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- (1) DISCHARGE GRATUITIES FOR ARAB AFRICAN & INDIAN OFFICERS
- (2) WAR BONUS FOR OFFICERS OF LOCAL FORCES

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previous Paper.

Trs for consideration telegrams received from Nairobi enquiring as to grant of

1916

subsequent Paper.

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Dear Sir,

I am not disposed to shut the

door yet.

Yours,

17/4/19

(copy attached)

20/5/19

Downing Street,

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17 April, 1919.

Mr. Norman,

Your letter F. 3. of March 31st enclosing copies of two telegrams from Nairobi.

As regards the question of bonus for members of local East African Forces other than K.A.F., we are dealing with the matter with the local authorities, and will write to you again when we have definite proposals to make.

The point dealt with in the other telegram, i.e. eligibility of Arab, African and Indian officers of the local forces for gratuity under ^{As Kulu} Regulation 497 of the Royal Warrant is one which would appear to depend upon precedents from other parts of the world. Can you let me know what action has been taken in this respect as regards Indian officers in the Indian Army? If they get the gratuity there would appear to be grounds for taking the same action in the case of Indian officers in East Africa. The position of Arab and African officers is more difficult, (there must be very few of them), and unless there are precedents

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Reference
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applicants for the grant of gratuities in such
 cases one would be disposed to lay it down that
 they are not eligible for British/^{Army}gratuities but are
 eligible for gratuities as may be approved for native
 ranks or Asiatic other ranks, *but the point will require
 to be considered when we know the Indian service*
 Yours faithfully,

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WHITEHALL.

(F.2.)

March 1919.

Dear Mr. Machtig,

Mr. Paterson asks me to
send you the enclosed telegrams which he
thinks are for your consideration in the
first instance.

Yours faithfully,



G.S. Machtig, Esq.,
M.B.E.,
Colonial Office,
S.W.1.

POST OFFICE



TELEGRAPHS. 123

Service Instructions.

Government Telegram.

Received from By

Office of Origin.

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H. M.

Date of Office Stamp

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- Mr. [unclear]
- Mr. Lambert
- Mr. [unclear]
- Mr. [unclear]
- Mr. [unclear]
- Mr. [unclear]

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