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KENYA

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Date

26th July 1924

War Office

CIRCULARS:-

Mr. Williams

Mr. Phillips

Mr.

Asst. U.S. of S.

Permt U.S. of S.

Post U.S. of S.

Secretary of State.

Advances to Indigenees re enemy Subjects

Notes that it has been decided to ask the
the enemy for concerned to refund the
amounts outstanding & requests that such
& statements as indicated may be forwarded to
the I.C. Enquiries as to further sum of
Rs 940 on this account, appearing in C.A. War
Accts Clearance letter of 27 March

Previous Paper

See 2/1835

MINUTES

Copy to Gov. T.T. ref. L.F. on
2/1867/23 T.T., & ask for the vouchers
& information asked for by I.C. in
respect of the payment indicated at
(a) in their letter. Say Gov. Mather & ask
asked deal with the rest of the letter.

1. Copy to Gov. Mather, ref. 2/1325/24
Say Gov. T.T. has been asked to
deal with (a) and ask for the vouchers
& information denied by I.C. in respect
of the payment at (b) & for show on the
last hand.

2. Act. Send copy of L.F. to Gov.
referred above.

Copy to Gov. T.T. 488. circ. 25 Aug 1924
for copy 27/10/24

Copy of report above 26 Aug 1924
Reminders to Gov. Kenya 21/10/24
Gov. Mather - 17 APR 1925

Subsequent Paper

See 30/1/24

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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to -
The Secretary,
The War Office,
London, S.W.1,
and the following number quoted.

0103/1/5687 (F.S.)

THE WAR OFFICE.

LONDON, S.W.1.

26 July, 1924.

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 21335/1924 of the 12th May and previous correspondence regarding advances made to indigent ex-enemy subjects in East Africa on the security of pre-war currency notes or written promises to repay, I am commanded by the Army Council to state that after further consideration it has been decided to ask the ex-enemy Governments concerned to refund the amounts that are still outstanding in the books of this Department.

The amounts are as under :-

(a) £3,717. 9. 11d advanced to ex-enemy subjects by the Government of the Tanganyika Territory and repaid to that government by this Department in accordance with Colonial Office letter 15019/1923 of the 12th April 1923.

(b) £18,968. 7. 6d (shillings 679,247.52) charged against this Department at a special item in the accounts of the East African War Accounts Clearance Section for 1922/23.

I am to ask that the vouchers supporting these payments may be forwarded to this office, accompanied by statements showing how the amounts should be allocated to the German, Austrian, Hungarian and other governments concerned.

The last paragraph of East African War Accounts Clearance letter No. 3.108/Staff.199/24 of the 27th March, 1924, a copy of which was enclosed with your letter of the 12th May, seems to suggest that a further sum of Rs.3,410 may be charged against this Department on account of advances to ex-enemy subjects, and it is desired to know definitely whether the amount has been (or will be) so charged. If so, similar particulars of this item will also be required.

I am,

Sir,
The Chief Clerk.

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

Handwritten signature

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Copies of despatches which
have been sent to the
Govt of Kenya & the Adm
Svt of the S. I. asking
for the desired info &
vouchers.

JTC

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25 August 1924

my Dear J
No. 488

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Mr. Burt
Mr. Williams 26

- Mr.
- Sir C. Davis.
- Sir G. Grindle.
- Sir H. Ross.
- Sir J. Masterton Smith.
- Lord Arnold.
- Mr. Thomas.

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in reply to my predecessor's
dep No. 315 of the 29th of
July 1923, regarding advances
made by ex-enemy subjects
on the security of pre-war
currency notes, I have the
pleasure to

transmit to you a copy of
a letter from the WO.
& to request that you will

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subjects on the Security of
pre-war currency notes.

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(Signed) L. S. AMERY