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Dear Madam,

With reference to your letter dated May 19, 1980, on Gambusia affinis, the following information on the subject is detailed :

1. Gambusia affinis halbrecki-(Girard) and Lebistes reticulatus were simultaneously introduced in India. Lebistes reticulatus could not acclimatise in North India, whereas, Gambusia readily established and maintained its population.

2. Gambusia and Lebistes were imported into India in 1914 and 1930 from Italy and Siam.

3. Reliable information on the areas of its introduction was not recorded. It was distributed all over the country by Malaria Survey of India and Mysore State Department of Health.

I hope this information will be helpful to you.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

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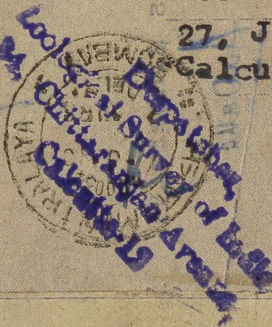


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