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Council House,  
New Delhi.  
February 26, 1948.

To  
Tirune  
Lal J. Kania  
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My dear Chief Justice,

I am sending you herewith four copies of the Draft of the new Constitution for the use of your colleagues and yourself. I shall be grateful if you will let me have any comments which you may wish to make before March 15, 1948.

Constitution to His Excellency the Governor General

Yours sincerely,

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The Hon'ble Sir Hari Lal J. Kania,  
Chief Justice of India,  
New Delhi.

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No. CA/25/Cons/472

Dated 28<sup>th</sup> February, 1948.

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Dear Sir,

I am desired to forward herewith 3 copies of the Draft of the new Constitution of India as settled by the Drafting Committee of the Constituent Assembly. ~~Sir P. N. Rau~~ The Constitutional Adviser will be grateful if you will give one copy of the Draft Constitution to His Excellency the Governor-General, and the remaining two may be kept by you for your use.

Yours truly,

U.S.

Captain R.V. Brockman, C.I.E., C.B.E., R.N.,  
Private Secretary to the Governor-General,  
New Delhi.

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*Enclosure*  
The Manager,  
The Servants of India Society,  
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*Issue*  
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Dear Sir,

I am desired to forward herewith one copy of the Draft of the new Constitution of India, as settled by the Drafting Committee of the Constituent Assembly, for your information. Additional copies may be obtained from the Manager of Publications, Civil Lines, Delhi on payment.

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Yours truly,

*U.S.*

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No. CA/108/Cens/47  
CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY OF INDIA

Council House,  
New Delhi.

25th February, 1948.

Dear Sir,

I forward herewith, for your use, one copy of the Draft Constitution of India as settled by the Drafting Committee.

I am desired to request that any comments or criticisms, together with any amendments that you may wish to make, may kindly be sent to the Secretary so as to reach him not later than the 22nd March, 1948. This will, of course, be without prejudice to your right to give notice of other amendments at the time the Constituent Assembly takes the Draft into consideration.

Yours truly,

*S. N. Mukerjee*

(S.N. Mukerjee)  
Joint Secretary

To:

ALL MEMBERS OF THE CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY OF INDIA.

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The 3rd March 1948.

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Dear Sir,

I wish to tell you in the name of the French Ambassador how grateful we are to you for having so kindly sent to this Embassy two copies of the Draft Constitution of India together with different other memoranda.

These documents are of great interest and will help a lot in our work.

Thanking you again, I am

Yours sincerely

L.A. des Longchamps

L. A. des Longchamps  
Attaché d'Ambassade

May be forwarded to the  
Constituent Assembly of India  
Secretariat.

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Mr. M. V. Rangachari  
Deputy Secretary to the  
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6th March 1948.

Mr. K. V. Padmanabhan  
Fr. 63

Dear Sri Padmanabhan

I am in receipt of the copy of the Draft Constitution which you have been so kind enough to send me. I thank you for the same. The cover has come out very neatly and I am very much satisfied with it. Anyway, I do presume that at least the cover get-up has a departure from the normal printing get-up of the Government of India Press and will be liked by the public at large. Colour harmony has also come off very neatly. I think your suggestion is very valuable in this respect. I wish I shall be able to give you the more of the like in future provided you wish my services.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely  
C. Biswas

(C. BISWAS)

Shri K. V. Padmanabhan,  
Constituent Assembly,  
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To The Secretary

R.H. Constituent Assembly  
of India.

Sir,

I understand that the draft Constitution of India has been published and circulated to the members of the C.A. I was absent for a few days and have not received the same. Will you please send a copy of the same as soon as possible.

6, Constitution House  
New Delhi  
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Yours  
Yudhishthir  
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No. 416 /L.C.-

Legislative Council,  
United Provinces.

Dated Lucknow, March 12, 1948

M.M. No. 225 Date Patna, the 11th March, 1948

L. 81The Under Secretary  
Constituent Assembly of India,  
New Delhi.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir, I acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of 56 copies of the Draft Constitution of India as settled by the Drafting Committee of the Constituent Assembly. These will be distributed to M.L.Cs. on the first day of the next Council meeting, i.e. March 15, 1948.



To

Yours truly,

Yours truly,

(S.L. GOVIL)  
SECRETARY.

The Under Secretary,  
Constituent Assembly of India,  
Council House,  
New Delhi.

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H. D.  
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Camp: Bajajwadi, Wardha,  
22nd March '48.

