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PASSPORTS FOR LADY BELFIELD AND FAMILY

Knows of no special reasons why Application should be granted and does not understand why it has been made. Agrees as to importance strict adherence to regulations.

Mr. Grindle

Has asked the absence of any explanation in the O.A.S. letter rather than the other

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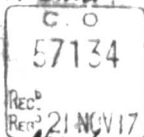
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Victoria Street, S.W.

November 20, 1917.



Sir,

In reply to Mr. Gindoff's letter of November 19, N^o. 56214/17 on the subject of Lady Brijind's return to England, I have the honour to state that I know of no special reasons why this application should be granted, neither do I understand why it has been made, in view of the fact that my wife has recently informed me that she has definitely decided not to attempt to leave East Africa until next March.

I may add that I share the views of the Secretary of State as to the importance of strict adherence to the regulations.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Yours most obediently,
H. Conway Brijind.

The Under Secretary of State
Colonial Office.

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PARAPHRASE

TELEGRAM from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the Officer Administering the Government of the East Africa Protectorate.

(Sent 4.25 p.m. 22nd November, 1917.)

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With reference to your telegram of 14th November. Belfield who has been consulted does not know of any special reason for the application. I consider that in the circumstances you should not grant passports.

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