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~~Public~~ (1899) Department.

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G.O. No. 528

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Pedigree Certificate

Noting, with remark,
that the request of Shabbiria Begum
Sahiba on behalf of her son Sahib-
wat Hussain Sahib for the grant of
a — must be refused.

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G.O., No. 528, 11th August 1899.

AUGUST.

Pedigree Certificate.

Stating, with remark, that the request of Shabbirā Bégam Sāhiba on behalf of her son Sakhāwat Husain Sāhib for the grant of a --- must be refused.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., No. 322, Political, dated 22nd April 1887.

ABSTRACT.—Prescribing the condition under which certificate of pedigree may be granted to Carnatic stipendiaries.

G.O., Mis. No. 138, Political, dated 11th February 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Informing one Muhammad Sakhawwat Husain of Madras that the Government will not grant him a note of introduction to the Resident at Hyderabad, and transferring to the Educational Department his request to be exempted from the Examination Rules.

READ—also the following paper:—

From Captain R. F. R. FORMBY, I.S.C., Acting Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chepak, 14th July 1899, No. 264.

As Shabbirā Bégam Sāhiba, shadi daughter of His late Highness Zāhir-ud-daula Bahādur, c.o.s.t., the second Prince of Arcot, has applied to me for the grant of a pedigree certificate to her eldest son Muhammad Sakhawwat Husain Sāhib, I have the honour to solicit permission of Government for complying with her request as a special case, as G.O., No. 322, Political, dated 23rd April 1887, rules that persons drawing stipends of Rs. 20 and upwards should only be granted such certificates and Muhammad Sakhawwat Husain is not in the enjoyment of any stipend.

ORDER—No. 528, Political, dated 11th August 1899.

The Government sees no reason for deviating in the present case from the recognised practice. The request of Shabbirā Bégam Sāhiba on behalf of her son Sakhawwat Husain Sāhib must, therefore, be refused.

(True Extract.)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

To the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

Exd. C. M. Thambuswamy.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 528, POLITICAL, DATED 11TH AUGUST 1899.

C. No. 942—From the Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, dated 14th July 1899, No. 264.

OFFICE-NOTE.

The Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends, states that Shabbirā Bégam, the shadi daughter of the late Zāhir-ud-daula, Second Prince of Arcot, has applied to him for a pedigree certificate for her son Muhammad Sakhawwat Husain. The Paymaster, being unable to grant the certificate because G.O., No. 322, Political, dated 23rd April 1887, rules that pedigree certificates shall be granted only to stipendiaries drawing Rs. 20 and upwards, requests permission to treat this as a special case and comply with the Bégam's request.

2. In the early part of this year Sakhawwat Husain petitioned for a letter of introduction to the Resident at Hyderabad with a view to his getting a post in the Nizam's Government, or failing this that he might be exempted from examinations and entertained in the public service. His request for a letter of introduction was refused.

3. A perusal of G.O., No. 322, Political, dated 22nd April 1887, already referred to, shows that the rules as to grant of these certificates were laid down to prevent the "no'er do well" class of stipendiaries trading on them. The then Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends (Colonel Lys), fully concurred with the view of Government that the certificates were frequently misused and recommended that in future they be very sparingly granted, remarking—"A man who holds a respectable position can seldom be in need of a certificate of pedigree." Hence the order.

4. A few cases are now quoted in which special exceptions have been made to the rules—

(a) *Mahdi Husain Sāhib* (a Carnatic stipendiary) was granted a pedigree certificate "as a special case" on the recommendation of the Paymaster (Colonel Stewart) and on the representation that he was "highly respectable" and "a young man who has got on well by his own exertions and is . . . in a responsible position".

(b) *Misbah-ullah* (not a stipendiary), nikahi grandson of Prince Zāhir-ud-daula, c.o.s.t., was also granted a certificate, "not to be treated as a precedent," on the statement of his father that it was required in connection with his son's marriage to be performed in Hyderabad.

(c) *Ghulam Mahdi 'Ali* (not a stipendiary), a great grandson twice removed of Nawab Wallajah, was granted a pedigree certificate, to be produced as evidence in the High Court, on a certificate from the vakil engaged on his case that it was material to a suit and on the Paymaster's recommendation based on the fact that the specific purpose was a legitimate one. This was granted "as a special case".

