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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., No. 82, Public, dated 2nd February 1895.

ABSTRACT. - Communicating to the Judicial Department and the Accountant-General papers relating to a rule issued by the Government of India authorising the Madras Government to appoint Subordinate Judges to be also Assistant Sessions Judges.

READ—also the following papers :—

From the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department (Public), dated 16th September 1897, No. 1930.

G.O., No. 1392, Judicial, dated 24th September 1897.

Read—the following letter from the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature, Madras, Dis. No. 1548, dated 9th September 1897.

With reference to G.O., No. 370, Judicial, dated 18th February 1895, communicating a letter from the Government of India in which a report was asked for on the working of the rule under which two Subordinate Judges were appointed to exercise the powers of Assistant Sessions Judges, I am directed to state that, in the opinion of the High Court, the experiment has proved successful. The two Subordinate Judges who were appointed Assistant Sessions Judges, though as was natural they made some mistakes at first, discharged their duties on the whole well and rendered valuable assistance in two Sessions Divisions where the work was heavy. Moreover, they became better qualified to do duty as Sessions Judges to which posts they have lately been appointed.

Order—No. 1392, Judicial, dated 24th September 1897.

Communicated to the Public Department with reference to G.O., No. 82, Public, dated 2nd February 1895.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Public Department.

ORDER—No. 1462, Public, dated 10th November 1897.

The Government of India will be addressed.

(True Extract.)

A. T. ARUNDEL,
Chief Secretary.

LETTER—to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, No. 1463, Public, dated Fort St. George, 10th November 1897.

I am directed to refer to Mr. Hewett's letter, No. 68, Public, dated 24th January 1895, which communicated a rule issued under the provisions of statute 33 Vic., cap. 3, section 6, authorising this Government to appoint any Subordinate Judge, being a member of the Provincial Civil Service and a Native of India of proved merit and ability, to be also an Assistant Sessions Judge. The Governor-General in Council desired to be furnished with the opinion of the Government of Madras as to the working of the rule after it had been in operation for two years.

2. The Judges of the High Court now report that the experiment has proved successful; that the two Subordinate Judges who were appointed Assistant Sessions Judges discharged their duties on the whole well and rendered valuable assistance in two Sessions Divisions where the work was heavy; and that this training has rendered them better qualified to do duty as Sessions Judges. His Excellency the Governor in Council endorses this view.

A. T. ARUNDEL,
Chief Secretary.

Public (1897.) Department.

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SUBJECT.

Commr to the Public Dept
letter from the Registrar,
High Court, stating
that the two sub-judges,
who were appointed to
sessions judges, discharged
their duties satisfac-
torily.

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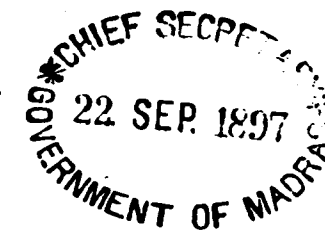
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HOME DEPARTMENT,

(Public)

Simla, the 16 Sept. 1897

No. 1930



To

The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Madras.

Subject.

Appointment of Subordinate Judges as Assistant Sessions Judges.

SIR,

I AM directed to invite attention to

the communication marginally noted,* and to request ^{the favour of early submission of the reply} ~~an early reply thereto.~~ called for therein.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

L. M. Thornton

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Transferred to the Public Department with reference to G.O. No. 1392, Jndl, Deputy Secy 24-9-97.

A. W. Knapp.

Ag Under Secretary

Please close this file. It is a request in the nature of a request.

* C no 3648

Assistant Sessions Judge

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Public Department.

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LETTER No 1463

To

The Secy. to the Govt. of India, 16 x 18

Home Dept.

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R.E.

Note

Jud. has commd without remark but this seems to be scarcely a subject on which Public can express an opinion

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*Ans.
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