Dear Iyengar,

I have been reading the Draft Constitution and my attention has been attracted to the cover which contains the State Emblem. As it is printed, it does not represent the State Emblem which has been accepted by the Government. The Wheel and the Lotus should be there but not the part of the column. If any fresh edition has to be printed in English or in any other language and if the emblem has to be given on any of the publications of the Constituent Assembly it should be correctly given. You could get the correct emblem from the Government. I have noticed also that at the bottom of the emblem the name of the designer appears. This is also wrong and it should not find place in the Emblem.

*The instructions  
will be followed.  
H. D.  
27/3*

*D. No. 492/ems  
29/3*

Yours sincerely,  
*Ramendra Prasad*

The Secretary,  
Const. Assembly of India, New Delhi.

~~61 NO 102~~

2nd April '48

To

The Assistant Secretary to Bihar  
Legislative Assembly,  
Patna.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter No.1626 L.A., dated the 17th March 1948, I regret to say that our stock for free distribution of the Draft of the new Constitution of India has almost exhausted and it is not therefore, possible to meet your request for more copies. Copies are however available for sale with the Manager of Publications at Delhi and his Agents at all important towns in India at Re.1/- per copy.

Yours truly,

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(K.V.PADMANABHAN)  
UNDER SECRETARY.

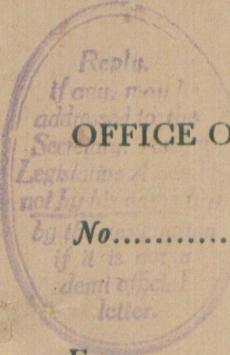
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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ASSAM,  
G. .... BRANCH.4197 — L.A., dated Shillong, the 9<sup>th</sup> April, 1948.  
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From

A.K. Barua, Esqr., B.A.  
Secretary, Legislative Assembly, Assam.

To

The Under Secretary,  
Constituent Assembly of India  
Council House, New Delhi.

Subject:

Draft Constitution of India.

p. 32/Con

Reference: — Your letter No. CA/108/Cons/47 dated the 26th February, 1948.

V/S  
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SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of 63 copies (instead of 65 copies as stated in your letter) of the Draft Constitution of India for distribution to the Members of the Assam Legislative Assembly as are not Members of the Constituent Assembly of India.



J.R. 9.4.48.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your most obedient servant,

Secretary Legislative Assembly Assam.

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EMBASSY OF INDIA

Boulevard St. Michel, 111,  
Brussels, 4th October '48.

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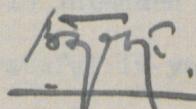
My dear Padmarajan,

I hope all is going well with you. Senator Hayes of Eire, whom I met the other day at a party given to Delegates of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference at Brussels, was very keen on seeing the new draft Constitution of India of which apparently the Irish Parliament has not got a copy.

I should be most grateful if you would kindly send two copies to the Library of the Irish Parliament, one of which might be marked for Senator Hayes.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
(B.F.H.B. Tyabji)

K. V. Padmarajan, Esq.,  
Under Secretary,  
Constituent Assembly of India,  
Council House, New Delhi.

S1. NO. 131.

No. CA.108/Cons/47.  
CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY OF INDIA

Council House,  
New Delhi.  
October , 1948.

To

The Librarian,  
Library of the Irish Parliament,  
Dublin (Ireland).

Dear Sir,

On a suggestion made by Senator Hayes to  
Mr. B.F.H.B.Tyabji, our Minister at Brussels, I  
*to you separately*  
have pleasure in forwarding ~~herewith~~ two copies of  
the Draft Constitution of India. One of these  
copies is intended for Senator Hayes, and we shall be  
very grateful if you will kindly pass it on to him.  
The other copy may be retained in the Library of  
the Irish Parliament, as we hope it may be a  
document of interest to those making use of your  
Library.

I ought perhaps to add that this Draft will be considered by the Constituent Assembly of India at their ~~next~~ session scheduled to commence on November 4 next.

Yours truly,

(K.V.Padmanabhan)  
Under Secretary.

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My dear Sir,

I was very glad to receive your letter of October 4 and have already sent to the Librarian of the Irish Parliament two copies of the Draft Constitution as suggested by you, marking one of the copies for Senator Hayes. As you may have heard, the Constituent Assembly is commencing what we hope may be its final session on 4th November to consider and pass the Draft Constitution.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely

V.J.

B.F.H.B. Tyabji Esq.,  
Charge d'Affairs for India,  
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