

DISPOSITION OF CABINET ITEMS

DATE	SUBJECT	ACTION TAKEN	REMARKS
1944 May 16th	Civil Service Council; personnel; statement regarding constitution.	Formation and provisional constitution approved as P.C. 3676.	O.C. to G.G., May 16/44. Statement on constitution on H. of C. by Mr. Ilsley, May 16
May 18th	Resolution re amendments to Dominion Elections Act, 1938 (Can. War Service electors)	Approved.	Endorsed resolution with letter to Clerk, H of C, May 18/44.
May 19th	Honours and Awards (Can. Eff. Decoration and Medal; R.A.F. Air Efficiency Award)	Course suggested by Sec. approved; agreed two submissions go forward to G.H., as from Minister, for submission to His Majesty.	Submission forwarded with letter to Redfern May 20; letter to Power and Coleman, May 20; See Cabinet Conclusions.
May 19th	R.C.A.F.; prisoners of war; attempted escapes.	Draft Statement submitted Acting Sec. State E.A. approved with minor amendments; agreed if supplementary explanation requested in H of C it be indicated Govt. seeking full statement circumstances, etc.	See Cabinet Conclusions.
May 19th	Remuneration of Clerk of H of C and Acting Clerk Assistant.	Agreed additional remuneration could not be justified and officers informed accordingly.	Letter Clerk H of C and Acting Clerk Assistant, May 20/44; Treasury Board, May 20/44. (Copy to Treasury Board); See Cabinet Conclusions
May 22nd	Resolution and Act for Relief of Members of His Majesty's Forces.	Referred to Min. of Justice for consideration and report.	Draft bill and resolution with letter to Mr. St. Laurent, May 22/44.
May 22nd	Act to amend Dominion Election Act, 1938 (Can. War Service electors).	Approved.	Endorsed amended copy with letter to Clerk, H of C, May 22/44.
May 23rd	Bacon contract with U.K.	Submission report Chairman, Food Requirements Committee noted; action deferred until next meeting of Cabinet.	See Cabinet Conclusions.
May 26th	Resolution to precede Bill re disposal of surplus Crown assets.	Approved.	Endorsed copy with letter to Clerk, H. of C. May 26, 1944.
May 26th	Act re the Naval Service of Canada.	Approved.	Endorsed copy with letter to Clerk, H. of C., May 26, 1944.

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