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KENYA

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C0533/439

Veterinary Department Staff.

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Subsequent

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1 OAS. Kenya (unnumbered) - 6/9/53

Propose abolition of post of
Asst. Chief Veterinary Officer & that
Sims should be employed as Veterinary
Officer for a further term of service
on a special salary of £1000 p.a.

As I have been able
to find out this is the first of
Kenya's proposals with regard
to the reorganization of the
Dept of Agriculture recommended
by the ^{Expenditure} Economic Advisory Committee
in para 193 of their Report.
Promotion was proposed to
Assistant Chief Veterinary Officer
at £1000 with effect from
the 1/1/53

The expenditure recommended
now ~~is~~ not provide any
savings in next years Estimates,
but - ?

Approve

Ch. Parsons
8/9/53

The establishment is:

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|----|---|-------|
| 1. | Deputy Director of Population (Animal Industry) | £1200 |
| 4. | and C.V.O. | 1000 |
| 2. | Assistant C.V.O. | 1100 |
| 3. | Ch. Vet. Research Officer | |

The Exp. Advisory Ctee thought the organization
was top-heavy and recommended telescoping either
1 and 2, or 1 and 3.

Propose to abolish the post of 2, but

To retain the office for a further term. I see
no harm in this; by the time Capt.
Dixon's term is completed, we may be
able to restore the post, if it is then
thought necessary.

If the proposal is approved,
Capt. Dixon should be sent to the
C.P., who should be asked to report
as in the last section of this letter.

Stockdale
9/9

Mr Stockdale

I don't much like the proposal
abolition, but if Kanga wants to re-examine
Mr Dixon they can do it. He is 50 & has
21 years service.

The present proposal means no cash
economy until Mr Dixon retires, and as
Mr Hester says it can then be judged again.

? Explain what is proposed to Mr Dixon
(he may retire) & send him authority for med.
exam. if he decides to go back as a Vet.

J.E.W. Hind

2-9.

I agree with action proposed above. It would not
be sound to amalgamate parts 1 & 3. The
telemetry work in Kanga would suffer thereby
and it would not be possible for one man
to carry out the duties of these two parts
with efficiency. The suppression of part 2

should be possible for a time at any rate. The
only difficulty likely to be experienced would arise
from a serious & widespread outbreak of disease
occurring in such a case. It should be possible
to bring in a Vet. officer from the field to assist
at Headquarters.

The first date
11/5

- 2 To Dixon (L/H/A)
 - 3 C.P. Horn (L/H/A on 85 on 10/11/33 for period + return) Bone
- 16/9/33

by order of
28/5 to 30
P.F. (L/H/A)
to remain
Reason
Dord. 21/9/33

4 To Cm. Kenya at 19202 (L/H/A) 22/9/33 27-4701/512

N.B. We must write
to the C.P. to explain that
Mr Dixon is sent for
exam. to make sure
that he is fit for field
as against office work.

*Amended
1/21/23*

3

1/23

The Under Secretary of State for the Colonies presents his compliments to Dr. A. E. Horn, and transmits for perusal and return, the enclosed medical report relating to Mr. O. Dixon, Veterinary Officer, Kenya.

The Acting Governor of Kenya has asked that it may be ascertained whether this officer is medically fit for active field work in an out-district.

Mr. Dixon has been requested to present himself for examination at as early a date as possible. The fee for the examination will be paid by the Government.

DOVING STREET,

16 September, 1923.

3300/33.

September 3

Sir,

*Amended on
PF 47/81 (Desam)*

I am directed by Secretary Sir Philip Curcliffe-Hisler to inform you that he has approved a recommendation made by the Acting Governor of Kenya that as part of the reorganisation of the Department of Agriculture which is now taking place, the post of Assistant Chief Veterinary Officer which you had should be abolished.

2. Mr. Moore has recommended at the same time that you should be employed as a Veterinary Officer for a further four years service on a salary of £1,000 per annum personal to yourself, subject to your being passed medically fit for active work in an out-district.

3. If you desire to accept the proposed arrangement, you should notify this Department and should present yourself for examination to the Consulting Physician at as early a date as possible. A letter of authority for the purpose is enclosed.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Signed) J. E. W. FLOOD

COPY FOR REGISTER

Telegram from the Officer Administering the Government of Kenya to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(dated 6th. September. Received 6th. September at 4.25 p.m.)

Unnumbered

18/10/32
Amund (100 m 47 1/2)
No 2 Reference to your telegram No. 153 of 21st. July 1932. Subject to your approval I propose ~~the~~ abolition of post of Assistant Chief Veterinary Officer, vide paragraph 193(3) of Expenditure Advisory Committee's Report, and that Dixon should be employed as a Veterinary Officer for a further tour of service on a personal salary of £1,000 per annum subject to his satisfying you that he is medically fit for active work in an out-district.

Amund (4)