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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

ORDER—Mis. No. 570, Political, dated 29th August 1899.

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ADDENDUM No.

to the

HANDBOOK OF PROCEDURE AND PRECEDENTS.

At pages 2 and 4 of Addendum No. 19 place an asterisk before the words "Letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, &c.", and insert the following foot-notes on those pages:—

* 1. The practice of reporting to the Government of India the appointment of Resident in Travancore and Cochin has been discontinued in accordance with the instructions received from that Government.

2. Between the years 1832 and 1835 the superintendence of the affairs of the States of Travancore and Cochin temporarily vested in the Government of India being resumed by the Madras Government towards the close of the latter year. Consequently, the appointment of Mr. Casamajor as Resident in April 1834 was made by the Government of India. His successor, Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Fraser, was appointed under the orders of that Government. In 1838 the Madras Government appointed Captain A. Douglas to act as Resident and reported the appointment to the Government of India, expressing the hope that the arrangement would be satisfactory to the Supreme Government. The practice of reporting the appointment of Resident in Travancore and Cochin to the Government of India appears to have continued ever since 1838 with a single exception, namely, in the case of the appointment of Colonel Maclean in January 1840, which was not reported. The following sentence, which appeared in the letter reporting Captain Douglas's appointment in 1838, was struck out in the draft letter to the Government of India reporting the appointment of Colonel Cullen as Resident in November 1840:—

"His Lordship in Council trusts that this arrangement will be satisfactory to the Supreme Government."

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(True Extract.)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

Political (189) Department.

R We must not read too long on this of India
Judicial Office. I think that this is
a precedent in this letter in the
supplement to the Handbook of
Procedure of President also in these
addenda to the Handbook - There
is also an instruction in the Office
Manual I think from Table 5: to put it
in the Correspondence

D. O. No. 355

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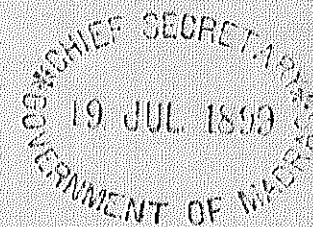
Stating that reports to the
Government of India of the acting
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Foreign Office;

Simla, the 13th July 1899.

Dear Sir,

Please refer to your letter No. M 422 (Political), dated the 3rd July, 1899, reporting the appointment of Mr. G. J. Mackenzie as acting Resident in Travancore and Cochin. It does not appear that such communications are based on standing orders and as no action is taken on them in this office, they may be discontinued if you see no objection.

Yours truly,
W. Daly.

To the Honble Mr. G. Stokes,
Chief Secretary to the
Govt of Madras.

No. 355.

NOTE FOR THE S. G. R.

Please see the papers put up
I have not been able to
find any standing order
directing the intimation to
the Govt of ^{India} ~~South~~ ^{of the} appointment
of Resident in I. P. Indexes
from 1819 were looked into
for this ~~order~~ standing order.

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For R.

Between 1832 and 1835,
the Superintendence of
Pravara affair tempo-
rarily rested in the Govt
of India and was re-
sumed by this Govt as
reported in its letter to
India of 20.10.35. C.

Consequently the appoint-
ment of Mr. Casanovi
as Resident which took
place within that period
It was made by the Supreme Govt
His

A + B.

on 14th April 1834

in 1838, Lt. Col. Fraser,
was apparently appointed
also by India - vide Encl
of 5-1-36 at D. The next
lead to appointment was in
1838, when the appoint-
ment was made by this
Govt & reported to Govt
of India. Encl 3-8-38 No 282, K.

This procedure has evidently
been adopted ever since,
the only exception being in
the case of Col Macleane
appointed as Resident
in Cons. of 7th Jan'y 1840 -
vide Govt minute at F.

This omission is referred to
in a marginal pencil
note in the letter to India No 413
of 14-11-40 E reporting Col.
Cullen's appointment, & was
probably due to inadvertence.

Prior to 1832 it does not
appear to have been the
practice to report these
appointments to India.
No standing order on the
subject is traceable.

* His Lordship in Council then
stated that he "wishes this ar-
rangement will be satisfactory
to the Government of India."
J.S.K.
1/12

* Not reported to India

When Col. Cullen's appointment
was made the above quoted
remarks were inserted as para
2 of the letter to India but
omitted, not as unnecessary -
as with the remark that the
former appointment was not
notified to India at all.
J.S.K.
1/12

* Attention is, however, invited to
the paper flagged N in which the
appointment of Lt. Col. J. Munro
as Resident was made by the
Governor - Encl. 4, then
in Madras. But even then
there was no report to India.

But this was in 1840

" by S.L.R.

For Ca.

The note attached shows clearly
that the procedure is only based
on practice which has become
law from long usage. No written
order on the subject has been
traced.

to S for remarks as to Handbook
of Procedure & Precedents & for
carrying out Ca's instructions on
docket of 270355 Pol.

For the C.A.

It is submitted that
the forms of letter to the
Govt of India at pages 2
and 4 of Addendum
No 19 opposite to page
172 of the Handbook of Pro-
cedure and Precedents and
those at pages 79 and 80
of the Pol Supplement
to the Handbook may
be deleted.

When
11/8/98

Yd. Draft corrigenda / separate
for each part (2) Put up

a clean sheet on the D.O.
from India - The disposal
of this D.O. will be the
Corrigenda in question -
The point should also be
Special Indexed.

C.M.B.
12.8.21

There are some useful points
in S.E.R.'s note as the appl.
of Resid. in T. & C. (independently)
the question of reporting to
India / which might with
advantage be included as a
footnote to the Political Handbook
There should be included in
the Pol. Addenda & corrigenda

C.M.B.
12.8.21

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N.B

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NB This information having been collected may it be thought to be brought on permanent record

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1. [Insert footnotes 1 and 2 above]

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