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(Sir Eric Drummond)

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Resolutions passed at a meeting held in Paris June 9th 1919.

Text of:— dealing with

- 1) The Collection of Information for Int. Sec.
- 2) Protection of Pensions of Officials.

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(Minutes.)

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July 4.

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See correspondence within
as to Nicaraguan Delegation
in Paris, entered separately
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 1) Sec of State for India.
 2) Capt Evans.
 3) Circular to 45 States named in Annex to Covenant.
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Correspondence
Organisation Committee

Sunderland House,
Curzon Street, W.1.
21st June, 1919.

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File 25
Organisation
General.
Committee

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My dear Edwin,

The enclosed explains itself; but I am not quite certain whether it is the correct method of procedure. In the case of the Dominions - who are High Contracting Parties - after consultation with Lord Milner, I am using the new channel of communication agreed upon by the Imperial War Cabinet, namely, the Prime Minister.

India is also a High Contracting Party; and it may well be that the communication to the Government of India should be similarly made through the Prime Minister. If so, will you return me the enclosures to this letter, and I will adopt the other method.

Yours ever,

ED

The Right Hon.
E. S. Montagu, M.P.
India Office.

Former File 25
Organisation
General.

Sunderland House,
Curzon Street, W.1.
21st June, 1919.

Dear Captain Evans,

Perhaps I had better send you a short note to explain why the enclosed documents have been addressed to the Prime Minister.

I am sending out from London, to all States named in the Annex of the Covenant, certain resolutions passed by the Organisation Committee of the League of Nations. They are going to the Diplomatic Representatives of States who have Embassies or Legations in London with the request that they may be forwarded to the respective Governments. I consulted Lord Milner as to whether, in the case of the Dominions, communication ought to be made to the Colonial Office, and he was of opinion that, as the Dominions are High Contracting Parties, the new channel of communication which was agreed upon by the Imperial War Cabinet - namely, the Prime Minister - should be used.

Perhaps, therefore, the best plan would be if the resolutions were forwarded as from the Prime Minister, to the respective Dominion Prime Ministers.

Yours truly,

ED

Captain Evans,
10. Downing Street.

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SOCIÉTÉ DES NATIONS.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Sunderland House,
Curzon Street, W.1.
21st June, 1919.

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Sir,

I am instructed by the Organisation Committee of the League of Nations to forward to you herewith, for the information of the Governments, the annexed copies of resolutions passed by that Committee at a meeting held at Paris on the 9th instant.

Perhaps you would kindly arrange for one of these copies to be transmitted to the Delegation at the Peace Conference.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary-General.

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The Resolutions passed by the Organisation Committee
of the League of Nations at a Meeting held in Paris
on the 9th June, 1919.

1. That it will be essential for the League to be fully informed at the earliest moment of all political, economic, financial and social and other relevant considerations in all parts of the world. Every State, being a member of the League, should therefore undertake to supply the International Secretariat with all appropriate information.
2. That the Governments of States, being members of the League, should count as meritorious the service of their nationals on the International Secretariat of the League. When a national official is appointed with the approval of his Government, to the International Secretariat of the League for a limited period, his/her national Government should arrange that neither his/her prospects, nor his/her pension rights, should suffer by reason of his/her employment.

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General
June, 1919.

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To the Forty-Five
States named in the
Annex to the Covenant.

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Les Résolutions

~~Les~~ Résolutions adoptées par le Comité
d'Organisation de la Société des Nations
au cours de la Réunion tenue à Paris
le 9 juin, 1919.

1. Il est essentiel que la Société soit parfaitement informée ^{aussitôt} que possible de toutes les questions l'intéressant - politiques, économiques, financières, sociales et autres - dans toutes les parties du monde. Dans ce but, chaque Etat participant devra s'engager à ~~mettre à la disposition de la Société toutes ses sources de renseignements et~~ à fournir au Secrétariat international tous les renseignements appropriés.
2. Les Gouvernements des Etats participants regarderont comme services exceptionnels le temps passé par leurs nationaux au Secrétariat international de la Société.
Quand un fonctionnaire national sera nommé avec l'approbation de son Gouvernement au Secrétariat international de la Société pour une période limitée, son Gouvernement ~~national~~ prendra des dispositions pour qu'il ne soit lésé, ni dans son avenir, ni dans ses droits à la retraite.

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