

✓ Sitting No. 42/64.

Cabinet Meeting held at the Auberge d'Aragon, Bellintra, on Saturday, 22nd April, 1964, at 7.30 p.m.

Presents: The Hon. Prime Minister
 The Hon. Minister of Public Building
 & Works.
 The Hon. Minister of Justice and
 Parliamentary Affairs.
 The Hon. Minister of Trade, Industry
 and Agriculture.
 The Hon. Minister of Health
 The Hon. Minister of Education,
 Culture and Tourism.
 The Hon. Minister of Labour,
 Employment and Welfare.

Absents: The Hon. Minister of Finance,
 Customs & Ports, who
 was indisposed.

Industrial Action by Post Office employees.

(The Hon. Mr. E. Cassarini & were in attendance)

The Cabinet considered again the question of the industrial action taken by Post Office employees, members of the Government Section of the General Workers Union, and discussed the position resulting from the rejection on the part of the Staff Side of the Malta Government Joint Council of the Government's proposal to refer all

and
 Mr. J. Carabott
 Ac.

claims for salary adjustments to an independent Commission. The Prime Minister read a letter dated 22nd April, 1964, which he had just then received from the Staff Side wherein reference was made to their interview with him earlier in the week. Further consideration of the matter was postponed to the next meeting of the Cabinet. It was agreed that in the meantime no further action was to be taken on the decision taken in Cabinet on the 10th April, 1964, to offer the Government's proposals for salary adjustments to the Staff Associations concerned.

Colin Clarke
Prime Minister
25. 4. 64

Colin Clarke
Secretary to Cabinet
25. 4. 64