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## TUESDAY, 12 DECEMBER, 1911.

India Office, December 12, 1911.

GEORGE R. and I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, and Sovereign of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come, greeting.

Patent under the great seal, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and the Statutes for the government of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, made in pursuance of the said Letters Patent, full power and authority is reserved to Us to increase the number of Members of any of the Classes of Knights Grand Commanders, Knights Commanders, and Companions of Our said Order, and to assign a place in any such Class to any person whom We might think fit to admit into the same.

And whereas by a Special Statute, bearing date the tenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and now in full force for the regulation of the Order, it is ordained and declared that the First Class or Knights Grand Commanders of the Order shall not exceed thirty-six in number; and Whereas by Special Statute bearing date the twenty-first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, and now in full force for the regulation of the Order, it is ordained and declared that the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Order, shall not exceed eighty-five in number, and that the Third Class, or Companions of the Order, shall not exceed one hundred and seventy in number.

And Whereas We deem it expedient further to increase the number of the Members of the First, Second, and Third Classes of Our said Order.

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the power so reserved to Us by the aforesaid Letters Patent and the Statutes made in pursuance thereof, We are pleased by this Special Statute of Our said Most Exalted Order to increase the number of the First, Second, and Third Classes, and to enable Us to carry this Our Royal Will and Pleasure into effect, We do hereby increase the total number of Companions or Members of this Order from two hundred and ninety-one to three hundred and forty-four; and We do further, in exercise