

1923.

C.S.

Confidential Officials.
 W. R. B. Baseley.
 No. ~~700/23~~ 17/23.

Mr R. B. Baseley

SUBJECT.

1923

6th September
Previous Paper.

Application for increase in salary.

MINUTES.

Letter from Mr R. B. Baseley 6th September 1923 (1)

V.E.
 Submitted with 483/11 attached. (2)
 I have put up a note of Mr Baseley's service.
 G.R. 13
 O.C. Sec
 3 Oct 1923.

Confidential despatch herein
 Please make this imp. confidential
 5 Oct 1923

Desp to S of S. Confidential of 5 Oct 1923 (3)

Telegram fr. S of S. 6th Dec 1923 (4)

V.E. Submitted.
 To inform Mr Baseley? G.R. 13
 O.C. Sec 10/12/23

Subsequent Paper.

Mr. Barclay may be informed specially
It will be necessary to take a supplementary
vote next year and provision will require
to be made in the G. A. for the payment

~~TTTTT~~ 12 Dec. 23
Letter to Mr. R. B. Barclay 12 Dec 1923 (5)
Letter from Mr. R. B. Barclay 13 Dec 1923 (16)

Please inform Treasurer and Auditor
by letter in an open way. That the S. P. A.
has approved of the increase to Mr. Barclay's
salary - or rather to the salary of
his office

A special warrant will be necessary
at a later date in the year

~~TTTTT~~ 23 Jan. 24

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Stanley.

Falkland Islands.

6th September 1923.

Sir,

As the estimates for 1924 will shortly be under review I would respectfully request that an increase in my salary may be favourably considered.

In bringing forward this matter I would venture to point out that my present emolument is not in keeping with that received by other Heads of Departments.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

R. Stanley

Colonial Engineer.

The Hon; Colonial Secretary.

Stanley.

Note of Mr. Casely's Service.

(2)

On agreement from 28th Jan'y 1912 to 28th Jan'y 1915

Salary £250 - £25 - £300 with free
unfurnished quarters
& fuel.

On permanent establishment from 29th Jan'y 1915
to present date.

Salary with free unfurnished quarters
& fuel.

1915-19 £325 - £25 - £400

1920 to present date £500.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

STANLEY,

5th October, 1923.

FALKLAND ISLANDS.

CONFIDENTIAL.

My Lord Duke,

I have the honour to inform Your Grace that Mr. H. E. Basoley, Colonial Engineer, has applied for an increase in the personal emoluments attached to his office.

2. Mr. Basoley is not a first-class officer; he is not very successful in handling men; he frequently incurs the reproach of being obstructive; he is also self opinionated. On the other hand, he is very conscientious, hardworking, and capable within limits. He is strictly temperate in his habits and, by sheer hard work, has carried out duties for which he has few qualifications, such as erecting and maintaining a wireless station.

3. The Colonial Engineer is now paid at the rate of £800 per annum and quarters. The newly appointed Assistant Colonial Surgeon, who qualified immediately before entering the service, receives the same emoluments, together with private practice, estimated to be worth £150 a year. The Postmaster and Registrar, who is not a professional man, receives £550 with quarters. Mr. Basoley is an associate of the Institutes of Marine and Mechanical Engineers.

4. I submit that the appointment of Colonial Engineer should be paid at the rate of £550 a year.

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE,

subject/

P.C., K.G., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

subject to the concurrence of the Governor. If Your Grace approves of Mr. Roseley's application, I request that I may receive a reply by telegram to enable provision to be made in the Estimates for 1924.

5. In conclusion, I beg to draw Your Grace's attention to Governor Middleton's despatch No. 23 of the 6th of February, 1922, transmitting an application from Mr. Roseley for transfer to West Africa. He would, in my opinion, make an excellent subordinate officer in a large Public Works Department, and he is well fitted to stand an unhealthy climate.

I have the honour to be,

My Lord Duke,

Your Grace's most obedient,

humble servant,

H. HENNIKER-HEATON.

TELEGRAM.

From : The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

To : The Governor.

	6th					
Dispatched :	7th	December.....	19	23	Time.	3. 50
						p.m.
Received :	7th	December.....	19	23	Time.	10.24
						a.m.

Governor.

Port Stanley.

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Meaning.

With reference to your despatch of the 5th October, Confidential, proposals approved.

Secretary of State for the Colonies.

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C. 17/23.

12th December,

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Confidential.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 6th of September, I am directed by the Acting Governor to inform you that the Secretary of State has intimated his approval of your drawing salary at the rate of £550 a year from the 1st of January, 1924.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

G. R. L. Brown.

for Colonial Secretary.

R. B. Baseley, Esq.,
Colonial Engineer,
Stanley.

(6)

The Office of The Colonial Engineer.

C. S. C. 17/23.

Stanley,

Falkland Islands.

13th December 1923.

Confidential.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge your letter of the 12th inst; informing me that the Secretary of State has intimated his approval for my salary to be increased, as from the 1st January 1924, to £ 550 per annum for which I thank you , and I should be glad if you would kindly convey to His Excellency my thanks and appreciation.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

R. B. Barclay

Colonial Engineer.

The Hon; Colonial Secretary.

STANLEY.