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FOR CIRCULATION:—

Mr.
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ASIATIC SUBORDINATE MEDICAL STAFF. NEW SCALES.

Retrospective application of scales has affected adversely certain Sub-Asst Surgeons. Recommend new scales should take effect from 1st July 1924.

Perms U.S. of S
Part U.S. of S.
Secretary of State.

Previous Paper

MINUTES

It is laid down that officers should enter the new scale on 1st Jan 1924 at the incremental point equal to or next above the salary + bonus which they were then drawing, any excess of salary + bonus over the maximum being regarded as a non-permissible allowance. But some men who were at the 1st of Jan 1924 drawing more than the new maximum was, between then and the promulgation of the new

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new scales, given increments which
under the above ruling they would
lose.

Agree.

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Sir,

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In continuation of Kenya despatch No.1247 of the 16th September last, I have the honour to inform you that it has been brought to my notice that the retrospective application of the new scales of salaries for the Asiatic Subordinate Medical Staff has adversely affected certain Sub Assistant Surgeons, who had been granted increments in the earlier part of 1924 and who were in fact receiving salaries in excess of Shs. 500/- per mensem (the maximum under the new scale) prior to the receipt of Mr. Thomas' despatch No.601 of the 10th June last.

2. In the circumstances I support the Principal Medical Officer's recommendation that the new scales of pay should take effect as far as this Colony is concerned, from the 18th July, the date on which he received notification of their introduction instead of the 1st of January, 1924, as laid down by your predecessor.

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3. A similar principle in certain other cases was adopted in the application of the revised conditions of service in 1920. In this connection I would invite attention to Kenya telegram No.647 of the 15th November, 1920.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

J. A. Shortt
GOVERNOR'S DEPUTY.

RIGHT HONOURABLE
LIEUTENANT COLONEL D.C.M.S. AMERY,

P.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET,
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I have to ask the best
of you des^o No 552 of the
9th of May, & to inform you
that I agree to the proposal
that, for the reason stated
in your des^o, the new scales

of salaries for the Asiatic
Subordinate Medical

Staff should be fixed in Kenya
from the 18th of July 1924

& not, as originally
proposed, from the 1st
January 1924.


(Signed) L. S. AMERY