

✓ Sitting no. 30/64.

Cabinet meeting held at the Arberge d'Aragon, Valletta, on Tuesday, 29th September, 1964, at 10 am.

Present: The Hon. Prime Minister
 The Hon. Minister of Industrial
 Development & Tourism.
 The Hon. Minister of Education
 The Hon. Minister of Agriculture, Power
 & Communications.
 The Hon. Minister of Works & Housing
 The Hon. Minister of Labour &
 Social Welfare.

Absent: The Hon. Minister of Justice, and
 The Hon. Minister of Health who
 was away from the Island
 on official business.

The minutes of meeting
 no. 29/64 were read and confirmed.

OPM. 511/64.

Merchant Marine Flag for Maltese Shipping
 (Memo. No. 304)

It was confirmed that
 Maltese shipping should now fly the marine
 flag as shown in Figure 2 ^{in file}, i.e. a
 white Maltese Cross placed in the centre
 of a red field.

OPT. 302/64.

Agreements on Mutual Defence and Assistance. Training and Exercise Areas. (Memo. No. 282)

(Mr. E. Cuschieri, Administrative Secretary, was in attendance)

The Cabinet agreed to the recommendations (i) to (vii), as altered in ink, in para. 4 of Memorandum No. 282 at Red 22 in file.

OPT. 462/64.

Ricisoli Lido (Memo. No. 305)

(Mr. E. Cuschieri, Administrative Secretary, was in attendance)

The Cabinet was in favour of the Services' requests being granted in the manner proposed in para. 4 of Memorandum No. 305 at Red 13 in file.

OPT. 525/64.

Special arrangements for the use of waters in the vicinity of Service Establishments (Memo. No. 319)

(Mr. E. Cuschieri, Administrative Secretary, was in attendance)

The Cabinet agreed to the arrangements provisionally reached with the local Service Authorities regarding the use of waters in the vicinity of

Service Establishments as set out in
the Draft Exchange of Letters attached to
Memorandum No. 319 at Red 32 ^{in file} ~~at Red 32~~.

OPM. 915/64.

Participation of Malta in S.A.T.T. (Memo. No. 320)

The Cabinet agreed

- (i) to accept in principle that Malta becomes a member of Satt under the special procedures for countries acquiring independence;
- (ii) to send an informal mission to Satt to prepare in consultation with the Secretariat the relevant application; and
- (iii) to continue with the efforts to achieve bilateral Trade Agreements, as explained in paras. 5, 8 and 35 of the relative Memorandum.

Osney Duvet
Prime Minister
8. 10. 64

Eng. C. G. ...
Secretary to Cabinet.
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