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VOLUNTEERS-----PROMOTIONS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From Colonel P. J. MAITLAND, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Appointment Department, dated Simla, the 13th September 1895, No. 2510-B.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 371-A.D., dated the 24th August 1895, recommending that a step of honorary rank may be conferred on Lieutenant-Colonel Sir W. B. Hudson, K.C.I.E., and Major J. J. Macleod, of the Behar Light Horse; and enquiring whether Local Governments can confer a step of honorary rank on Volunteer officers who are still serving, who have fulfilled the conditions laid down in paragraph 122 of Army Regulations, India, Volume IX.

2. In reply I am to explain that paragraph 5 (a) of Military Department letter, No. 1660-B, dated the 13th June 1894, extended to all Local Governments and Administrations the powers hitherto exercised by the Governments of Madras and Bombay in regard to appointments, promotions, retirements, &c., of Volunteer officers in their respective Provinces. Local Governments and Administrations are therefore empowered to confer a step of honorary rank on Volunteer officers while serving, provided they are qualified under the regulations. In any case in which the officers are not entitled to the concession, and it is desired to grant the promotion as a special case, the application should be submitted to the Government of India for orders.

3. The promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir W. B. Hudson and Major Macleod has been notified in G.G.O., No. 955 of 1895.

Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Department.

(By order.)

(Signed) E. DE BRATH,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Communicated to the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces Madras.

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Chief Secretary.

To the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, Madras.

Erd. A. Raiff.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 13th September 1895.

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To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL,
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(Sd.) P. J. MAITLAND,

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- The Chief Commissioner, Burma.
- The Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.
- The Chief Commissioner, Assam.
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