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Mr B. Houghton J. C.

Recording letter from the
Govt of India. ~~stating that~~
in the circumstances stated
the name of — he
retained in status in the
Madr. Civil list but
shown as permanently
transferred to Mysore.

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READ AGAIN ORDER OF GOVERNMENT, DATED
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From

J. P. Hewett, Esq., C. I. E.,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Department.

Calcutta, the

December 1892.

(Establishments)

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 817, dated the 25th ultimo, enquiring whether the name of Mr. B. Houghton, an Indian Civil Servant attached to the Madras Presidency, the retention of whose services permanently in Burma was approved in the orders of the 6th January last, should be removed from the Madras Civil List.

2. In reply I am to say that the effect of removing Mr. Houghton's name from the Madras Civil List and leaving it on the Burma list only would be to remove him from the Civil Service of the Madras Presidency to that of the Bengal Presidency. The Secretary of State is not in favour of the transfer of Indian Civilians from the Service of one Presidency to that of another, and ^{not} only would His Lordship's special sanction be necessary to Mr. Houghton's transfer, but it would also involve the execution of a new covenant by that officer. In these circumstances it will be sufficient if Mr. Houghton's name is retained in italics in the Madras Civil List and he is shown as permanently

transferred

transferred to Burma.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant.



J. P. Venk

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India.

Public DEPARTMENT.

P.O. 816-17 d 25-11-92
57 d 25-1-92

Read again Ep. of 18.12.91. No 1043.

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" C. M. 8.

From

The Govt of India

Home Dept.

Order 17 January 93 No. 21

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2. Mr. Houghton's name will
be ^{submitted} returned in the Civil list as
indicated in the concluding
portion of para 2 of the letter
read above.

C.L.
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12/Jan

Accountant Genl 6 Dec 1901/4

No. 605

Dated 26th Dec/92Received 1st 3rd Jan/93.

Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Regarding the transfer of Mr.
B. Houghton an Indian Civil Servant
attached to the Madras Presy
to Burma.

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17TH JANUARY 1893, No. 21, PUBLIC.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

Letter, dated 18th December 1891, No. 1043, Public.

Read—the following letter from P. G. MELITUS, Esq., Under Secretary to the
Government of India, Home Department (Establishments), to the Chief
Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, 8th December 1891,
No. 561:—

With reference to the correspondence ending with the telegram from your office,
dated the 31st August 1886, I am directed
No. 401—187 M., of 17th November 1891. to forward the accompanying copy of a
letter from the Chief Commissioner of
Burma reporting that the five years for which the services of Mr. B. Houghton, of
the Indian Civil Service, Madras Presidency, were lent to Burma have expired and
soliciting the orders of the Government of India as to his retention in Burma.

2. As Mr. Houghton is willing to continue serving in Burma and the Chief
Commissioner is desirous to retain his services, I am to inquire whether His Excel-
lency the Governor in Council has any objection to Mr. Houghton's permanent reten-
tion in the Burma Commission.

ENCLOSURES.

From E. S. SYMES, Esq., C.I.E., Chief Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Burma, to the
Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Rangoon, 17th November
1891, No. 401—187 M.

I am directed to solicit a reference to your letter, No. 41 (Establishments, Upper Burma),
dated 31st January 1887, forwarding notification, No. 36 (Establishments), dated 28th January
1887. By that notification Mr. B. Houghton, Madras Civil Service, was appointed to be a super-
numerary Assistant Commissioner, second grade, in Burma. The period for which his services
were transferred was not stated in your letter, but the Chief Secretary to the Government of
Madras stated in a telegram, dated 31st August 1886, that his services were placed at the disposal
of the Government of India for employment in Burma for five years. A copy of the telegram
is enclosed. Mr. Houghton assumed charge of his duties in Burma on 17th October 1886 and
the five years have therefore now expired.

2. Mr. Houghton has been asked whether he wishes to remain permanently in Burma and
he states that he does wish to do so. He has passed the High Proficiency Test in Burmese and
the special test in Chin and the Chief Commissioner would be glad to retain his services.

I am to solicit the orders of the Government of India on this subject.

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, to the Chief Commissioner,
Burma, dated Ootacamund, 31st August 1886.

Under instructions from India services of Joseph and Houghton, Madras Civil Service, placed
India's disposal for employment in Burma five years as Deputy and Assistant Commissioners.
They have been directed to join early date and report themselves to you.

Letter—to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Fort St. George, 18th December 1891, No. 1043, Public.

In reply to your letter, dated 13th instant, No. 561, I am directed to state that this Government has no objection to the permanent transfer of Mr. Houghton to the Burma Commission.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

G.O., dated 25th January 1892, Mis. No. 57, Public.

Read—the following letter from P. G. MELITUS, Esq., Under Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department (Establishments), to the Chief Commissioner of Burma, dated Calcutta, 6th January 1892, No. 11.

In reply to your letter, No. 401—187 M., dated the 17th November 1891, I am directed to forward the accompanying copy of a communication from the Government of Madras and to say that the Government of India have no objection to the permanent retention in Burma of Mr. B. Houghton, of the Indian Civil Service, Madras Presidency.

No. 12.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Madras for information.

(By order.)

(Signed) P. G. MELITUS,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Order—dated 25th January 1892, Mis. No. 57, Public.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.

Letter—to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Fort St. George, 25th November 1892, No. 817, Public.

With reference to Home Department endorsement, dated 6th January 1892, No. 12, forwarding copy of a letter to the Chief Commissioner of Burma intimating that there was no objection to the permanent retention in Burma of Mr. B. Houghton, of the Indian Civil Service, I am directed to inquire whether any further action in the matter has been taken and if Mr. Houghton's name may be removed from the list of Indian Civilians belonging to this Presidency.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

READ—also the following paper:—

From J. P. HEWETT, Esq., C.I.E., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department (Establishments), to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, 26th December 1892, No. 605.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 817, dated the 25th ultimo, inquiring whether the name of Mr. B. Houghton, an Indian Civil Servant attached to the Madras Presidency, the retention of whose services permanently in

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ORDER—dated 17th January 1893, No. 21, Public.

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2. Mr. Houghton's name will be exhibited in the Civil List as indicated in the concluding portion of paragraph 2 of the letter read above.

(True Extract.)

Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.

Exd. A. Raitt.

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G.O., 17th January 1893, No. 21.

JANUARY.

Mr. B. Houghton, I.C.S.

Recording letter from the Government of India directing that, in the circumstances stated, the name of — be retained in italics on the Madras Civil List, but shown as permanently transferred to Burma.

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