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Order in Council establishing an Advisory Committee on Economic Policy; P.C. 2698, September 14, 1939, and P.C. 767, February 23, 1940, revoked.

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AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA

SATURDAY, the 23rd day of JANUARY, 1943

PRESENT:

HIS EXCELLENCY

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL:

WHEREAS by Order in Council P.C. 2698 of September 14th, 1939 (amended by P.C. 767 of February 23rd, 1940), an Advisory Committee on Economic Policy, consisting of senior officials of various departments and agencies of government, was established to investigate, report and advise upon questions of economic and financial policy and organization arising out of Canadian participation in the war;

AND WHEREAS, in view of the increased attention which now requires to be given to postwar planning by departments and agencies of government, the Cabinet War Committee and the Chairman of the Cabinet Committee on Demobilization and Re-establishment have agreed that responsibility for advising the government in respect of such postwar planning by departments and agencies of government should now be assumed by the Advisory Committee on Economic Policy, and that the said Committee should, therefore, be charged with the additional functions of planning and organizing the activities of departments and agencies of government in this field, as well as conducting investigation and study of postwar problems in co-operation with the Committee on Reconstruction, and the preparation and submission of appropriate reports and recommendations;

AND WHEREAS certain members named to the Advisory Committee on Economic Policy are no longer able to serve thereon (because of retirement from the government service or absence from Canada);

AND WHEREAS it is, therefore, expedient to reconstitute and further define the functions of the Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the recommendation of the Prime Minister and President of the Privy Council, is pleased to revoke and doth hereby revoke Order in Council P.C. 2698 of September 14th, 1939, and Order in Council P.C. 767 of February 23rd, 1940.

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