

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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11th June 1868.*

No. 290. Read the following Endorsement of the Deputy Adjutant General, dated Fort St. George, 3rd June 1868, No. 235 :—

Read the following letter from the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department, to the Adjutant General of the Army, dated Fort St. George, 29th May 1868, No. 1,902.

In submitting, for the consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the enclosed appeal* from Sub-Assistant Surgeon Lincoln, praying to be exempted from the operation of the new Imperial tax, I have the honor to request that I may be favored with instructions as to whether the provisions of paragraph 3 of the Order of Government marginally noted, may not be considered applicable to the Act of 1868 as well as to that of the previous year.

* No. 123 of 22nd instant.

From the Deputy Superintendent of Vaccine, Madras Circle, to the Superintendent General of Vaccine, Madras Presidency, dated Madras, 22nd May 1868, No. 123.

1. I have the honor to bring the following to your notice, and to request you will be pleased to obtain the opinion of the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department, on the subject.

2. On the 14th May I received Official Memorandum No. 448, of the 9th current, from the Examiner of Claims, intimating that from the 1st May I should be taxed at 1 per cent., according to Act IX of 1868. *Vide* document A., attached.

3. I addressed the Examiner of Claims on the same date, *vide* document B., attached, and on the 18th I received from that officer an Official Memorandum, dated 15th May 1868, No. 482. *Vide* document C., attached.

4. In 1867, the Government were pleased to exempt Warrant Medical Officers from the operation of the tax, *vide* document D., attached.

5. I therefore respectfully beg that through the intercession of the Inspector General the Government will be pleased to take the present tax also into consideration, and cause an exemption from the operation thereof.

Submitted for the favorable consideration of Government, with reference to their Order in the Revenue Department, No. 1,521, dated 8th July 1867.

By order,

(Signed) E. A. B. TRAVERS, Lieut.-Colonel,
Deputy Adjutant General.

Transferred to the Revenue Department.

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Major General,
Secretary to Government.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
4th June 1868.

No. 291. ORDER THEREON, 11th June 1868, No. 1,646.

Miscellaneous.

1. Referred to the Accountant General for report.

2. The principle adopted by Government in G. O., 8th July 1867, No. 1,521, and approved by the Government of India in letter from Financial Secretary, dated 9th August 1854, was that Medical

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Warrant Officers, whether in Civil employ or otherwise, being essentially Military men, having no option as to the mode in which their services may be employed, and liable at any moment to be required for strictly Military service, were entitled to the privilege of exemption from License tax granted by Section 3, Act XXI of 1867, the provisions of which are, so far as the present case is concerned, exactly repeated in Section 3, Act IX of 1868.

3. The Government see no reason why this ruling should not continue to operate.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant General.
,, the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department.
,, the Military Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Revenue Department

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Proceedings of the Madras Govt
under date the 10th June 1868-

Read the following
letter from the Insp.
Gen Indian Medl Dept -

Submitting a
sub-section
incoln, praying
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of the new law -

(Here enters 29th
May 1868)

Referred to the
Accountant General
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by Section 3 Act 21 of
1867 the provisions of
which are, so far as
the present case is con-
cerned, exactly repeated
in Section 3 Act 9 of 1868.

The Court see no
reason why this ruling
should not continue to
operate -

L. A.