5. On the other hand the following similar requests have been refused in view of the rules laid down in the Government Order already referred to—

(a) *Mirza Sikandar Baksh* (a Carnatic stipendiary on Rs. 20 per mensem) was refused a pedigree certificate—even though he was in receipt of a pension of Rs. 20 per mensem, because his reasons for acquiring it were found to be not satisfactory, on investigation. He re-petitioned and it then became apparent that he wished to use the certificate for the advancement of himself and his family in Delhi. His request was twice refused.

G.O., No. 173, Political, dated 9th March 1892.

G.O., No. 236, Political, dated 8th April 1892.

(b) *Muhammad Munawar* (not a Carnatic stipendiary but the son of one) was refused a pedigree certificate which he required for the purpose of securing a post in Hyderabad. The Chief Secretary (Sir J. F. Price) stated in a note on the application

* *Abd-ul-ghani, Khan Bahadur.*

that he knew the applicant and his father; that the latter had commuted his pension and became a Deputy Collector with a good record, but that the son was not a promising youth. He deprecated, however, breaking through the rule laid down and therefore considered that the request should be refused. His Excellency the Governor (Lord Wenlock) remarked

"I hardly think that the petitioner has brought forward special reasons strong enough for us to depart from the rule. If, for

G.O., No. 157, Political, dated 8th March 1894.

instance, he says that he is in the running for a good appointment in Hyderabad or elsewhere if he could produce this certificate I would let him have it. But not now."

(c) *Muhammad Munawar* (Carnatic stipendiary on Rs. 8 *per mensem*), a great

G.O., No. 260, Political, dated 23rd April 1894.

G.O., No. 579, Political, dated 21st August 1894.

great grandson of Nawab Wallajah, and a teacher in the yeomiah school in Arcot, was recommended by the Paymaster as an exception to the rule. He wished to use the certificate as a means of advancement in some of the Native States as Hyderabad. It was twice refused by Government and the Paymaster's attention called to the irregularity by which the latter had granted a pedigree certificate to the petitioner's brother without previous sanction.

(d) *Abu Muhammad Sahib* (a Carnatic stipendiary on Rs. 15 *per mensem*) recommended by the Paymaster on the ground

G.O., No. 286, Political, dated 3rd May 1895.

that petitioner wished to use the certificate to gain patronage in opening a business in Rangoon. The request was refused by Government.

In 1898 this Muhammad Munawar addressed His Excellency the Governor direct asking for a letter of introduction to the Resident at Hyderabad and Colonel Price wrote demi-officially to the Private Secretary strongly recommending that Munawar's request be complied with. His Excellency declined the letter of introduction but sent the papers to the Chief Secretary (Hon'ble Mr. Arundel) with the suggestion that perhaps the applicant could get the usual certificate granted to persons going on tour. On the rules being looked up and the records searched the above-quoted Government Order of 1894 refusing the certificate to Muhammad Munawar was produced

Correspondence recorded in G.O., No. 258, Political, dated 16th April 1898.

and as the latter was not eligible, under the rules, to receive a pedigree certificate his request was, with His Excellency's approval, refused with reference to the previous order.

6. Turning now to the current application it will be observed that a request from

Paragraph 2 of this note.

* See petition rejected under the Petition Rules by G.O., No. 117, dated 24th April 1899.

Sakhawat Husain for a letter to the Resident at Hyderabad has already been refused; that his desire for a pedigree certificate has for its object an attempt to secure, through its influence, "employment in the Nizam's Government" and that he is not a Carnatic stipendiary.

7. It is submitted that no ground exists for treating this application specially and that the request of Shabbirid Begam Sahiba on behalf of her son should be refused. A draft order is submitted for approval.

(Intld.) F.W.G.

27-7-99.

() C.M.S.

28-7-99.

(Intld.) G.S.

29-7-99.

Note by His Excellency the Governor.

I agree, and I have passed the Government order accordingly.

At the same time, if this man's case resembles that of the man referred to in

* Proceedings, No. 215.

* (See also paragraph 5 (b) of this note.)

Lord Wenlock's note * of 3rd March 1894, a certificate might issue. The Paymaster may be asked demi-officially if this stipendiary has a particular appointment in view

which will be given to him if he produce a certificate of his pedigree.

