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**CABINET WAR COMMITTEE
SCHEDULE OF DECISIONS (CONSOLIDATED)**

MEETING	SUBJECT AND DECISION	REF'D	ACTION TAKEN
Jan.13/43	<u>Construction of escort vessels</u> - Department to re-examine situation. (See Sec's. letter Jan.14/43)	M&S	Co-ordinator of Production of Dept. Munitions & Supply has made survey of components and fittings capacity to determine extent to which escort vessel programme can be expanded. An interim re- port of this survey indicates some expansion possible. This information has been transmitted to Canadian representative on C.P.R.B. for information Combined Chiefs of Staff and other interested authorities. ✓ (rcvd. 8/3/43)
Jan.13/43	<u>Lumber shortage in defence con- struction</u> - effective joint priorities arrangements to be introduced by three Services	ND	Matter discussed at meeting of Defence Council held on Jan.15. Decision reached that Interdepartmental Pri- orities Committee should meet again with Timber Con- troller for consideration of Service requirements for timber in relationship to available supplies; also to obtain technical advice from Dept. Munitions and Supply on priorities. (return of Jan.29/43) ✓
Jan.13/43	<u>Home defence expenditures of the three Services</u> - Services to be informed of altered emphasis on home defence expenditures.	ND	Instructions sent on Jan.16 to Chief of General Staff, Adjutant-General, Quarter- master-General and Master- General of the Ordnance. (return of Jan.29/43) ✓
Jan.13/43	<u>Department of National Defence</u> - <u>designations</u> - alteration in nomenclature might be considered.	ND	Noted. (return of Jan.29/43) ✓

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