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FROM
GOVERNOR
CORYNDON

TEL
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DATE

21ST FEBRUARY 1923

REC'D
Fr. 22 FEB 23

FOR CIRCULATION:-

Mr. Battersby
Mr. [unclear]
Mr. [unclear] 27.2.23
[unclear]

SUBJECT

132

LOCAL ALLOWANCE

Corrects telegram of 14th February

Print U.S. of S.
Part U.S. of S.
Secretary of State.

Previous Paper

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8420

MINUTES

A final corrected text of the [unclear] telegram is now attached to this paper.

The telegram, being a reply to [unclear] 1st of 19 Nov on 6669/22 may be taken as embodying the agreed proposals of the Govts of Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika, subject to any modifications which may be suggested by Govt Uganda in forwarding the Memorial referred to on 6392/23.

Subsequent Paper

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to on 6392/23 EA

In Kenya and Uganda the proposals will effect a reduction

Del. Gov. Tanganyika. Chan. 25 Feb 23

MINUTES.

MINUTES NOT TO BE WRITTEN
ON THIS SIDE.

at least equivalent to a 15%
all round cut in salaries,
but in T.T. the reduction will
not be equivalent to this cut,
exceeding it by £6,000.
This must be due to the fact
that there being a higher proportion
of lower to higher paid posts
in T.T. as compared with
the higher paid officials.

The proposed percentages

of the proposed reduction in salaries

is straightforward

For £400 - 20%

For £200 - 10%

For remainder - 5%

On allowances -

Home allowance 15% fixed

On other allowances -

(a) On special (duty) allowances

granted to persons for special
duties allotted to them which
are not attached to any
particular post - 15%

(b) On allowances definitely

attached to posts irrespective

of the holder, the allowance

is to be added to salary and
the appropriate rates of percentage
calculated as under salaries
above

So far as I can see, the following
allowances will fall under (a)

Immigration Officer - 133

Editor of Gazette

Allowance to Officer performing

duty of Clerk to Comptroller, if
approved (1923 S. 15 V 7)

etc.

Under (b)

Officer's duty allowances

(1) Special personal allowances
(S.C.V. 4)

and any other personal allowances

Compassation allowances (in
respect of loss or change from
unmarried war widow) when granted

Special duty allowance to 1st grade

Administrative Officer in 3 native areas

for which Special Comm. 22 are not
available (S. 15 VII 7, 8 & 9)

Entertainment allowance

(S. 14 S.C. Rules S. 15 VII 3)

etc

On other allowances issued

locally which are not covered

proposals or such. Possibly by
circumstances ~~may~~ may be
circumstances, but I will answer
to let to ~~him~~ or to few
Kenya to get this clear

Jan 27/2 '23

A Tel to Gov. F. F. O.
proposed & then wait for
the by order despatch
[It is understood on
at this stage, but the
minute on 47+60 must
not be overlooked. I think
(though there is no need) that
Sir J. Maclean Smith has
seen the papers since then ~~but~~
as a matter of fact the
by order despatch was ~~issued~~
being, I expect, ~~substantiated~~
by the by order proposals
in 50669] ~~to~~ 2

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27.2.23
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TELEGRAM

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The Governor of Kenya to the Secretary of State for the Colonies
dated 14th February, received C.O. 6a.m. 16th February 1923

No. 48. 14th February

Your telegram of the 29th Nov local allowance
RECOMMEND the following scale revised scale 20 per cent on
first £400 of salary 10 per cent on next £200 and 5 per cent
on remainder. Fixed 15 per cent on house allowance and on
special duty allowances such as Editor of Gazette,
Immigration Officer etc. Allowance attached to individual posts
such as Governor's duty allowance to be considered as salary
for the purpose of local allowance. I understand that the above
scale in case of Tanganyika Territory would exceed 15 per
cent average by about £6,000 sterling but in case of Uganda
and Kenya it will fall within that average.

CORRECTION

TELEGRAM

Corrected text

136

The Governor of Kenya to the Secretary of State for the Colonies

Dated 14th February, received C.C.P. 622. 15th February 1923

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TELEGRAM

Corrected text

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The Governor of Kenya to the Secretary of State for the Colonies

Dated 14th February, received 3.0.5a.m. 16th February 1923

Ref 48.14th February

Your telegram of the 29th Nov^r local allowance I RECOMMEND the following ~~scale~~ revised scale. 1st part on first £400 of salary 1 per cent of next £200 and 2 per cent on remainder. Fixed 15 per cent on house allowances and on special duty allowances such as Editor of Gazette, Registration Officer etc. Allowance attached to individual posts such as Governor's duty allowance to be considered as salary for the purpose of local allowance. I understand that the above scale in case of Tanganyika Territory would exceed 15 per cent average by about £6,000 sterling but in case of Uganda and Kenya it will fall within that average.

Yours truly

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In telegram No. 41 / 2ST

Nairobi

dated 21 / 3 / 10 pm

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F. W. SILWOOD

Superintendent, Domestic Station

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TELEGRAM from the Governor of Kenya ^{REC} to the Secretary
of State for the Colonies.

133

Dated 21st February 1923.

(Received Colonial Office 3.10 p.m. 21st February
1923)

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C. Gyl.
No. 10. 21st February Your telegram of 20th February
by telegram of 24th February. should read as follows
to-gild:- Remainder. Fixed 15% on house allowance
and on special duty allowance such as Editor of the
Gazette Immigration officer etc. ^{allowance} attached to
ends.

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The following TELEGRAM Received at
From *Nairobi*
Foreign No. *16*
No. of Words *16*

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iekivjatok obenufyoja
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REPLIES SHOULD BE ORDERED *Via Eastern*

Doubtful words should be omitted, and the sender should be notified.
No inquiry respecting this Telegram will be attended to, unless the price is paid in advance.

3. TELEGRAM from the Secretary of State for the Colonies
to the Governor of the Tanganyika Territory.

2.45 p.m.

(Sent 28th February, 1923.)

28th February

Telegraph whether you concur in proposals as to
local allowances in telegram from Governor Kenya to me
No. 48 14th February.

DEVONSHIRE.

23. ~~MEMORANDUM~~ from the Secretary of State for the Colonies
to the GOVERNOR of the Tanganyika Territory.

2.48.p.m.

(Sent/28th February, 1923.)

28th February

Telegraph whether you consent in proposals as to
legal allowance in telegram from Governor Kenya to me
No. 48 14th February.

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DEVONSHIRE.

28 Feb 23
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Kemp

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DRAFT. Telegram

28 Feb

(code) - Telegraph whether for

Garnier

Daresalaam

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concerns in proposals as to

Mr. Jewell 28. 2. 23

Mr. Mackenzie 28/2/23

local allowances sustained

Mr. Davis

Sir G. Grindley

Sir H. Read

in telegram from Garnier

Sir J. Masterton Smith

Mr. Ormsby-Gore

Duke of Devonshire

Kemp to me No 48

14 February

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28 Feb

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- Mr. Jewell 28. 2. 23
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- Mr.

local allowance contained

- Mr. Davis
- Sir G. Girdle
- Sir H. Road
- Sir J. Masterton Smith
- Mr. Ormsby-Gere
- Duke of Devonshire

in telegram from Governor

Kemp to me No 48

14 February