(Intld.) A.E.H.

8-8-99.

Political (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 942

Noted in P.C.S. Index.

Pl. are see go. No. 117 Pol. 24. 6. 99.
G.S.
17. 7. 99.

Ref.
There are cases in which similar requests have been refused - & one (1898) in which the applicant was of quite as good position as the present applicant.
Order Please put some. up.

SECRET
15 JUL 1899
DEPARTMENT OF NAUTICS

From
The Secy. Paymaster
Carnatic Stevedores
Chepak

2. Please see Co. No. 288 P.M. 11. 2. 99.
G.S.
17. 7. 99.

No. 264

Order
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Dated 14th July 1899
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The Paymaster's attention will be drawn to go No 138 Pol d/11. 2. 99 in which orders have already been passed on this case.

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21/7/99

SUBJECT.

Solicits permission of Government for the grant of a pedigree certificate to Muhammad Bakharat Ansari Sahib as a special case.

In the P.C.S. (2700)

Note -

The orders regulating these grants are very explicit & a departure therefrom could, apparently, be only under very exceptional circumstances. Please see G.O. 322 Pol d/22. 11. 87.

The present application was made before, by Sakhasetti Hunsagar, in the early part of this year, & was refused. His object is to use the certificate in Hyderabad as a stepping stone to a position under the Mysore.

2/2/77

22 Feb

I thought their sameness, in effect, would make it unnecessary, for the purposes of the present application to enter into the distinction. I have, however, now put up a note which will be useful for future reference. Please see my note on Draft Order.

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27.7.

G.O.	No.	Department.	L. o.
1	117	Sole	10-6-99
2	118	—	5-1-19
3	119	—	11-1-99
4	120	—	15-2-99

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C. No. 942 From the P. C. S. , No. 264 , dated 14-7-1899

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Notes.

W. E. The

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states that Shabbir Begum
the shade daughter of the late
Bahadur - ud - daula, 2nd Prince
of Oudh, has applied to him
for a pedigree certificate for
her son M^r Sakehawut
Shahjahan. The Paymaster,
being unable to grant the cer-
tificate because G.O. 322 Pol
423.14.87 rules that pedigree
certificates shall be granted
only to stipendiaries drawing
Rs 20 upwards, requests permis-
sion to treat this as a special
case & comply with the Begum's
request.

2. In the early part of this year Sakhawat Hussain ^{petitioned} wrote to ~~the~~ ^{for} ~~the~~ ^{for} a letter of introduction to the ~~Nizam~~ ^{Nizam} Resident at Hyderabad with a view to his getting a position in the Nizam's Govt, or failing this that he might be exempted from examinations & entertained in the Public Service of Govt. His request for a letter of introduction was refused.

3. A perusal of GO 322 Pol d/22/1/87, already referred to, shows that the rules as to grant of these certificates were laid down to prevent the "one or do well" class of stipendiaries trading on them. The then PCB (Col. Hys) fully concurred with the view of Govt that the certificates were frequently misused & recommended that in future they be very sparingly granted - remarking; - "A man who holds a respectable position can seldom be in need of a certificate of pedigree". Hence the order.

4. A few cases are now quoted

GO 138 Pol d/11-2-99

GO 509 Pol d/2-8-97

GO 529 Pol d/7-8-97

GO 357 Pol d/14-6-92

in which special exceptions have been made to the rules -
(not a dependant)

(b) Misba-ulla, nikahi grandson of Prince Zabir-ud-Daula GCSI was granted a certificate, "not to be treated as a precedent", on the statement of his father that it was required in connection with his son's marriage to be performed in Hyderabad.
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5. On the other hand the following

similar requests have been refused in view of the rules laid down in the GO already referred to - on Rs 15 per mensem (a Carnatic Stipendiary)

(b) Abu-Muhammad Saib - recommended by the Paymaster on the ground that petitioner wished to use the certificate to gain patronage in opening a business in Rangoon. The request was refused by Govt. ~~as was the case in previous instance of Saib~~ (Carnatic Stipendiary)

