

# Revenue (1899) Department.

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G.O., No. 1380

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[Despatch Abstract.]

*Recording the reply given to a question put at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 7<sup>th</sup> April 1899 regarding the Paris Exhibition of 1900.*

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The Honourable M.R. Ry. P. Ratnasbharati Pillai.

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Please see the  
 B. Enrolment Rules & Regulations  
 which have been published  
 in the 4th & 5th G.O. & G.O.  
 Please also see the sub-  
 G.O. from the Govt.  
 India regarding the  
 C. Enrolment for the Imperial  
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 the 1st & 2nd below

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Please send copy to  
to Mr. V.E.  
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Suggested reply

The Hon member  
is referred to the Rules  
& Regulations relating  
to the British Indian  
& Ceylon section of the  
Paris Exhibition 1900  
published in the  
Fort St George Gazette  
of 28-3-99 at page 1-6 (Supplement)

The Indian section of  
the Exhibition will be  
divided into three parts:-  
(a) The Imperial in which the  
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& of Native States will be shown  
(b) The Private Exhibitors,  
in which the more artistic  
productions of Indian manu-  
facturers, merchants & others  
will be displayed; &

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will be exhibited.

The selection of  
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in the Imperial Court  
stands with the Govt of India.  
Intending exhibitors in the  
other two Courts should  
apply for all the information  
they may require to the  
Official Agents of the  
Indian Committee of the  
Exhibition Messrs Henry  
S. King & Co or to the Sub-agents  
Messrs T. N. Singh & Co.

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Note

The answer has been made  
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The Hon'ble M.R. Ry. P. RATNASABHAPATI PILLAI Avargal :—

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The Hon'ble Mr. Forthel :—

XXXV. The Honourable Member is referred to the Rules and Regulations relating to the British Indian and Ceylon Section of the Paris Exhibition 1900, published in the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 28th March 1899, at pages 1 to 6 supplement.

The Indian Section of the Exhibition will be divided into three Courts :—

- (a) The Imperial, in which the exhibitions of the Government of India and of Native States will be shown ;
- (b) The Private Exhibitors, in which the more artistic productions of Indian manufacturers, merchants and others will be displayed ; and
- (c) The Commercial, in which the trade and economic samples will be exhibited.

The selection of the exhibits to appear in the Imperial Court rests with the Government of India. Intending exhibitors in the other two Courts should apply for all the information they may require to the Official Agents of the Indian Committee of the Exhibition, Messrs. Henry S. King & Co, or to the Sub-Agents Messrs. I. N. Singh & Co.

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In accordance with the terms of the Resolution of the Govt. of India, dated 2nd March 1899, the Rules and Regulations relating to the British Indian and Ceylon section of the Paris Exhibition, 1900, have been published in the Gazette of India and the Gazettes of Local Governments and Administrations. In the meantime the question of how the space provided in the Indian Imperial Court which is shown in the plan attached to the Rules and Regulations can be best utilized in the interests of India has been under consideration.

1. The Govt. of India have decided to contribute to the Exhibition representative collections of forest produce and minerals. But after providing for these collections a certain amount of space will remain, and the Govt. of India consider that this cannot be better utilized than as a means of assisting the tea and coffee industries to an adequate and effective exhibition of their produce. It is proposed therefore to grant, free of charge, to the Indian Tea Association, and also to Coffee Planters' Associations in case the latter should desire it, such space as is available in the Imperial Court, and to assist in the decoration of the Court in a suitable manner.

2. I am therefore to enquire whether the Govt. of Madras will give its assistance to the project by supplying a small collection of jailcarpets for the decoration of these rooms. Should the Local Government be able to comply with this request, exact details of the measurements of carpets required will be furnished at the earliest possible date. The carpets would be exhibited in the form of wall-hangings, and would no doubt sell readily at the close of the Exhibition.

3. I am further to request that intimation of the Govt. of India's intention may be given to the Planters' As-

Associations of Madras, and that it may be suggested to those bodies that, should they desire to avail themselves of the offer of exhibition space, the arrangement of details might most conveniently be ~~now~~ entrusted to a Central Committee working in London and representing and financed by the several Associations. If this suggestion be adopted, the Central Committee might organize a coffee-room in cooperation with the tea-room of the Indian Tea Association. As the time for completing arrangements is short, I am to request that no time may be lost in ascertaining the views of the Associations concerned.

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