

✓ Sitting No. 71/69.

Cabinet Meeting held at the Auberge d'Angelo, Valletta, on Tuesday, 9th September, 1969, at 10.30 am.

Present: The Hon. Minister of Public Building & Works and Acting Prime Minister.

The Hon. Minister of Justice and Parliamentary Affairs.

The Hon. Minister of Trade, Industry and Agriculture.

The Hon. Minister of Education, Culture and Tourism.

The Hon. Minister of Labour, Employment and Welfare.

Absent: The Hon. Prime Minister and the Hon. Minister of Health who were away from the Island.

The Hon. Minister of Finance, Customs & Post who was indisposed.

The minutes of meetings Nos. 61 and 62/69 were read and confirmed.

OPM. 229/69. Investigation of aircraft accidents (hans. no. 1384)
Ministers agreed to consider further the proposals made in Memorandum No. 1384 at another meeting of the Cabinet.

Ministers considered

Memorandum No. 1289 and agreed that there should be in Malta at all times at least a three months' supply of all the essential commodities listed in Appendix A.

They agreed also that a standing Committee with powers to co-opt ~~other~~ representatives of other departments, if and when necessity arises, should be set up immediately to advise the Government on the ways and means of ensuring that the supply of the required commodities is always available. The Committee is to be composed of the Director of Trade as Chairman and of representatives of the Office of the Prime Minister, the Ministry of Finance, the Police, the Department of Industry and the Civil Defence.

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Colin Clarke
Prime Minister.

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Secretary to Cabinet.
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