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Communicating to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, the views of the Supreme Government that it would prefer that clergymen should not be given appointments as combatant officers in the Volunteer force.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From Major-General P. J. MAITLAND, Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to the Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, General Department, dated Fort William, the 29th January 1897, No. 284-B.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1724, dated the 31st December 1896, reporting that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has approved of the appointment of the Reverend J. M. Paterson to the rank of Second Lieutenant in the Agra Volunteer Rifle Corps, and forwarding a draft General Order for publication in the *Gazette of India*.

2. In reply, I am directed to state that the appointment will in due course be published in the Gazette.

3. I am, however, to forward, for His Honour's information, copies of the letters noted on the margin addressed to the Government of Madras, and to observe that, in accordance with the views therein expressed, the Government of India would prefer that, in future, clergymen should not be given appointments as combatant officers in the Volunteer force.

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

(By Order.)

(Signed) P. A. BUCKLAND, Major,
Asst. Secy. to the Government of India.

ORDER—No. 143, Public, dated 15th February 1897.

Communicated to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, in continuation of G.O., No. 5513, Military, dated 15th August 1888.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.

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Forwarding copy of a
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I am, &c.,

(Signed) P. J. MAITLAND,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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

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The Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, Home (Military) Department.

The Chief Commissioner of Assam.

The Chief Commissioner of Burma.

The Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

The Resident at Hyderabad.

The Agent to the Governor-General, Baluchistan.

The Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, Bengal.

By order,

P. M. H. S. S. S.

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