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Political (1898) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 116

DATED 15. 2. 98.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Referring Mahd Abdur Razak Sahib's Memo. to Go. No. 975 Pol dt 22.12.97 with reference to his request that he may be admitted to the Govt House Entertainments in future; informing him that further communication on the subject will not be made

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Political (189) Department.

CURRENT No.

H.E. the Governor

From Mir Rameel Abdor Razak Sahib
(Son of Rafiq-ul-Mulk Bahadur
son-in-law of the late Prince of Arcot
(Grandson of the late Prince of Arcot.

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SUBJECT.

Petitioning that he may not be excluded from the Government House entertainments in future

Petitioner will be referred to G.O. No. 975 Political, dated 22nd December 1887, and be informed that no further communications from him on the subject will be noticed.

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Jersey Jahan Khan Road,
Triplicane, Madras,
7th January 1898.

To,

The Honourable Mr. H. J. Brundel, I.C.S.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Political Department,
Madras.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S
10 JAN 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

The humble petition of Mahomed Abdoor Rozak Sahib (Son of Rafat ul-Mulk Bahadur, Son-in-law of the late Prince of Arcot) (grandson of the late Prince of Arcot).

Most Respectfully Showeth,

That, Your Memorialist was admitted to Government House Entertainments up to 1883, when the reception was stopped on the representation of Col: Baynes, the then Paymaster that the Memorialist gave false evidence in a Criminal Suit filed by the Paymaster against Haji Hafiz Kurshed Ahmed Sahib in the Presidency Magistrate's Court, Egmore.

That, Col: Baynes did not of his own accord take steps for stopping the issue of invitation Cards to the Memorialist and other witnesses and the accused but moved in the matter under the instigation of his Assistant who was in very bad terms with the Memorialist and some of the other witnesses in the Suit.

That, it will be seen from the accompanying copy of Judgment delivered by Col: Weldon that the man who gave false evidence was the chief witness in the case viz: Rauf Ahmed, the son of the accused, and that no comment is made on the evidence of the Memorialist.

That the petitioner was neither the accused in

the Chief witness by whose Statement the Suit was dismissed and that he appeared at the Court on a Subpoena and stated on Solemn affirmation those facts that he knew to be true to the best of his Memory and Conscience.

That it does not appear justifiable to debar a man from invitation for the more reason that he did not give his evidence in the manner required for the Success of a Suit and that a man cannot be Expected to state on Solemn affirmation any facts, which he does not know or believe to be true.

That enquiries may, if necessary, be made of the Paymaster or any other officer which the Government may choose in regard to the Memorialists' Conduct, position in Society, Mode of life, indebtedness to any body, and Connection in any transaction likely to create discreputation, and that if such enquiries prove that the Memorialist is respectable, his name may be restored to the list of persons invited to the Government House reception.

And that if in spite of Chi Weldon's Judgment which does not attach any blame to the Memorialist it is Considered that he is guilty to any Extent, it is Submitted that his Exclusion from reception for the last 14 years is a Sufficient punishment and that his name may now be included in the list.

For which act of Kindness, the petitioner shall ever feel thankful and pray.

J. M——

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