STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES BY THE PRIME MINISTER, THE RT. HON. WILLIAM MCMAHON

MINISTERIAL ARRANGEMENTS

10 SEPTEMBER 1971

I should like to inform the House of the following Ministerial arrangements.

Mr. Holten, in addition to his duties as Minister for Repatriation, will assist the Minister for Trade and Industry.

I have also made the following appointments of Assistant Ministers:

- . The Prime Minister will be assisted by Mr. Dobie;
- . The Minister for Primary Industry will be assisted by Mr. King;
- The Minister for Mealth and Leader of the Government in the Senate will be assisted by Senator Marriott;
- . The Postmaster-General will be assisted by Mr. Robinson;
- . The Minister for Labour and National Service will be assisted by Mr. Street; and
- . The Minister for Civil Aviation will be assisted by Mr. McLeay.

Senator Marriott will take up his duties after he has been sworn as a member of the Executive Council. This will also apply to Mr. King on his return from overseas.