

Sitting No. 19/62.

Cabinet Meeting held at the Auberge d'Oran, Valletta, on Tuesday, 18th December, 1962, at 10.30 am.

Presents: The Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of Economic Planning and Finance.

The Hon. Minister of Industrial Development & Tourism.

The Hon. Minister of Education

The Hon. Minister of Agriculture, Power and Communications.

The Hon. Minister of Justice.

The Hon. Minister of Works and Housing

The Hon. Minister of Labour and Social Welfare.

The Hon. Minister of Health.

The minutes of meeting No. 18/62 were read and confirmed.

P.W./L.A./58.

Release of land in New Street, Luga.
(Memo. No. 84)

It was agreed that H.E. the Governor be advised to declare that the land in New Street, Luga, which had been earmarked for public acquisition in terms of the Land Acquisition (Public Purposes)

Ordinance, Chap. 136, was no longer required for a public purpose in accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance.

OPH. 902/62.

Import Duties (Assimilation) Regulations 1962.
(Memo. No. 78).

It was explained that section 11 of the Imports and Exports Duties Ordinance (Cap. 122) provided that goods which were not specifically mentioned in the Second and Third Schedules of the Ordinance were, for import duty purposes, assimilated to those goods to which they bore greater analogy. The assimilations were made by the Governor by regulations published in the Government Gazette.

It was proposed, in virtue of the said section, to assimilate paper treated with silicone and having an adhesive on the inner side, to paper specifically intended for use as cover to books, pamphlets, magazines, periodicals, etc.

The Council agreed to the proposal and decided to advise H.E. the Governor to make the regulations which had been prepared at the Attorney-General's Office in the form of a Legal Notice.

Confirmation of written opinion.

The files mentioned hereunder

were circulated to Hon. Ministers whose written decisions were as follows:-

OPM/E/52/52. H.C. the Governor was advised to make the Reg. (External and Local Examinations) (Amendments) Regulations 1962.

OPM. 1846/58. H.C. the Governor was advised to authorize the refund of stamp duty paid by Mr. Cornel Lucco, a cripple, on a car fitted with disability controls.

OPM/E/362/50. H.C. the Governor was authorized to approve that Mr. Joseph Frech be assigned all duties of the Registrar of the Court of Magistrates of Judicial Police, Malta, during the sittings of the said Court in civil proceedings.

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Prime Minister
22/12/62

Secretary to Cabinet
22/12/62.