

✓ Sitting No. 39/68.

Cabinet Meeting held at the Auberge d'Argon, Valletta, on Tuesday, 28th May, 1968, at 6.30 p.m.

Present: 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
 & Agriculture.
 The Hon. Minister of Health.
 The Hon. Minister of Education,
 Culture & Tourism.
 The Hon. Minister of Labour, Employment
 & Welfare.

Absent: The Hon. Minister of Finance,
 Customs & Ports.

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Pensionability (Memo. No. 1060)
 (The Administrative Secretary was in attendance)
 The Cabinet after having
 considered Memorandum No. 1060 and all
 issues involved agreed that the interim
 arrangements made in December 1965 whereby
 employees in Groups I to V were granted a
 pension on reaching the age of 63 years (or
 when retired on medical grounds after reaching
 the age of 60), provided they had 15 years' service
 to their credit, should be extended to Groups
 VI to VIII and to all other non-pensionable

employees with effect from the date when the interim arrangements in respect of Groups I to V were put into operation.

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Early-Morn Working Week (Memo. No. 1059)
(The Administrative Secretary was in attendance)

Further consideration of Memorandum No. 1059 was left to another meeting of the Cabinet.

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Hospital Sides - Salaries Anamalis Commission
(Memo. No. 1062)

The Cabinet resumed consideration of memorandum No. 1062. Further study of the matter was left to another meeting.

Confirmation of Written Opinion

The file mentioned hereunder was circulated to Ministers whose written opinion was as follows:

Land 346/65. H.C. The Governor General was advised to sign Declaration for the acquisition of land at Birkirkara, required in connection with the construction of a playground.

4th June 1968

Edward P. Dimech
Prime Minister

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Secretary to Cabinet.