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Certified to be a true copy of a Minute of a Meeting of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General on the 18th January, 1940.



The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report, dated 18th January, 1940, from the Secretary of State for External Affairs, representing:-

That it has been decided that it is expedient under existing circumstances that a Service Attache should be appointed to the staff of the Canadian Legation at Washington and that a similar appointment should be made to the staff of the Canadian Legation in Paris;

That the Minister of National Defence has recommended that Major-General L. R. LaFleche, D.S.O., be appointed Military Attache at the Canadian Legation in Paris, and that Group Captain (Temporary Air Commodore) W. R. Kenny, D.F.C., be appointed as Air Attache at the Canadian Legation in Washington; and

That the names of these two Officers have been submitted to His Majesty the King from whom approval has been received.

The Secretary of State for External Affairs, therefore, acting in pursuance of the nominations received from the Minister of National Defence, recommends:

- (1) That Major-General L. R. LaFleche, D.S.O., be hereby appointed Military Attache at the Canadian Legation in Paris,
- (2) That Group Captain (Temporary Air Commodore) W. R. Kenny, D.F.C., be hereby appointed Air Attache at the Canadian Legation in Washington.

The Committee concur in the foregoing recommendations and submit the same for approval.

Acting Clerk of the Privy Council.