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Wife's Passage

Administrative
Case No.

1919

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Last previous Paper...

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Requests refund of £60 paid by him for
and quotes Maj Dury's case as precedent.
Complains of treatment by C.O.

Mr. Knacktig in Rotterdam

Mrs Dury's case is not a precedent

I believe Mrs. Dury was serving as a nurse during the war (Africa)

and while I do not definitely know that she was eligible for W.O. repatriation,

I think it is possible that she

was repatriated on the ground of her

own expense and not as being

Mrs Dury's wife.

What do you think

One thing is certain and that is that Mrs. Hamilton is not eligible for help either from the...

Administrative Paper
16763

Copy to ^{Gods} ~~God~~ and request him
to inform Capt. Hamilton that his
wife is not eligible for a free pass
under the regulations. It is
that she is not eligible
because of the matter, and
this has been previously informed
to the general in which her name was
made to appear for a pass of her eligibility
for a pass are not known to us
but that it is presumed that she possessed
qualifications appropriate from her
position as the wife of an officer of
the C.A. local force, which would not
- itself under her eligible.

[I hope the duty are was
not more a part of the
& to for which I think the
officer.]

W. C. 15. 1. 1919

Sailed Earth 21. 11. 19. 1919

Your department has my headquarters in
 town and submit that it is certainly not
 me to unravel the details of procedure
 - irregular or otherwise - which are in
 precedent I have quoted. 605

The precedent being established I make
 the above claim - I trust you will furnish
 me with an immediate settlement or
 definite statement as to why it is
 withheld.

I look to your department as my
 quarters at the time I first made my
 own, to assist - not obstruct me, surely
 there are other government departments to
 be consulted it should be done by you
 on the spot.

The witness here certainly not be allowed
 to drop until a satisfactory explanation is
 forthcoming. You have the full details
 my case, with a precedent established
 I now ask for an immediate settlement.

I am Sir

Your obedient servant

Minister of State

R. S. Hammett

Colonial Office

6 April 1905

London SW1

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10 Jan 1920

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With ref. to my despatch
No 782 of the 16th of Aug 1919,
I have to transmit to you
the acc. copy of a letter from
Capt. R. D. Hamilton, late of
the 2^d A. M. L. I., regarding
his claim to a free passage
to E. A. for his wife.

2 I have to request that
you will cause Capt. Hamilton
to be informed that his wife
is not eligible for a free passage
under the W. O. regulations
and that we are
not therefore prepared to
approve the claim on the
matter.

DRAFT.

R. D. Hamilton
E. A. P.
No. 91
C. A. G.
MINUTE.

- Mr. Jeffries 15. 1. 20.
- Mr. Huddley 19. 1. 20.
- Mr. G. G. G.
- Mr. G. G. G.
- Mr. H. Lambert.
- Sir H. Redd.
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Col. Amery.
- Lord Milner.

Mr. Hamilton B. G. Dec
(786)

that, as previously stated in
a letter to him from the Colonial
Office, the grounds on which her
Drury was able to satisfy
of her eligibility for a free passage
are not known to me, but that
it is possible that she possessed
qualifications apart from her
position as the wife of an officer
of the S. A. local forces which
would not in itself entitle her
to a free passage.

(Sgd.) L. S. AMERY.

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REGISTERED NO. 607

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From _____

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