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PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

No. 670.

FROM

W. HUDLESTON, Esq.,

Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Referring to the Resolution of the Governor-General in Council, dated 20th January 1871, prescribing twenty-five years as the maximum age for admission into the Uncovenanted Service, I am directed to request consideration of the effect this rule, strictly applied, will have on the Judicial branch of that service, which it is desirable to have the means of recruiting, when necessary, from the class of Pleaders whose service at the bar prior to 1859 is admitted by this Government as equivalent to public service before that date so far as to exempt from liability to the Special Test for the post of District Moonsiff.

2. It certainly would be highly inexpedient, in the public interest, to place experienced and well-qualified Pleaders, if selected for employment on the bench, at so serious a disadvantage as the application of the rule would entail, and this Government are of opinion that either the rule should be declared inapplicable to the class of judicial appointments, or else that Pleaders of admitted qualifications should be excepted from its operation.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
19th May 1871.

Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Wright.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From

The Ag. Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George,

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department,

Dated 19th May 1871.

Recd.

No. 670.

Enclosure.

Referring, for consideration, the question of the application of the rule, prescribing twenty-five years as the maximum age for admission into the Uncovenanted Service, to the case of Pleaders on the roll of the Courts, and candidates for judicial employment.

To

The Secretary to Government

of India.

Sir,

Referring to the Resolution
of the Government of India
dated 20th January 1870, prescribing
25 years as the maximum age
for admission into the Uncovenanted
Service, I am directed
to request consideration of the
effect this rule, strictly applied,
will have on the judicial
branch of that service, which
it is desirable to have the means
of recruiting, when necessary,
from the class of Pleaders, who
serve at the bar prior to 1859,
to the Govt.
is admitted as equivalent to
public service before that date
so far as to exempt from
liability to the special tests
for

for the post of District Commissioner.

It certainly would
be highly inexpedient in the
public interest to place experi-
enced and well qualified persons,
if selected for employment
on the bench, at so serious a
disadvantage as the applica-
tion of the rule would entail,
and the Government are of
opinion that, either the rule
should be confined to
the class of judicial
appointments or else that
persons of admitted quali-
fications should be excepted
from its operation.

L.A.

Lord St. George.
19 May 1871

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Referring for consideration the
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service, to the case of Pleaders
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Candidates for Judicial em-
ployment.