

# Abdurrezak Bey Efendi

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Abdurrezak Bey Efendi was born in Basra in AH 1287. Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in Bagdat in AH 1307 (20 AH years after the recorded birth year). The surviving career record covers 13 distinct AH years between 1309 and 1321; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Bagdat (475 kuruş monthly). 2. Posta Muduru appears later, in AH 1321 (1,000 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing). Distinct legal-source notes are preserved below; they are not adjudicated findings.

## Recorded preparation

|                                        |                         |
|----------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Birth                                  | AH 1287; basra          |
| School / programme                     | Rusdiye Mektebi         |
| Schooling duration                     | 7 source-recorded years |
| Apprenticeship duration                | 2 source-recorded years |
| Qualification field (recorded code)    | 1                       |
| Telegraph-school field (recorded code) | 0                       |
| Religion wording                       | Musulman                |
| Nationality wording                    | Turkish                 |

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

## First-work fields

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Recorded year      | AH 1307   |
| Place              | Bagdat    |
| First-salary field | 475 kuruş |

First-work may concern earlier state service or preparation. The first-salary amount is separately recorded and is not dated by the first-work year.

## Honours, rank and legal records

Decoration wording is unrecorded in the linked text fields.

Original legal note: “Zimmet” (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

Original legal note (excerpt): “hırsızlık / Bağdat Postahanesi'ndeki mektuplar ve derûnundan evrak-ı nakdiye ve emaaetlerden ve meskukat sirkati vukuunun tekrârından dolayı mumaileyhin taht-ı m” ... (Legal notes (earlier workbook copy); Legal notes (later workbook copy))

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0; Legal notes (earlier workbook copy) · legal field (unlabelled original codes): 1; Legal notes (later workbook copy) · legal field (unlabelled original codes): 1

Legal wording and annual indicators are not adjudicated findings or lifetime verdicts. Complete original notes (2 distinct texts), codes and archival source details remain in the online dossier. Repeated source copies do not establish independent confirmation.

## Annual chronology

13 annual entries in 13 recorded AH years. G labels are stored source labels, not exact conversions. Gaps remain gaps. Salaries are nominal monthly assigned kuruş, not confirmed disbursements.

| AH year | G label | Recorded title     | Locality / province      | Monthly kuruş |
|---------|---------|--------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| 1309    | 1892    | Muhabere Memuru    | bagdat; Province: bagdat | 475           |
| 1310    | 1892    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 380           |
| 1311    | 1893    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 475           |
| 1312    | 1894    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 475           |
| 1313    | 1895    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 475           |
| 1314    | 1896    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 475           |
| 1315    | 1897    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 475           |
| 1316    | 1898    | muhabere memuru    | basra; Province: basra   | 475           |
| 1317    | 1899    | bas mudur kitabeti | bagdat; Province: bagdat | 570           |
| 1318    | 1900    | bas mudur kitabeti | bagdat; Province: bagdat | 570           |
| 1319    | 1901    | bas mudur kitabeti | bagdat; Province: bagdat | 570           |
| 1320    | 1902    | bas mudur kitabeti | bagdat; Province: bagdat | 570           |
| 1321    | 1903    | 2. posta muduru    | bagdat; Province: bagdat | 1000          |

## Citation and sources

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Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-0b3ad3dcf2b7376f/#honours-records>

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