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NEW IMMIGRATION POLICY

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Extrait des conclusions du Cabinet

Extract from Cabinet Conclusions

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[Ottawa], January 18, 1962

Present

The Prime Minister (Mr. Diefenbaker) in the Chair,
The Secretary of State for External Affairs (Mr. Green),
The Minister of Justice (Mr. Fleming),
The Minister of Trade and Commerce (Mr. Hees),
The Minister of Transport (Mr. Balcer),
The Minister of Veterans Affairs (Mr. Churchill),
The Minister of Public Works (Mr. Fulton),
The Minister of Finance (Mr. Nowlan),
The Minister of National Defence (Mr. Harkness),
The Postmaster General (Mrs. Fairclough),
The Minister of Fisheries (Mr. MacLean),
The Minister of Labour (Mr. Starr),
The Postmaster General (Mr. William Hamilton),
The Solicitor General (Mr. Browne),
The Minister of National Health and Welfare (Mr. Monteith),
The Minister of Defence Production (Mr. O'Hurley),
The Minister of Public Works (Mr. Walker),
The Associate Minister of National Defence (Mr. Sévigny),
The Minister of Forestry (Mr. Flemming),
The Secretary of State and President of the Privy Council (Mr. Dorion),
The Minister of Northern Affairs and National Resources (Mr. Dinsdale),
The Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys (Mr. Flynn).
The Secretary to the Cabinet (Mr. Bryce),
The Assistant Secretaries to the Cabinet (Mr. Labarge), (Mr. Watters).

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IMMIGRATION REGULATIONS
(Previous reference November 2)

12. *The Minister of Citizenship and Immigration* stated that only one basic change had been made in the proposals which were originally put to the Cabinet and approved in principle in November, 1961. The form, however, was substantially different as the regulations now being submitted for approval were prepared by the Department of Justice. The previous draft had sought to establish equality of treatment for all categories of close relatives from all parts of the world, and to achieve this had proposed somewhat more generous treatment for the less preferred countries, mainly in Asia and Africa, while reducing to some extent the categories of close relatives to be admissible from the traditional sources in Europe. The new sub-paragraph (d) to section 31 restored the provisions by which it had been possible for sponsoring relatives in Canada to apply for adult or married brothers or sisters, sons or daughters, male fiancés or