

OFFICIAL REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS**Meeting of 8th January 1964****PRESENT:**HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR (*PRESIDENT*)

SIR ROBERT BROWN BLACK, GCMG, OBE

HIS EXCELLENCY LIEUTENANT-GENERAL SIR RICHARD WALTER CRADDOCK,
KBE, CB, DSO

COMMANDER BRITISH FORCES

THE HONOURABLE EDMUND BRINSLEY TEESDALE, MC

COLONIAL SECRETARY

THE HONOURABLE DENYS TUDOR EMIL ROBERTS, OBE

ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL

THE HONOURABLE JOHN JAMES COWPERTHWAITTE, CMG, OBE

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

THE HONOURABLE KENNETH STRATHMORE KINGHORN

DIRECTOR OF URBAN SERVICES

THE HONOURABLE PETER DONOHUE

DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

THE HONOURABLE ALEC MICHAEL JOHN WRIGHT

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

DR THE HONOURABLE TENG PIN-HUI, OBE

DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

THE HONOURABLE DHUN JEHANGIR RUTTONJEE, OBE

THE HONOURABLE FUNG PING-FAN, OBE

THE HONOURABLE RICHARD CHARLES LEE, CBE

THE HONOURABLE KWAN CHO-YIU, OBE

THE HONOURABLE KAN YUET-KEUNG, OBE

THE HONOURABLE WILLIAM CHARLES GODDARD KNOWLES

THE HONOURABLE SIDNEY SAMUEL GORDON

THE HONOURABLE LI FOOK-SHU, OBE

MR GORDON ERIC MATHER (*Deputy Clerk of Councils*)**ABSENT:**THE HONOURABLE JOHN CRICHTON McDOUALL
SECRETARY FOR CHINESE AFFAIRS

MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 18th December, 1963, were confirmed.

ANNOUNCEMENT

COLONIAL SECRETARY: —Sir, by Your Excellency's direction I rise to announce the appointment of the Standing Law Committee for 1964. The following members have been appointed and have agreed to serve:

The Honourable the Attorney General (*Chairman*)

The Honourable Dhun Jehangir RUTTONJEE

The Honourable KWAN CHO-YIU

The Honourable William Charles Goddard KNOWLES

The Honourable Sidney Samuel GORDON

PAPERS

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY, by Command of His Excellency the Governor, laid upon the table the following papers: —

<i>Subject</i>	<i>LN No</i>
Sessional Papers, 1964: —	
No 1—Annual Report by the Commissioner of Prisons for the year 1961-62.	
No 2—Annual Report by the Commissioner of Inland Revenue for the year 1962-63.	
No 3—Annual Report by the Secretary for Chinese Affairs for the year 1962-63.	
No 4—Annual Report by the Postmaster General for the year 1962-63.	
No 5—Annual Report by the Commissioner of Mines for the year 1962-63.	
No 6—Annual Summary by the Director of Education for the year 1962-63.	
No 7—Annual Report by the Commissioner of Rating and Valuation for the year 1962-63.	
Report of the Brewin Trust Fund Committee on the administration of the Brewin Trust Fund for the year ending 30th June, 1963.	
Rating Ordinance.	
Rating (Forms) (Amendment) Regulations, 1963	160

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Registration of Persons Ordinance, 1960.	
Registration of Persons (Re-registration) (No 50) Order, 1963	167
Registration of Persons Ordinance, 1960.	
Registration of Persons (Cancellation of Registration and Identity Cards) (No 9) Order, 1963	168
Registration of Persons Ordinance, 1960.	
Registration of Persons (Re-registration) (No 51) Order, 1963	169
Registration of Persons Ordinance, 1960.	
Registration of Persons (Cancellation of Registration and Identity Cards) (No 10) Order, 1963	170
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FIRE SERVICES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1963

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL moved the Second reading of a Bill intituled "An Ordinance further to amend the Fire Services Ordinance, 1954."

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The question was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read a Second time.

Council then went into Committee to consider the Bill clause by clause.

Clauses 1 to 9 were agreed to.

Council then resumed.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL reported that the Fire Services (Amendment) Bill, 1963 had passed through Committee without amendment and moved the Third reading.

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The question was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read a Third time and passed into law.

TELEPHONE (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1963

THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY moved the Second reading of a Bill intituled "An Ordinance further to amend the Telephone Ordinance, 1951."

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The question was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read a Second time.

Council then went into Committee to consider the Bill clause by clause.

Clauses 1 to 3 were agreed to.

Council then resumed.

THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY reported that the Telephone (Amendment) Bill, 1963 had passed through Committee without amendment and moved the Third reading.

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The question was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read a Third time and passed into law.

BUILDINGS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1963

MR A. M. J. WRIGHT moved the Second reading of a Bill intituled "An Ordinance further to amend the Buildings Ordinance, 1955."

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The question was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read a Second time.

Council then went into Committee to consider the Bill clause by clause.

Clauses 1 to 3 were agreed to.

Council then resumed.

MR A. M. J. WRIGHT reported that the Buildings (Amendment) Bill, 1963 had passed through Committee without amendment and moved the Third reading.

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded.

The question was put and agreed to.

The Bill was read a Third time and passed into law.

ADJOURNMENT

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR: —Well, gentlemen, that concludes today's business. When is it your pleasure that we should meet again?

ATTORNEY GENERAL: —May I suggest, Sir, Wednesday, 22nd January.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR: — Council stands adjourned until Wednesday, 22nd January.