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G.O., dated 15th April 1889, No. 339, Public.

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"In cases where a Presidency Surgeon is himself the medical attendant of a non-gazetted officer, the countersignature prescribed in Article 903 of the Civil Service Regulations should be by another Presidency Surgeon."

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Departments of the Secretariat (with copy of G.O., No. 339 of 1889).
,, all Heads of Departments under the Chief Secretary (including Collectors and Judges).

Ed. A. Raitt.

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gazetted officer, the countersignature prescribed in Article 903 of the Civil Service
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(True Extract.)

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Chief Secretary.

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Heads of Departments under the Chief Secretary (including Collectors and Judges).

A. Raiff.

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Accountant-General
Commissioner of Paper Currency

EDUCATIONAL
Director of Public Instruction
Commissioner for the Unconvenanted Civil Service Examinations

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North Arcot (Chittoor)
South Arcot (Ouddalore)
Bellary
South Canara (Mangalore)
Chingleput (Saidpet)
Coimbatore
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Godavari (Ocanada)
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again G.O., dated 2nd February 1889, No. 119, Public.

READ—also the following paper:—

From G. BIDIE, Esq., M.B., C.I.E., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 12th March 1889, No. 117.

With reference to G.O., No. 119, Public, dated 2nd February 1889, I have the honor to submit, for the final sanction of Government, a revised draft of rules regulating the grant of medical and vaccination certificates, embodying the modifications suggested in the above Government Order.

ORDER—dated 15th April 1889, No. 339, Public.

The revised rules relating to the grant of medical and vaccination certificates, submitted with the foregoing letter, are approved, as amended by Government. They will be printed as an appendix to these Proceedings and communicated to all Heads of Departments.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.
„ all Heads of Departments.
„ all Collectors.

[Appendix.]

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List showing the distribution of the Proceedings of Government,
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Inspector-General of Police
Do. of Jails
Do. of Registration
Chief Presidency Magistrate
Commissioner of Police
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Advocate General
Government Solicitor
Administrator-General
Sheriff of Madras
Government Member
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies

Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras
Sanitary Commissioner
Sanitary Engineer to Government
Meteorological Reporter
President, Board of Examiners
Private Secretary to the Right Honorable the Governor
Government Astronomer
Superintendent, Government Central Museum
Chemical Examiner
Superintendent of Stationery
Protector of Emigrants
Superintendent, Government Press
Tamil Translator to Government
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British Consular Agent, Pondicherry
Superintendent, Archaeological Survey

Resident in Travancore and Cochin
Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends
Government Agent at Tanjore
Political Agent at Pudukota
Special Agent, South Arcot

The Right Reverend the Bishop of Madras
Venerable Archdeacon of Madras
Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland

Presidency Port Officer
Chairman, Harbour Trust Board

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APPENDIX.

The following rules and instructions are issued for the guidance of Medical Officers who may be called upon to grant a medical or vaccination certificate to any person already in, or seeking to enter, the public service in civil employ:—

1. Medical certificates are required by—
 - (a) Candidates for the public service as to their physical fitness for Government employment;
 - (b) Candidates for pension from Government service as to their unfitness for further service;
 - (c) Government servants who desire leave to recruit their health.
 2. Commissioned Medical Officers holding Presidency appointments or in medical charge of districts or civil stations, and Uncovenanted Officers in the position of District or Civil Surgeons, are, with the exceptions noted below, alone authorized to grant certificates of physical fitness for the public service. Such certificates are not to be granted by Assistant Surgeons unless when in independent medical charge of a district, nor by warrant medical officers, civil apothecaries or hospital assistants, except to persons proposed to be appointed to posts carrying less than Rs. 50 a month who cannot conveniently appear before a Commissioned Medical Officer or Civil Surgeon.
 3. A medical certificate of fitness for the public service is not to be given to any person unless he can produce a letter or other form of requisition from the head of the office or department in which he seeks employment; and such requisition should be accompanied by a descriptive roll signed by the head of the office or department.
 4. The form of certificate to be given to a candidate for employment in the public service is laid down in Rule 2, Section 106, Civil Pension Code, and should contain such additional particulars regarding the nature of the duties the candidate is expected to perform, and his physical fitness therefor, as the head of the department making the requisition required in Rule 3 above may desire to have.
 5. Commissioned Medical Officers holding Presidency appointments or in charge of districts or civil stations, and Uncovenanted Officers in the position of District or Civil Surgeons, are, with the exceptions noted below, alone authorized to grant certificates of unfitness for further service. Such certificates should not be granted by Assistant Surgeons, except when in independent medical charge of districts, nor by warrant medical officers, civil apothecaries or hospital assistants, except to public servants whose pay is below Rs. 50, and who cannot conveniently appear before a Commissioned Medical Officer or Civil Surgeon.
 6. Medical officers should not grant a certificate of unfitness for further service to any Government servant, except on the requisition and with the cognizance of the head of the office or department in which he is at the time serving. Every such application for examination should be accompanied by a descriptive roll of the person to be examined, signed by the head of such office or department.
 7. The form of the certificate to be granted to an officer applying for pension is laid down in Section 108, Civil Pension Code, and should contain such additional particulars regarding the nature of the duties for which he is supposed to be unfit as the head of his office or department may desire to have.
 8. All medical officers and subordinates in independent medical charge of a district or station are authorized to grant certificates to Government servants recommending the grant or commutation of leave on medical grounds, provided the person by whom the certificate is required can produce a letter, order, or other document from the head of the office or department in which he is employed, authorizing him to apply for such certificate. But Government servants already on leave, and requiring an extension on medical grounds, are not required to produce a permit from the head of their department before appearing for medical examination.
- Note.*—Certificates granted under this rule by a Hospital Assistant in temporary charge of a Civil Surgeon's station are only to be accepted subject to confirmation by the Civil Surgeon on his return to the station.
9. A certificate, recommending the grant or extension of leave on medical grounds, should always specify whether the nature of the patient's complaint is such as to preclude him, either wholly or partially, from discharging his public duties. In cases where the medical officer considers further observation necessary, he is entitled to insist on it before granting the certificate.
 10. The form of certificate recommending the grant of leave on medical grounds is laid down in Rule 10, Section 79, Civil Leave Code. Such certificates should ordinarily be accepted from Government medical officers alone, except when required to justify mere casual leave of absence.

11. Vaccination certificates required by candidates for the public service may not be granted except on the requisition of the head of the office or department in which the candidate seeks employment.

The following officers are empowered to grant such certificates in addition to, or in the absence of, those enumerated in Rule 2 above:—

Native or Assistant Surgeons.
Apothecaries and Assistant Apothecaries.
Sub-Assistant Apothecaries.

Hospital Assistants.
Deputy Superintendents of Vaccination.

12. If a medical subordinate granting a vaccination certificate receives no pay from Government, either wholly or in part, he will be entitled to a fee of 1 rupee for every such certificate.

13. Except in the instance referred to in Rule 12 above, no fee or recompense of any kind is to be asked for or accepted in consideration of the grant of any of the certificates referred to in this circular.

14. A medical officer signing any of the certificates referred to in the above rules should indicate, in addition to his usual departmental designation, whether he is the chief medical officer of his station or district, or otherwise.

Exd. A. Raiff.

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