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[Despatch Abstract.]

Forwarding to the St. magtr. Tanjore, the correspondence relative to certain irregularities on the part of the Hospital asst. at Koduvasal, and the sub. magtr. of Kumbakonam in connection with a cattle poisoning case, and requesting him to take action under Sec. 437 of the Cr. Pro. Code, reporting the facts to Govt.

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Order

From
Surgeon General D. Sinclair
M.B., L.S.D., D.M.S.
Surgeon General in the
Govt. of Madras.

No. 330

Dated 4th November }
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SUBJECT.

Transmitting a letter from
the Chemical Examiner,
Madras, reporting the Hospital
Assistant at Kodavasal,
Tanjore District for irregular-
ities in connection with a
Cattle poisoning case

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No. 330.

OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
Madras, 14 November 1899.

From

SURGEON-GENERAL D. SINCLAIR, M.B., C.S.I., J.M.S.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

I have the honor to transmit the accompanying letter to your address from the Chemical Examiner, Madras, reporting the Hospital Assistant at Kodavasal, Tanjore District, for irregularities in connection with a cattle poisoning case.

2. The Hospital Assistant is a purely Local Fund subordinate; the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Tanjore, to whom a reference was made by me on the subject, reports that he has already obtained and considered Hospital Assistant's explanation and as the irregularities seem to have been due to his ignorance, he has ordered him to replace all the materials used in packing the substance to the Chemical Examiner and to pay the transmitting charges from his private funds.

3. In my opinion the Hospital Assistant should be temporarily removed from independent charge until he shews full aptitude for such responsible duties.

4. The Chemical Examiner's complaint against the conduct of the Sub-Magistrate of Kumbakonum requires no comments from me.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

D. Sinclair

Surgeon-General,
Surgeon-General with the Government of
Madras.



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From the

Surg. Genl.

No. 330, dated 4-4-1899

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With reference to para 2
E of go. no. 685 Public of 24-8-93
the Chemical Examiner brings
to the notice of Govt. certain
alleged irregularities committed by
the Hospital Assistant of
Kodanasaal and the Sub.
Magistrate of Kumbakonam
in connection with a child
poisoning case.

Go. no. 218 Pub
20-2-99.

2. Rule 8 of the rules for
Laboratory - legal examina-
tions requires a Medical
Officer in a case of suspected
poisoning to report the result
of his examination to the
Police and on receipt of
an order from a Magistrate
or

or Superintendent or Asst
Supt. of Police (but not before)
to forward the viscera of the
deceased to the Chemical Expt.
for examination. In the
present case ^{the viscera in the suspected case} ~~was~~ ^{was} forwarded, without
such order, ^{where}
was sent to the Chemical
Expt. by the Hospital Asst.
and when the Chemical Expt.
applied for one he was informed
that the ~~Sub. Mayor~~ Sub. Mayor had replied
that Chemical examination
was unnecessary as the case
had already been discharged.
The Chemical Expt. now reports
that arsenic had been found
in the viscera sent to him for
examination and ^{that he is} ~~consequently~~ ^{consequently}, at a loss to know how to
~~proceed.~~ ^{proceed.} ~~his report.~~

(See his letter flagged I with Ct)

(AA's letter flagged II with Ct)

3. The Hospital Asst. is reported to be purely
a local Hindu subordinate and
he has ~~always~~ been ordered by
the District Medical & San. Officer
Tanjore to bear the cost of his
insurance. But the Surgeon-General
thinks that the Hospital Asst.
should

(para 2 of Ct)

should be temporarily removed
from independent charge.
The Hospital Asst. is directly
under the Control of the
President of the District
Board and the Surgeon-
General has no power ^{to}
remove him from independent charge
~~which he considers ought to be done.~~

4. As regards the Sub. Mayor,
it seems necessary that he should
be called upon for explanation as to why
he discharged the case without
waiting for the Chemical
Expt. report. Submitted
that the District Magistrate
of Tanjore may be requested
to report on ~~the~~ ^{the} paras
3 & 4 of the Surgeon-General's
letter, the current & enclosures
being forwarded to him for that
purpose.

As soon as Mr. D.M.'s
reply is received
the S.H. is disposed of,
the papers may, if necessary
be sent to the S.G. in connection
with the S.G.'s recommendations
in regard to the Hosp. Asst.

16/11/18 H.M.
The proper course w^l be

W. to send the papers
to the Dist. Mag. of Tanjore
and direct him to take
action under Sec 437 of
the Cr. P. C. reporting the
facts to Govt. The Hospital
Mstr's action calls for but
slight notice.

Agree but
Judicial should
concur.
At 18.11.99

H.S.
22-11-99

Mr. W. M. W. M. W.

[Signature]

Dr. H. H. H.

Draft order subm.
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To the Dist. Mag. for

The correspondence will
be forwarded to the Dist.
Magistrate of Tanjore, who
will be requested to take
action under Section
437 of the Criminal Pro-
cedure Code and report
the facts to Government.

(from order)

JWS
23/11/99

H.S.
24/11/99

[Signature]

To

The Surgeon Genl. (S/10)
in D.M. of Tanjore (S/10)
with enclosures
in orig. to Govt.

[Signature]
28/11-

Done