

Malta and the United States Governments to arrange for the establishment of a "Scatter Station" in Malta, which was required to improve United States Military communications in the Mediterranean in the link of the world wide system of communications stations maintained by the United States Government. The Press Notice shown below was approved for immediate release:

PRESS RELEASE

By Exchange of Letters carried out during the Prime Minister's visit to the United States of America, the Malta and the United States Governments have agreed to arrange for the establishment, operation and maintenance by the United States of America of a Communications Facility and the necessary supporting facilities in Malta. A site has been allocated on the western side of Marfa Ridge for the purpose. It is expected that the Communications Facility will come into operation early next year and this will involve the stationing of about 25 United States personnel and the employment of local workers.

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