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PART I.

Notification.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 9th March 1895.

No. 74.—In supersession of Government Notification No. 49, dated the 30th March 1893, the Governor in Council is pleased to publish for general information the following Rules for giving effect to the Regulations made by the Governor-General in Council under Section 1 (4) of the Indian Councils Act, 1892, for Bombay, and approved by the Secretary of State in Council, as notified by the Government of India in their Notification No. 359, dated the 17th of March 1893:—

I.—Nominations of eight persons to be Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Bombay for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations only will be made by the Governor of Bombay under Section 29 of the Indian Councils Act, 1861, subject to Rule VII of the aforesaid Regulations made by the Governor-General in Council, on the recommendations of the following Bodies and Associations, respectively:—

A.—The Corporation of Bombay;

B.—A group of Municipal Corporations constituted by the combination of all Corporations in the Northern Division of the Presidency of Bombay containing a population of 5,000 and upwards according to the last Imperial Census;

C (i).—A group of District Local Boards constituted by the combination of all the District Local Boards in the Southern Division of the Presidency of Bombay;

C (ii).—A group of District Local Boards constituted by the combination of all the District Local Boards in the Central Division of the Presidency of Bombay;

D (i).—The Sardárs of the Deccan as contained in the list prepared in conformity with Government Resolution, Political Department, No. 2363, dated July 23rd, 1867;

D (ii).—A class of large landholders in Sind, as notified in a list to be published annually by the Commissioner of Sind in the *Sind Official Gazette* for the purposes of this rule, constituted of First and Second Class Jágirdárs, and of Zamindárs who for the three years preceding the publication of the list have each paid not less than Rs. 1,000 annually as ordinary land revenue;

E.—The Association of persons engaged or interested in mercantile pursuits entitled the Bombay Chamber of Commerce;

F.—The Senate of the University of Bombay.

II.—The Governor of Bombay, in pursuance of Rule IV of the aforesaid Regulations, will cause the Secretary to Government in the Legislative Department to request the aforesaid Bodies and Associations to recommend persons for nomination by the Governor as Additional Members of Council. These requests will be addressed to the persons indicated in the following list, who will also be requested to communicate to the Secretary to Government in the Legislative Department the recommendations of the Bodies or Associations concerned within two months after receiving the request of the Governor, in each case:—

- In the case of A, the President of the Corporation of Bombay;
- In the case of B, the Commissioner of the Northern Division;
- In the case of C (i), the Commissioner of the Southern Division;
- In the case of C (ii), the Commissioner of the Central Division;
- In the case of D (i), the Agent for Sardárs in the Deccan;
- In the case of D (ii), the Commissioner in Sind;
- In the case of E, the Chairman of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce;
- In the case of F, the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Bombay.

III.—The recommendation of the Bodies and Associations mentioned in Rule I shall be determined by a majority of votes given at an election as hereinafter indicated, that is to say,—

In the case of A, the Corporation of Bombay may recommend any person, provided he is ordinarily resident within the City of Bombay, who obtains a majority of the votes of the Corporation in his favour;

In the case of B, the recommendation of a person ordinarily resident within the Northern Division may be made by the representatives of the group of Municipalities in that Division, appointed according to the following scale. Every Municipality forming a member of the group with a population between 5,000 and 10,000 may appoint one representative, and every Municipality with a population of 10,000 and upwards may appoint an additional representative for every additional 10,000 or fraction of 10,000 of population, thus—

A Municipality with a population of 5,006	may appoint	...	1	representative.
Do.	do.	9,573	...	1 do.
Do.	do.	40,168	...	5 representatives.

In the case of C (i) and C (ii) the recommendation, by each, of a person ordinarily resident within the Southern and Central Divisions, respectively, may be made by the representatives of each of the groups of District Local Boards in those Divisions appointed according to the following scale. Every District Local Board forming a member of either of the two groups of Bodies may appoint a representative for each 100,000 or fraction of 100,000 of the population of the district according to the last Imperial Census, thus—

In the Southern Division—

The District Local Board of Belgaum with a population of 1,013,261	may	appoint...	11	representatives,
Do.	do.	Ratnágiri with a population of 1,105,926	do. ...	12 do.,
Do.	do.	Kánara with a population of 446,351	do. ...	5 do.;

and in the Central Division—

The District Local Board of Poona with a population of 1,067,800	may	appoint...	11	representatives,
Do.	do.	Khándesh with a population of 1,460,851	do. ...	15 do.
Do.	do.	Sholápur with a population of 750,629	do. ...	8 do.

In the case of D (i), the Sardárs of the Deccan as described in Rule I may recommend any person elected by a majority of their votes;

In the case of D (ii), the group of landholders in Sind may recommend a person elected by a majority of their votes;

In the case of E, the Bombay Chamber of Commerce may recommend a person elected by a majority of votes recorded in the manner laid down in their rules or articles of association for carrying resolutions or recording decisions upon questions of business brought before the Association;

In the case of F, the Senate of the University may recommend any person elected by a majority of the votes of the Senate obtained, under such regulations, not being inconsistent with the aforesaid Regulations made by the Governor-General in Council, as the Senate may pass for this purpose.

By order of His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

G. W. VIDAL,
Secretary to Government.