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LOCALLY ENGAGED ASIATIC CLERKS  
PREP. PASSAGES

Desires to withdraw recommendations respecting discontinuance of grant. Subject to concurrence proposes to allow the same leave advantages as other members of the Non-European Clerical Staff. Will await approval of the new terms of service before making any public announcement. Uganda concurs.

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No. 36

Sir,

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With reference to your despatch No. 290 of the 31st May 1911, I have the honour to inform you that after due consideration I am prepared to withdraw the recommendations made in my despatch No. 470 of the 5th August 1910 respecting the discontinuance of the grant of free passages to the locally engaged Asiatic Clerks.

2. I feel that some hardship is entailed in refusing the privilege of a free passage especially since the local firms make a practice of allowing their Asiatic employees liberal terms as regards leave, and I do not wish to make it increasingly difficult for Government to enlist good men on this account.

3. I propose, therefore, subject to your concurrence, to allow all locally engaged Asiatic Clerks the same leave advantages as other members of the Non-European Clerical Staff but before making any public notification I will

await

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P..

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

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await your approval to the proposed new 'Terms  
of Service' forwarded under cover of my despatch  
No. 25 of the 12th instant.

4. The Governor of Uganda has expressed his  
concurrence so that the uniformity desired in  
this respect can be attained.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

*C. A. B. B. B.*

*Ch. A. B. B.*  
GOVERNOR.