

MEMORANDUM FOR CABINET BY THE MINISTER OF
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM

New Restaurant of the Harbour Hotel, St. Paul's Bay

The Third Schedule of the Import Duties Act, 1964 provides that certain equipment may be imported for "approved catering establishments" free of customs duty.

2. The expression "approved catering establishment" means an establishment purveying, or a projected establishment which when completed will purvey, food and refreshments for consumption for reward on the premises, which, having regard to the extent and nature of the services and amenities it provides or will provide, is for the time being approved by the Governor General, after consultation with the Malta Government Tourist Board, for the purposes of the said Third Schedule.

3. Mr Joseph Cremona, proprietor of the Harbour Hotel ("Gillie's") at St. Paul's Bay, is improving his establishment by building a new restaurant next to it. It is estimated that he will be spending £6,000 in connection with the project, and his architect has duly furnished the Malta Government Tourist Board with detailed plans together with costings.

4. The Board, having duly considered the application, unanimously decided to recommend that the new restaurant be declared "an approved catering establishment" for the purposes of the said Third Schedule.

5. Hon. Ministers are invited to advise His Excellency to approve the above recommendations.

25th September, 1964.