

Public Works (1899) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Additional Municipal Regulation 21

Comm'ty to the Ry Admins. Progs
in the Local and Municipal Dept
ordering the publication of a
notification amending the —

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Additional Mufassal Regulation 21.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper:—

G.O., Mis. No. 1369 P., dated 16th September 1899.

Read—telegram from the Collector of Salem, dated 10th September 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Requesting that the villages of Andivadi, Mingarapalli and Kalukondapalli may be at once declared infected, as the delay allows people leave the villages without being passported.

Order—Mis. No. 1369 P., dated 16th September 1899.

The villages mentioned in the telegram read above have been declared to be infected with plague—*vide* G.O., No. 1337 P., dated 9th instant. As regards the delay referred to by the Collector, he is referred to Additional Mufassal Regulation 21, under which he can himself notify a place to be infected. If this is done Additional Mufassal Regulation 5 will apply, irrespective of Original Mufassal Regulation 17.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Salem.

READ—also the following paper:—

From R. B. CLEGG, Esq., Acting Collector and District Magistrate of Salem, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 20th September 1899, Ref. on No. 1618-P.C.

Referring to G.O., Mis. No. 1369 P. of the 16th instant, I have the honour respectfully to submit that as I understand Additional Mufassal Regulation 5, it refers only to persons passing through frontier inspection stations. If my view is correct this regulation will not prevent people from entering non-infected villages from infected villages within the district without passports.

2. Additional Mufassal Regulations 7 and 15 read with 21 seem to imply that passports should be taken out, but as far as I can see there is no regulation rendering it binding on persons leaving a village declared infected by the Collector under Additional Mufassal Regulation 21 to take out passports within 12 hours of arrival at another village. Original Mufassal Regulation 17 applies, as I understand it, only to areas declared infected by the Governor in Council. I would suggest that by an addition to Additional Mufassal Regulation 21 of the words "and Original Mufassal Regulation 17" between the words "whereupon Part I of these rules" and the words "shall come into force in the district if they have not been put in force by the Government already," the obligation be made clear.

3. The question being important, I request that I may be favoured with early instructions.

ORDER—No. 1447 P., dated 2nd October 1899.

The Collector's suggestion to amend Additional Mufassal Regulation No. 21 is approved, and the following notification will be published in English and in the vernaculars in the Fort St. George and all District Gazettes:—

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of the Epidemic Diseases Act, III of 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is pleased to direct that No. 21 of the Additional Mufassal Regulations, published on pages 55—64 of Part I-A of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 1st March 1898, shall be amended by the addition of the words "and Original Mufassal Regulation No. 17" between the words "whereupon Part I of these rules" and the words "shall come into force in the district if they have not been put in force by Government already."

(True Extract.)

for Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Salem } (A—L).
 „ all other Collectors
 „ the Sanitary Commissioner.
 „ the Surgeon-General.
 „ the President, Municipal Commission, Madras.
 „ the Revenue Department.
 „ the Marine Department.
 „ the Political Department.
 „ the Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
 „ the Inspector-General of Police.
 „ the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.
 „ General Officers Commanding Districts.
 „ Translators to Government.
 „ the Superintendent, Government Press.
 Gazette.

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