

1897.

Foreign Department.

GENERAL—B.

Procs. *November* 1897, Nos. *164/165*
10 pages, with *one* Keep-withs.

Subject.

Exemption of certain ladies of the ex-Royal family of Delhi from the operation of the rules regarding the preparation of descriptive rolls of political pensioners.

For references to former and later cases see within the cover.

No. 66.

Off. Genl. D. No. 7839.

1897.

Government of India.
Finance and Commerce Dept.
From

K. N.

General B.
November 1897.

The Government of the Punjab,
No. 566, dated 7th Sept. 1897.

No. 1624/165

Recommends that certain female pensioners of the Ex. Royal Family of Delhi may be exempted from the orders in this Dept. No. 3757, dated 19th Oct. 1883, requiring details of identification of the pensioners, a similar concession having been granted in this Dept. letter, No. 1195-1197, dated 31st July 1884 in connection of certain other female pensioners of the same family.

B. Pens. July 1884.

No. 1195-1197.

The proceedings marginally noted containing the letter

letter

82
letter No. 2527, dated 31st July
1884 may be obtained from
Calcutta as it is necessary
to refer to the notes in
that case in disposing of
this reference.

22, B. L. 14/9

Acem. 14/9

U.S. 22, J.B. 15/9

The Punjab Government's letter
with the enclosures which
states the case fully may
be read.

This Dept. resolution No.
3757 dated 19th Oct. 1883,
ing that descriptive

x B. Finance-G.,
August/84 - 8/13

B. Finance-G., Dec/83 - 1/2

all recipients of
political pensions should be
obtained by Accounts Officers
for entry in the permanent
pay orders, was issued in
consequence of the discovery
of a fraud in connection
with

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with the payment of a life
pension. When in 1884 the
Punjab Government proposed
in the case of the then existing
female pensioners of the Ex-
Royal Family of Delhi that
the preparation of descriptive
rolls might be dispensed
with, this Dept. sanctioned
the proposal on the understand-
ing suggested by the Local
Govt. itself, that similar
exemption would not be
allowed to any female
members or dependants of the
family to whom pensions
might hereafter be granted
or continued. The present
proposal of the Punjab Govt.
is opposed therefore to the
orders already issued and
is not explained either by
the Local Govt. or the ~~Acct.~~
Govt.

Genl. why these orders were
not observed when in 1891

Permanent Pay Orders were
first issued in favour of the
ladies to whom pensions were
sanctioned in Foreign Deptt.

letter No 262 G, dated 18th Feb. 1891. # Genl. - B, Feb/91-226/31.

Feb. 1891 and when it is
now proposed to exempt from
identification. Before sanctioning
the proposal therefore, Genl.
appears to be the only
alternative left, the Acctt.

Genl. may perhaps be
asked to explain why
details regarding the identi-
-fication of the pensioners
was not called for.

22, B. L.
229

A reference to the A.G.
will not probably help much.

It seems to be tolerably
clear from his letter of 14th
April

April '97 to the Local Govt. 5

(of which a copy has been sent) that the fact that the special orders of 31st July 1884 did not apply to future pensioners, was apparently overlooked by his office.

However, it will probably not be possible to upset the practice which has existed for over six years and in view of the facts stated in the Delhi Comr's letter of 17th Aug^r 1897, the Local Govt's recommendation will perhaps be accepted.

But Foreign Dept. may be consulted first.

(22), A.S.M. 2319

U.S.

This seems rather a large order. I

we need not consult For. Dept.
unless we meditate refusing
the concession asked for.

2. Accept the proposal?

1. 22, J.B. 26/9

2. Decy: " J.F.F. 29/9

1. Km.

We may agree.

(22) J.W. 30/9

Draft submitted. After
approval For. Dept. may
see before issue.

22, B.L.
8/10

" A.C.M. 9/10

For. Dept. no. for approval

22, J.B. 14/10

F.D. U.O. I No 1689, of 15/10/97.

We may agree to the
draft. The orders of 1884

issued with the concurrence
of the Foreign Department.

22, V.D.R. 18/10

" J.H. 18/10

A.S.

Foreign Dept. should see
before orders issue.
(22) J.F.F.

For Dept No. 17750 of 8/16-10/97

Finance Dept. pro.

+ Pers. & Fin. B. Pro. July '84,
No. 1195/7

and Foreign Dept. pro. A. Fin. G.,

Augt/84, No. 8/13

Ad. (22) J. L. 21-10

4794
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Seen and returned with
thanks.

(22) H. D.
22/10

Finance Dept. no.

No 774 G. of 22-10-97.

F. D. U. O. R. No 6711, of 26-10-97.

The draft may now
issue.

(22) A. C. M.
26-10

(22) J. B. 27-10

(True copy)

Wholesale.

Registrar.

Dr.

P. P.

D. No. 128-G.

R. No. 18, 650-G.

Endot. from the Finance Department.

No. 4, 794-P.

of the 30

of the 30 } Oct. 1997

Forwards a copy of a letter to the
Punjab Govt. exempting certain
cases of the ex-Royal Family of
Delhi from the operations of the rules
regarding the preparation of
descriptive rolls of pol. persons

10/8
For information only.

12/1

1/1/97

Recd.

Wd to rec

1/1/11

J. L.
2/10

Tabular
2/10

Received back.

G. B. Febry. 91. 226/231.

B. Fin. G. Augt. 84. 8/13. ✓

B. Fin. G. Dec. 83. 1/2. ✓

Diaries (3)
9/11/97

Recorded + indexed by J. L. M. 8/11/97.

Examined by 12/1
10/11/97

P.B.
1284.

18630 G 9.
30. 4. 97.

N^o. 4794 P.

Government of India.

Finance and Commerce Department.

Sindia, the 30th October 1897.

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of the Punjab.

Sir, General B. November 1897. No. 164.

I am directed to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter, N^o. 566, dated
27th September 1897, in which His
Honour the Lieutenant Governor recom-
mends that the orders contained in
this Department letter, N^o. 2527, dated
31st July 1884, exempting the ladies
of the ex-Royal Family of Delhi, who
were then in receipt of pensions from
the operation of the rules regarding
the preparation of descriptive rolls of
political pensioners, be extended to
the holders of the pensions granted
subsequently

B Finance G.
August 1897
No 8/13/

subsequently under the orders of the Government of India in paragraph 2 of the Foreign Department letter

G. A. Feb 1891 -
226/31.
Slip B

No. 262 G, dated 18th February 1891.
2. In reply I am to say that in the circumstances explained, the Governor General in Council sanctions the proposal of the Government of the Punjab.

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

(D^o) J. B. Brunyate,

Genl. B.
Nov^r 1897.
No. 165.

Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India

Ordered that copy be forwarded to the Foreign Department.

Ordered also that copy, with a copy of the letter to which it is a reply, be forwarded to the Accountant General, Punjab, in continuation of instructions in this Department, Nos. 2527 and 755 dated respectively 31st July 1884 and 21st Feb. 1891.

with copy of the notes.

J. B. Brunyate
Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India