(c) Muhammad Munawar - a Great Great Grandson of Nawab Dullazade, a teacher in the Ho-miah School in Areeb was recommended by the Paymaster as an exception to the rule. He wished to use the Certificate as a means of advancement in some of the Native States as "Hyderabad". It was twice refused by Govt & the Paymaster's attention called to the irregularity by which the latter had granted a pedigree certificate to the petitioner's brother without previous sanction

(d) Mirza Sikandar Baksh ^(a Carnatic Stipendiary) was refused a ^{pedigree} certificate - even though he was in receipt of a pension

GO No 286 Pol dt 3-5-95

on Rs 8 per mensem

GO 260 Pol dt 23-4-94

" 579 " " 21-8-94

of Rs 20 per mensem - because his reasons for requiring it were not satisfactory, on investigation. He re-petitioned & it ~~was~~ ^{became} then apparent that he wished to use the certificate for the advancement of himself & his family in Delhi. ^{request} He was twice refused. -

GO No 178 Pol dt 9-3-92
" " 236 " " 8-4-92

(e) Muhammad Munawar (not a Carnatic Stipendiary but the son of one) was refused a pedigree certificate which he required for the purpose of securing a post in Hyderabad. The Chief Secretary

Abdul Jhann Khan Bahadur

(Sir J & P. S. C.) stated in a note on the application that he knew the applicant & his father; that the latter had commuted his pensions & become a Deputy Collector with a good record but that the son was not a promising youth. He deprecated, however, breaking through the rule laid down & therefore ^{considered that} ~~advised Govt to refuse the request~~ ^{should be refused}. His Excellency the Govt

(Lord Wellesley) remarked - "Hardly think that the petitioner has brought forward special reasons"

"strong enough for us to depart from
"the rule. If, for instance, he says
"that he is in the running for a
"good appointment in Hyderabad
"or elsewhere if he could produce
"this certificate I would let him
"have it. But not now."

In 1898, ^{this} Muhammad Munawar
asking for a letter of introduction to the Res^t at Hyderabad
addressed to the Gov^t direct^r & Col
to the P.S.

Pryce wrote R.P. direct^r strongly
recommending that Munawar's
request be complied with. His
excellency declined the letter of
introduction but sent the papers
to the Chief Secretary (Hon. Mr. Arundel)
with the suggestion that perhaps
the applicant could get the
usual certificate granted to persons
going on tour. On the rules being
looked up & the records searched
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Munawar was produced & as
the latter was not eligible, under
the rules, to receive a pedigree
certificate his request was, with
His Excellency's approval, refused
with reference to the previous order.

GO 157 Pol of 8-3-94

Correspondence recorded in
GO 258 Pol of 16-4-98.

(para 2 of this note)

See petn repeated under the
Petition under by G-8 No 117
24.12.99

petn & certificate
Crd

Supra, and then passed the G.O.
recommending

At the same time, if the man's
case resembles that of the man
referred to in Lord Wansley's note

of 3 March 1894, a certificate
might issue. The Prg mention
may be asked P.O. if the
Petitioner has a permanent
appointment in mind, it might be
to give to him a letter of introduction
to his pedigree.

GO 157

6. Turning now to the current
application it will be observed
that ^{from Sakhiwal} request for a letter to the
Resident ^{at} Hyderabad has already
been refused; ~~and~~ that his ^{desire} request
for a pedigree certificate has for
its object an attempt to secure,
through its influence, "employment
in the Nizam's Govt" and that he
is not at Carnatic Stipendiary.

7 It is submitted that no ground
exists for treating this application
specially.
~~otherwise than according to prece-~~
~~dent~~ & that the ~~supra~~ request of
the Shabbiria Begam Sahiba on
behalf of her son ^{should} be refused.
A draft order is subm^d for appro-
val.

27/7/99 Crd
28/7/99

1/8.7.99

Draft subm^d?
Please see separate
sheet. 1/8.7.99

C 6.9.99

C No 942 -

D/o.

Pol Dept.

My Dear Formby -

With reference to GO No
528 Pol dated 11th Aug. 99, will
you please inform me whether
Muhammad Bakhawat Husain
Sahab has a particular appoint-
ment in view which will be given
to him if he produces the pedigree
certificate for which he ^{asked} ~~makes~~
~~request~~ ^{has made} ~~as if there were so an~~
~~exception might possibly be~~
~~made in his case.~~

Yours sincerely,

JWS CWS
9/9/99 10/9/99

Capt R F R Formby I.S.C

Paymaster General, Hyderabad. Fr. C. C.

