

1925 *Noted Public Service Passages*

KENYA

47607

FROM
CROWN AGENTS.

DATE
21st October 1925.

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REL 22 OCT 25

FOR CIRCULATION —
Brayton
Mr. *White*
Mr. *[unclear]*
Asst. Secy of S.
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Permit U.S. of S.
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JUBALAND BOUNDARY COMMISSION. PASSAGES.

State the cost of 23 was omitted from the account of cost of passage of Lieut. Col King and Sergt Foster request the amount be charged to the account at date of England

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Passage Paper

A. W. 18727

The passages were booked by (2) on instructions from this office on the 2 April 1925, W 169/25. The expenses Channel for obtaining passages the cost which will fall on Parliamentary votes under the control of the office is the also Dept. & no question of a booking fee would then arise. In at least one similar instance the former books appeared from charging their booking fee, and they would have been quite prepared to pay it in the case of Middle East passages if he would have consented to their returning this.

I think the omission to charge the fee in April is unintentional but in any case I do not consider that we ought to pay a charge applying that as the cost of these passages will fall on home on Parly. Votes the Secy does not consider that a fee should be charged?

W/D 28/10/25

Subsequent Paper

Notice published in Bulletin No. 7

See my note to Mr. Wickham attached. Return to
me for action then to reply

18/11/25

See note from C. A. J. of 25/11/25 attached.

The claim for booking fee on passage taken as the
outcome of Co. Act of 24/1/25 (14/1/25 House) is now
withdrawn. "Bulletin" notice (9) of 10/26 of the 1925
Parliament was in fact a passage chargeable to both of
notice in bond.

Payment of notice seems to be desirable.

18/11/25

18/11/25

St. Addia

12/25

Yours sincerely,

Arthur D. ...

X Mr. ...

Departments have been notified of ...
to ... (H.C. ...)

... to ...

W.D. ...
4/1/26

Esq., I.S.O., O.B.E.,

AT y
...
...

Mr. Fiddian

4/12 at me

Mr. B. ...

Mr. ...

Sir ...

Mr. ...

Mr. ...

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Mr. ...

... in British ...

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"where it is necessary to take a
 "passage the cost of which is the
 "to Votes of Parliament, the accounts
 "Department should be consulted in
 "the first instance."

Registration Date

... 21st ...
... claiming your ...
... of the passages ... Office which ...
... Agents were asked to take in Colonial Office ...
... 2nd April 1925, 1209/25.

The letter of 2nd April appears to have been written under a ... as to the procedure in such cases, the passages are, or should be, taken direct by the Colonial Office, and no question of a booking fee would be ...

I find on looking at your official letter of 5th February 1925, H.P. 5764, that, to take one case, you made no claim for booking fees in the case of the passages taken by you at the request of the Colonial Office for the members of the Parliamentary Commission who proceeded to Capetown in August 1924 en-route for East Africa, the cost of which was subsequently reimbursed to you by this Office from Imperial funds.

The present claim for \$500 representing
 looking for of 2004 you should be prepared to
 u for personal use. It is not in this
 only that we must pay income tax in your case
 the audit office as to the passage for the
 charge for looking on in view of what appears to
 been your practice in the limited number of cases
 passages for Internal Officers have been taken by
 the request of this Office, it occurs to us that
 we be disposed to withdraw the claim. This is
 my suggestion, and if you consider that we should
 with the claim officially, I will put it forward
 consideration on hearing from you.

Yours very truly,

(10) D. A. Eggett

cannot expect the Crown Agents to
be responsible for drawing attention
to such a departure from the proper

It has been suggested that
address *as possible for you,*

to the effect that the Crown Agents

are not to be held responsible for

the loss of the documents

in the event of their destruction

by fire or other cause

and the Crown Agents are not to

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