

✓ Sitting No. 27/69.

Cabinet Meeting held at the Ambage d'Argon, Valletta, on Tuesday, 1st April, 1969, at 11.45am

Present: The Hon. Prime Minister

The Hon. Minister of Finance, Customs
& Ports.

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 Leisure.

The Hon. Minister of Labour, Employment
& Welfare.

OPM. 554/68.

Financial Assistance Agreement.

(The Administrative Secretary and the Deputy
Chief Advocate General were in attendance)

Ministers considered the
terms of an Aide Memoire to be forwarded
to the British Government on the question of
aid still due to Malta under the Financial
Assistance Agreement of 1964.

OPM. 2304/58.

Funding for certain major works.

The Hon. Prime Minister
mentioned the way in which it was

proposed to call for tenders for certain major works, such as the building of the General Hospital in Sgo. He recalled in that connection that the proposal, made as far back as 1962, for the setting up of a panel of contractors had not been accepted by the Cabinet. Ministers again agreed that tendering for works should continue to be completely open to all contractors and that the ^{and short listing} adjudication of all tenders received should ^{invariably} ~~invariably~~ be done by the Contracts Committee.

Confirmation of Written Opinion

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

Land. 244/64/11. H.E. the Governor General was advised to sign Declaration for the acquisition of land at Bugeja required by the Government in connection with the Sea Port Project.

8th April, 1969.

Edward Dalli
Prime Minister

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Secretary to Cabinet
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