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ECONOMIC CONSULTATIONS

Statement by the Prime Minister, Mr. John Gorton

Invitations have been extended to representatives of national organisations to meet with Ministers in Canberra on Thursday and Friday (2 and 3 July).

Ministers will meet representative national organisations in three groups - primary industry, manufacturing industry and commerce.

In addition, representatives of the Manufacturing Industries Advisory Council, the Export Development Council and the Australian Council of Trade Unions will each have separate discussions with Ministers.

I am sure that these talks, to be held before our Budget discussions, will be most useful in providing Ministers with the current views of those directly involved in commerce and industry.

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CANBERRA  
29 June 1970

NATIONAL ORGANISATIONS INVITED TO BE  
REPRESENTED AT ECONOMIC CONSULTATIONS

Primary Industry Group

The Australian Farmers' Federation  
Australian Wool Growers' and Graziers' Council  
Australian Wool and Meat Producers' Federation  
Australian Wheat Growers' Federation  
Australian Mining Industry Council

Manufacturing Industry Group

The Associated Chambers of Manufactures of Australia  
Master Builders' Federation of Australia  
Federal Chamber of Automotive Industries

Commercial Group

The Associated Chambers of Commerce of Australia  
Australian Bankers' Association  
Australian Council of Retailers.

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