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(Subject)

Legislative Council  
Indian representatives

Asiatic Community have submitted case for  
representation in Leg. Council. Support  
case & states proposed reply

(Minutes)

Mr. Antrobus

I think that the proposed  
reply to the Asiatic Community should  
be approved. <sup>A part of</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>of</sup> the level of  
the Prot. <sup>affairs</sup> ~~is~~ <sup>has</sup> been ~~done~~ <sup>done</sup> by  
Asiatic & they deserve some recognition.

I entirely agree  
H. J. R.  
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Copy sent to P. O. on 14 May

Mr. G. S. ...  
Mr. G. S. ...

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Paraphrase

Telegram. The Governor of the East Africa Protectorate  
Secretary of State for the Colonies.  
(Received, General Office 4.42 p.m. 13th April, 1908)

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April 13th. In the reply which I have to give to an address from the Asiatic community, being a discreet and able manner claims to representation by a seat on the Legislative Council, I propose to refer to the long connexion of Indians with East Africa, their increasing numbers and influence on the trade of the Protectorate, and to say that I consider that these constitute a legitimate claim which I will submit to you for your favourable consideration. Do you approve? You will remember that when the Council was first formed I thought it expedient to defer consideration of the appointment of an Indian member: I think it could fairly be done now.

Signatories are sending to His Majesty to Ministers and English press copies of their address.

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Mr. W. H. 28/4

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Sir C. Lucas

Sir F. Hopwood

Mr. Churchill

The Earl of Elgin

R. Palfrey

referring to

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sent letter of

Aquiline

13 April

Approves

Supplies of

proposed

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reply to

Indians

Mr. Antrobus  
as you have not seen  
the paper before

Bilib to 4 May