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EXCLUSION OF NEGROES FROM AND REED-AD DIX

The copy of doc. from Govt of India as to facts of case.

The story of the case is about 18/38/10/10.

I feel convinced that the Govt. of India do not care very much about the matter.

copy of the letter & the despatches to you from 18/38/10/10.

18/38/10/10

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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—
The Under Secretary of State for India,
Public Department,
India Office,
London, S.W. 1
and the following reference quoted
J & P 1367.

INDIA OFFICE,

WHITEHALL,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

19 March 1919.

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Telegraphic Address:
RETAXANDUM, LONDON.

Sir,

Reference is made to the letter of the 1st September 1918, No. J & P 1367, which was sent by Mr. Secretary Montagu to transmit for the information of Viscount Milner a copy of a letter which was sent from the Government of India on the subject of Messrs. Public Works Board. From the above...

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Under Secretary of State,
India Office.

J & P.
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No. 1 of 1919.

GOVERNMENT

HOME DEPT.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR

His Majesty's Secretary of State

Delhi, 22nd July 1919

Dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge your despatch of the 13th inst. regarding the exclusion from the Protectorate of the two individuals mentioned therein, and in reply to inform you that the Government have decided to refuse to issue passports to the two individuals mentioned in your despatch of the 13th inst. The same reason was given to him by the Government on the 11th inst.

The above-mentioned individuals are persons who have been invited by Mr. Chairman of the Central Intelligence Department with our knowledge and approval. It was never anticipated that this action would lead the Protectorate Government to refuse to honour the passports and we still think that had we omitted to indicate the character of the two individuals to the British East African authorities we should have incurred a grave responsibility. Looking back, however, on the unexpected results of the procedure followed in the case, we agree that it might have been better if we had consulted the Protectorate Government before issuing the passports.

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may be the communication requested in paragraph 2 of your

of the account to be

Your most humble servants

CHICHESTER

C. H. A. HILL

C. S. BARRAN

G. B. LOWMAN

G. S. BARR

W. H. VINCENT

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME DEPARTMENT
POLITICAL

No. 1, DATED DELHI, THE 10th FEBRUARY
1919.

SUBJECT.

Exclusion from British Part A Visa of two
Mohammedan travellers in India with Indian
passports.