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To the Resident in Travancore & Cochin
" " Madras
" " Bangalore
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Plague Regulations.

Approving the Plague Commissioner's recommendation to amend No. 17 of the Mufassal, and No. 22 of the City of Madras —, and ordering the publication in the Fort St. George Gazette of notifications regarding the proposed amendments.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From the Plague Commissioner, Ref. on C. Nos. 264 and 2175, dated 31st December 1898.

Read—the following papers:—

From the Collector of North Arcot, dated 5th October 1898, Dis. No. 122-P.

ABSTRACT.—Suggesting that separate forms of passport may be prescribed under No. 17 of the Original Mufassal Plague Regulations in the case of incapacitated persons.

From the Collector of Bellary, dated 9th December 1898, Ref. on C. No. 2612-P.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating, for favour of opinion, copies of correspondence connected with the prosecution of a child, 3½ years old, which was not produced by its guardian for inspection during ten days after arrival from a plague-infected area, and suggesting the early amendment of the regulation on the subject.

Reference—on C. Nos. 264 and 2175, dated 31st December 1898.

As stated by the Collector of North Arcot, the passport rules contemplate the issue of a separate passport to each passenger, but do not contain any provision regarding the case of minors and incapacitated persons. In the case of these persons, the obligation to take out passports for them should, the Plague Commissioner thinks, vest in their legal guardians or the persons in charge of them during the railway journey, and the following addition to Mufassal Regulation 17 and City Regulation 22 is submitted for the approval of Government:—

“In the case of minors and incapacitated persons, the obligation to take out passports for them, to present them for daily inspection, to report truly their names and addresses, to intimate any changes in their residence and to comply otherwise with the requirements of this regulation, shall vest in their legal guardians or persons in whose charge they travel or who receive them at the railway station of destination.”

2. As regards the passport form, the only alteration that seems necessary is to substitute the words “present the above-mentioned person” for the word “appear” in the declaration. The entries 1—9 in the amended passport should relate to the minor or incapacitated person and not to the person signing the declaration.

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Plague Commissioner.

To the Collector of North Arcot.
of Bellary.

Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, with enclosure.

ORDER—No. 113 P., dated 20th January 1899.

The Plague Commissioner's recommendation to amend Mufassal Plague Regulation No. 17 and the City of Madras Plague Regulation No. 22 is approved, and the following notifications will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*:—

NOTIFICATIONS.

I.—In the exercise of the power delegated to him by the Governor-General in Council under section 2, sub-section (3), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council directs that the following shall be added as clause xiii to Original Mufassal Regulation No. 17, published on page 137, Part I-A, of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, as amended by notification No. 1029, published on page 379, Part I-A, of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 20th December 1898, and notification No. 11, published on pages 11 and 12, Part I-A, of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 17th January 1899:—

“xiii—In the case of minors and incapacitated persons, the obligation to take out passports for them, to present them for daily inspection, to report truly their names and addresses, to intimate any change in their residence, and to comply otherwise with the requirements of this regulation shall vest in their legal guardians or persons in whose charge they travel or who receive them at the railway station of destination.”

II.—In the exercise of the power delegated to him by the Governor-General in Council under section 2, sub-section (3), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council directs that the following shall be inserted as the penultimate paragraph in the City of Madras Regulation No. 22, published on pages 260 and 261, Part I-A, of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 6th September 1898, as amended by notification No. 831, published on page 292, Part I-A, of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898:—

“In the case of minors and incapacitated persons, the obligation to take out passports for them, to present them for daily inspection, to report truly their names and addresses, to intimate any changes in their residence, and to comply otherwise with the requirements of this regulation shall vest in their legal guardians or persons in whose charge they travel or who receive them at the railway station of destination.”

2. The passport forms prescribed in G.O., No. 641 P., dated 2nd July 1898, as amended by G.O., No. 703 P., dated 20th July 1898, for the Mufassal, and in G.O., No. 890 P., dated 24th August 1898, for the City of Madras, should be amended by the substitution of the words “present the above-mentioned person” for the word “appear” in the declaration, when they are used in the case of minors and incapacitated persons.

(True Extract.)

A. Edgington
for Secretary to Government.

To the Plague Commissioner.

- “all Collectors (A—L).
- “the Sanitary Commissioner.
- “the Surgeon-General.
- “the President, Municipal Commission, Madras.
- “the Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
- “the Marine Department.
- “the Political Department.
- “the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.
- “the General Officers Commanding Districts.
- “all Railway Administrations.
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