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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 31st August 1865.

No. 553. Read the following letter from the Honorable C. PELLY, Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 25th August 1865, No. 328:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to point out, with reference to the Modified Special Test Examinations, that no objection would seem to exist to permitting Collectors to nominate persons for examination whom they propose, in the event of their passing, to appoint to posts which are certainly known to be about to be vacant, by the retirement of the holder on pension, before the next examination. This would, in some cases, prevent the unpleasant necessity of having to displace a conditional holder, in consequence of his not having passed the examination.

2. I would further remark that I propose to desire Collectors to state, with reference to each person whose name they send in for examination, as nominated to the post of Tahsildar, that his nomination has been approved of by the Board, and I propose to exclude all those who have not been so approved, since there would be something of invidiousness in permitting a man to enjoy the privilege of going in for the Modified Special Test, and afterwards having his name rejected by the Board as unfit.

3. This is sent direct to Government, inasmuch as the question is one for solution by Government only, and the reference through the Board would be productive of delay.

No. 554. ORDER THEREON, 31st August 1865, No. 2,052.

Miscellaneous.

The Government agree with the Commissioner that nominations to fill vacancies, which it is known will occur between two examinations, may be brought under the modified test rules, as well as nominations to actually existing vacancies, and that all nominations under these rules require the previous approval of the Board under the standing rules for the appointment of Tahsildar.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations.
,, the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

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The Lords agree with the Comm.rs that nominations & filling vacancies &c. it is known will occur between two Sessions may be brought under the modified test rules. as well as nominations & actually existing vacancies - & that all nominations under these rules require the previous approval of the Lords under the standing rules & the appt.s of Jany.

The Commissioners for the Revenue Department

14 Oct. 1865. The Receiver General &c.

31st. August/65.

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From

The Commissioners for the
H.C.S. Examinations

To

The Secretary to Govern.t
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Fort St. George

Dated 25.th August 1865.
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