MEMORANDUM BY THE HON. MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS.

Uniforms of the Executive Staff of the Courts

Honourable Members will recollect that this subject had been discussed on previous occasions both in Cabinet and Parliament.

Following a statement made recently in the House of Representatives that "il-personal esekutiv tal-Qrati Taghna ghandu ikollhom uniformi dicenti u adattata tant ghas-sajf kemm ukoll ghax-xitwa" a meeting between Hon. Minister of Justice and Parliamentary Affairs, the Registrar and Representatives of the Executive Staff of the Courts was held on the 23rd instant.

Taking into consideration the fact that the duties performed by the Executive Staff are comparably of greater importance than those of messengers in other departments, it is now proposed that the uniform to be worn by the former should be distinctive, and should consist of:

Winter

Grey jacket and trousers, black tie, black shoes

Summer

- (a) <u>Indoor use</u>
 Same as for winter but of lighter colour and material
- (b) Outdoor use
 Grey shirt with tie

Epaulettes to be worn at all times.

Caps:

For the present the same caps in issue are to be used. A suitable design for the crest for Marshals will be prepared.

No repercussions from other personnel supplied with uniforms are expected.

Honourable Members are invited to recommend.

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