The f.o. may also issue, it is
understood

CWS

Ca
I have inadvertently pen filled
instructions for the Printer on this
Dft Order & notes - instead of waiting
till the Draft D/o had also been passed.

JWS
4.9.99

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Political DEPARTMENT

Request for a prodigue certificate:

Read Again

GO No 322 Pol of 22-11-'87 - J.

" " 138 " " 11 - 2 - 29 - 0

Stephens

C. No 942 From the *Pyramotis Parnatic*, No. 264, dated 11-7-1897. A

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Order No. 528 7 11-8-99
P.S.

Note The f.o of 1887 can be read
as applying to Slipindianis
only; tho' it has been applied
in the past to non-Slipindianis

Carol
12/1/76

The Govt sees no ~~good~~ reason for
in the present case
deriving from the ~~unofficial~~
~~recognized~~ ^{for} ~~relative~~
~~down in G. No 322 Pol dated~~
~~22nd April 1887~~ The request
of Shabbirai Begam Sahiba
on behalf of her son Sakha-
wist Ausaffin Sahib must,
therefore, be refused. —

In the P. C. S.

For Ch.

In printing the disposal of this
current bill order the notes
also to be printed in yellow for re-
cord in stock files if there is no
objection. This will save much
time in the disposal of future
similar requests - as the note can
be put up for reference.

C 6.9.99
R 9-9-99

(1899)

Department.

H. S. M.

D. O. No.

Note

In H. S. M. Note on which the Govt.
to which this reply issued it
is ordered that if the applicant
"has a particular appointment
in view which will be given
to him if he produce a certificate
of his pedigree" his case might be
treated as laid down in Lord
Lanloch's note quoted in para 5 (b)

of the following notes on G. No 528 Pol.
11.8.99

The Paymaster admits that Salha-
wat Hussain has no such appoint-
ment in view, but wants to use the
certificate as a means of seeking one.
The Paymaster says the applicant has
"failed in most examinations" but
on the ground that "his pedigree is
clean & good" recommends that he be
made an exception to the rule.

2. The case is ~~put~~ set out in the
Notes & the application has already
been reported. It is subm^d that
there is no ground for an amendment
to that order.

Dated 27th Dec 1899

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SUBJECT.

Re. Grant of pedigree
certificate to one. Salha-
wat Hussain.

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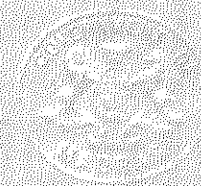
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G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.



Madras
29 AUG 1899
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Dear Mr. Stoker

In reply to your
D.O. of 11th August
with reference to G.O.
N^o 528 Political, I have
only to-day succeeded
in getting Shikharat
Hassan to come and
see me. He states

who might possibly do
he has acquaintances well, he knows some
among the Nojoms English but has failed
officials at Hyderabad in most examinations
who will give him I think as his pedigree
some sort of Employment is clear & good an
but that if he has a exception might be
pedigree Certificate he made in his case
will get an appointment and a certificate granted
suitable to his birth.

He seems a fairly decent
sort of young man

Yrs Sincerely

R. J. Forsberg

Pol Dept -

D/O No 412 From the P.C.S - 4/29-8-99.

D/O -

12th Sept 99

My Dear Family -

With reference to your D/O of 29th ultimo I am ~~glad~~ ^{very} ~~glad~~ to ~~inform you~~ ^{say} that Govt is not prepared to grant a pedigree certificate to Sakhawut Hincain under the circumstances stated. ~~in your letter~~. If he had ^{had} a definite appointment in view, the securing of which depended ~~entirely~~ on the production of a pedigree certificate ~~his certificate case~~ might have been treated as an exception to the rule, but not otherwise. As it is, the orders already passed on the case must stand.

Yours sincerely,

J.D.S. Cmt
12/9/99 12-9/99

12/9/99

Capt

R. J. Family C - I.B.C.
Paymaster - C - S -

Ch The D/O reply may be filed with GO No 528 Pol 4/11-8-99 & a note to that effect made in D/O Register. J.D.S. Cmt
12/9/99 12-9/99

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