observed in future.

3. It may be here explained that the rule contained in paragraph 2 of Home Department Circular letter of May 1878 was not intended to apply to departmental administration reports, but extends only to resolutions or official papers of the nature of the communications to the Secretary of State or to the Government of India referred to in that paragraph, that is to say, to resolutions or official papers which call for orders from the authority addressed.

Order—

Ordered, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance; and that a copy be forwarded to all departments of the Government of India for information.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. P. MacDONNELL,
Secretary to the Government of India.

To the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

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ORDER—dated 23rd March 1889, No. 279, Public.

Communicated to the Departments of the Secretariat, in continuation of G.O., dated 28th May 1878, No. 884.

(True Extract.)

Edmund White

Chief Secretary.



To the Revenue Department.
" Military Department.
" Public Works Department.
" Local and Municipal Department.

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With Order