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Public DEPARTMENT.
G.O., DATED 15-1-92
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[Despatch Abstract.]

Furnishing the Sup-
Census operation with
copies of the Ethno-
graphic Glossary
& Anthropometric etc.
& informing that no ac-
commodation is avail-
-able in the Shaula-
-dal. buildings for
the Census records.

Tabular form for done
& return 15/1

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Points on which information is wanted for each Caste.

1. Name--with its etymology, traditional and probable.
2. Origin.
3. Traditional occupation and present occupations.
4. Relative position among other castes.
5. Religion.
6. Whether the sacred thread is worn or not.
7. Priests.
8. Ceremonies connected with birth.
9. Do. do. marriage.
10. Do. do. death and burial.
11. Age at which
 - (a) marriage, (b) cohabitation takes place.
12. Divorce: (1) Grounds on which it can be obtained by
 - (a) husbands,
 - (b) wives.(2) How obtained: full particulars of constitution and procedure of panchayats.
13. Whether the re-marriage of widows is
 - (a) permitted,
 - (b) actually practised to any extent.
14. General names of members of caste, *e.g.*, Muthali and Gounden in the case of the Vellála caste.
15. Dress, including ornaments.
16. Food.
17. Whether the consumption of alcoholic liquor is
 - (a) permitted,
 - (b) practised to any considerable extent.
18. Names of sub-divisions of the caste.
19. Any special customs not included in the above.

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with the request that the information asked
for in para 1 and the books applied for in
para 2 of the Superintendent's letter may
be furnished at an early date.
(True Extract)

Bellevue
Agent Secretary to Government

To

The Public Department
Copy " Superintendent of Customs Operations

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The Public Department

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CHIEF SECRETARY
12 JAN 92
SUBJECT

Transferring letter
from the Dept of Census
operations reg: the
preservation of schedule
books & reg: the scheme
for the continuation
of ethnographical
researches.

Accommodation is
not available in the
Secretariat buildings
for the Census Records.
2. Copies of the ~~books~~
Ethnographic glossary
and anthropometric
data will be furnished
direct to the ^{Supt. of} Census
operations, Madras.

15 July

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to the Revenue Dept
Librarian para 2

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