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Memo. by-The Under Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.

A copy of the under mentioned paper is forwarded to the Government of Bihar and Orissa for information.

The Hon'ble Mr. S. Sinha.

[A—Enclo. to No. 23.]

- (a) Have the Government received from the Government of Bihar and Orissa their scheme for the constitution of the Provincial Legislative Council? If so, is it now under the consideration of the Government or has it been forwarded to the Secretary of State?
- (b) Did the Local Government consult any non-officials, individuals or public bodies before forwarding their suggestions to the Government of India?
- (c) If not, was it because of any direction to that effect of the Government of India?

Proposed reply by the Hon'ble Sir Reginald Craddock to the Hon'ble Mr. [B—Enclo. to Sachchidananda Sinha's question re Legislative Council for Bihar and No. 23.]

Orissa.

The proposals of the Local Government of Bihar and Orissa regarding the constitution of the Legislative Council in that province are at present under the consideration of the Government of India. The Local Government exercised its own discretion as to the procedure to be adopted by it in framing its proposals, and although no formal consultation of non-official opinion appears to have been held, it had at its disposal various other means of ascertaining the views of those likely to be interested.

REFERENCE TO FORMER CASES.

Appointment B, September 1912, Nos. 70—72. (File No. $\frac{L.C.}{16}$.)

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