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21st January

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TRANSPORT CONDUCTORS, N.F. DISTRICT
TRACTION ALLOWANCE

Reports grant subject to approval at rate of
Rs 25 per month. Give reasons.

W.A.B. Sturtevant Head

I am not sure what a Transport
Conductor is. The appl. is not called
by that name in the P & L 1914-15.

There are no good reasons for granting
this allow to the Conductors in the
N.F.D. as there were in the case
of Clarke (33145/12), a Medical Subord-
nates (24208/12). In the case of the
Club it is stipulated that the allow
should not exceed £25 p.a. In this
case the allow proposed is Rs 25 p.m or
£25 p.a.

Mr. Bylaw 12 March 15

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Doesn't seem to be a very good case to make. It is
than a reference to (Dated) Transport
Conductor, Senior Transport. It seems
his seems to indicate that the pay is
approximately the same as that of the highest
Subordinate, Academic rather allowance in N. 7. 8

I check & approve on the understanding that
the T.C.s are not dissimilar in pay & position
to the ^{senior} Clerical & medical staffs who have the
allowance but ask for ^{particulars} info about their
salary & the kind of man who is offered
for the position, observing that we seem to have
no info on the subject

W.C.S. 20/3/15

at once

B. J. R.

10/20/15

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
NAIROBI,
BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

No. 49

January 21st 1915.

Sir,

I have the honour to report that subject to your approval I have authorized the grant of a ration allowance at the rate of Rs. 25/- per mensem, to the Transport Conductors in the Northern Frontier District.

2. The Transport Officer states that the cost of purchasing stores locally is very heavy and that unless some inducement is offered in the matter of wages and allowances it will be difficult to retain the services of the conductors or to replace them.

3. Generally

RIGHT HONOURABLE

LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON S. W.

3. Generally speaking the present staff are capable and steady and I consider that as much of the success of the scheme depends upon an efficient and contented staff, a ration allowance should be granted.

4. I trust you will approve my action in the matter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

Alonso P. ...

GOVERNOR.

Gov. 11065/1915 *Ear*

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12 March 1915.

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Ear

No. 124

For Sir W. Belfield

MINUTE

Mr. *Chapman* 11/3/15.

Mr. *Bottomley* 11/3/15

Mr.

Mr.

Mr. G. Fiddes

Mr. H. Just

Mr. J. Anderson

Lord Islington.

Mr. Harcourt

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch No. 49 of the 21st of January and to inform you that I approve of your action in granting a ration allowance of No. 25 per mensem to the Trampot Conductors in the Northern Frontier District on the understanding that the Trampot Conductors are not dissimilar in pay

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