

ORGANISATION OF THE
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION (UNITED KINGDOM)

The Ministry will consist of 13 divisions each under a director (one with the rank of Deputy Director General) responsible to the Director-General, and through him to the Minister. These 13 directors form an Executive Council of which the Minister is Chairman and the Director-General Vice-Chairman. Financial control and control over establishment matters are to be exercised through the Deputy Director General, by the Director-General. The full Council will probably not meet more often than weekly; and, for the convenient despatch of business, questions of major policy are to be submitted by the Director concerned to the Director-General or Deputy Director-General on his behalf, and, if not disposed of by him or by the Minister, are to be brought before the Council or a sub-committee of the Council.

2. In addition to the Executive Council mentioned above an Advisory Council will be formed to assist the Minister. This Council will consist of representatives of political parties and of various interests concerned with the work of the Ministry.

3. The under-directorates will fall into four major groups as follows:-

Group 1 (Press Relations) Directorates.

1. News and press relations generally.
2. Censorship.

Group 2 (Public Users) Directorates.

3. Home.
4. Foreign (excluding certain potential enemy countries and the United States of America).
5. Empire.
6. United States of America.

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