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Dated 14th Dec. 1895

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[Despatch Abstract.]

CONSULAR SERVICE STAMPS.

Informing the Consular Agent, Pondicherry and ~~Madras~~, that, for reasons stated, there seems to be no objection to his levying at once fees on---, and exempting British Pensioners pending receipt of final orders from the Government of India.

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DEPARTMENT.

From

LIEUT.-GENERAL H. MCLEOD, R.A.,

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S

CONSULAR AGENT,

PONDICHERRY AND KARIKAL,

To The Honorable J. F. Price,
C.S.D.
Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St George

Dated 13 Nov 1895
Received 14 Nov 1895
No. 175
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

ENCLOSURE. lil

Subject.

Reporting that he has received a supply of Consular Service stamps for use in the Consular Agency and requesting instructions as to whether the levying of Fees should be begun at once or whether it can be kept in abeyance till the receipt of orders on his letter No 150 dated 20th Sept. 1895.

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G.O. No. 1015 dated 12/12/95
Her Britannic Majesty's Consulate, Pondicherry,
13th Nov 1895

No. 175

of Pondicherry

From

~~Lieut~~-GENERAL H. MCLEOD, R.A.,
H. B. M.'s CONSULAR AGENT,
PONDICHERRY AND KARICAL.

To

The Honorable J. F. Price,
C.S.D.
Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St George

SIR,

I have the honor to inform
the Government that I have,
by this mail, received a supply
of Consular Service Stamps
for use in the Consular Agency
and to request the favor
of instructions as to whether
I should begin the levying
of fees at once or whether

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I can keep it in abeyance
till the receipt of orders
on my letter no 150 dated
20th September 1895.

2. I further request that
the Book of General
Instructions to Consular
officers forwarded with
my above mentioned
letter be returned if
done with.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obt. Servant.

Wm. L. L. M.
H. B. L.'s Consular agent
Pondy & Karikal

From

~~Letter~~ GENERAL H. McLEOD, R.A.,

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S

CONSULAR AGENT,

PONDICHERRY AND KARIKAL,

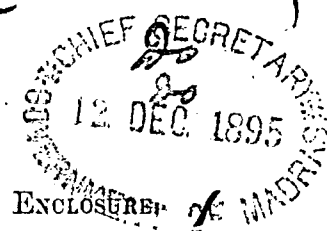
To

The Honorable J. F. Price
C.S.G.
Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St George
No. 188

Dated 11th December 1895.

Received 12th

Regd 13th



Subject.

Requesting the favor
of early instructions
as to the course he
is to pursue with
regard to the levying
of Consular Fees.

Code blays } x f.s

To
(office) Pondicherry

From
(office) London Po

Words 23 | Day 10 | Hour 5 | Minute 45 | Official Instructions } Via Sg Govt

To
(Person) General
McLeod
Pondicherry

From
(Person) Salisbury

Levy fees down to March
31 1896 at rate 1 s
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ d to the Rupee.

(True Copy)

W. B. In's Consular Agent

Pondicherry & Karikal

Her Britannic Majesty's Consulate, Pondicherry,

11th December 1896.

No. 188

From

~~Lieut.~~ GENERAL H. MCLEOD, R.A.,

H. B. M.'s CONSULAR AGENT,

PONDICHERRY AND KARICAL,

To

The Honorable J. F. Price,
C.S.I.
Chief Secretary to Govt
Fort St. George

SIR,

With reference to my
Letter No. 175 dated 13th Nov-95
I have the honor to inform
you that I have this day
received an Urgent Telegram
from the most noble the
Marquis of Salisbury —
(Copy attached) directing
me to levy fees at 1s 1¹/₄d per

of

Recd.

4/17/4

of Exchange up to 31st March
1896. As I have not
received any orders from
the Government of India
sanctioning the levying
of fees, I have the honor
to request instructions
at as early a date as possible,
as to the Course I am to
pursue.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

H. L. L. L. L.

H. B. L. L. L. L. L.
Pondicherry & Karikal

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For Orders

Genl McLeod states he
has received a supply of
Consular Service Stamps for
use in the Consular Agency
& enquires whether he may
begin the levying of fees
at once or keep it in abey-
ance pending the receipt
of orders on his letter No 150
of the 20th Sept.

In para 2 of his letter
to India No 885. Pub. d/24th
Oct '95, this Govt suggested
^{the} Exemption of British pensioners
resident in Pondicherry and
Karikal from the levy of
fees and remarked, ~~that~~
with reference to the question
of the legality of levying
the fees prescribed, that
Genl McLeod being under
the English Foreign Office &
not the Indian Govt, there
appeared to be no impedi-
ment to his collecting the
fees authorized under
the

* Please see Appendix to G.O.
No 885 Pub. d/24-10-95

the "Instructions"

Apparently then there is no necessity to keep the levy in abeyance. The question of the exemption of British pensioners however involves the matter somewhat.

It is subd. that the levy offices may be begun at once but that British pensioners may be exempted pending further orders. May Genl McLeod be furnished with a copy of letter No. 885 d/24.10.5?

J.D.B. I don't think he should

18.11.5. be with the Govt of India

has passed orders.

27/11/95.

I agree with the C.S. - but let G.I. see

W.D.

29/11/95

Very well - but I do not think we can allow any exemptions off our own bat.

W

2 Dec

This letter may be communicated I think under the circumstances we may like the C.S. to levy fees from British pensioners pending further orders

J.S.

4/12/95

Consular Agent - Pondy

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Hon. Mr. H. W. Bliss C.S.E.

Hon. Mr. H. W. Bliss C.S.E.

The Consular Agent - Pondy
Will up the British pensioners
pending further orders
J.D.B. 29/11/95

27/11/95

27/11/95

3 per cent

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4174.

Order
mis

No. 1015 d/14 Dec 95

With reference to his letter No. 175 of the 13th ultimo, the Consular Agent, Pondicherry, will be informed that as he is not under the Indian Govt but the English Foreign Office, there appears to be no impediment to his collecting the fees authorized under the instructions received from that office. British pensioners, however, may be exempted as suggested by Genl McLeod in his letter No. 150 of the 20th September, pending the receipt of final orders thereon from the Govt of India.

2. Consular Agent. With regard to para 2 of the present letter it is observed that the Book of Consular Instructions was forwarded to the Consular Agent with G.O. No. 1322 of the 14th November '95.

The Consular Agent - Pondy. H. W. Bliss C.S.E. d/14th November '95.

Dec/95
18/12

J.D.B.
14/12

(from Orders in Council)

J.D.B.

Encl

Copies in full for² to
the S. to the G. of I. Foreign
dept in contr. of ~~the~~
letter No 885 Pub'd
24.10.95.

0 C.S. The indt. is for orders.

2 Please see C. 4174 recd.
on the 12th inst. Wh. has not
been circd. The Hon. Mr
Grose said that letter 885
might be comd. to Gaul
Mr. Deod. Perhaps it was
decided in Council not
to let him have it.

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14.12.5.

Levy of fees by the Consular
Agent, Pondicherry

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