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PRIME MINISTER

Cabinet: Industrial Affairs

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You will wish to invite reports from:

- i. the Secretary of State for Energy
on the NCB/NUM talks and related publicity
on the number of pits and miners working
- ii. the Home Secretary
on law and order

It may be possible to dispense with contributions from the Secretaries of State for Trade and Industry and Transport if they have no significant change to report.

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2. You will wish to invite reports from:

- i. the Secretary of State for Transport ✓
on the extent of the strike
- ii. ✓ the Secretary of State for Employment
on progress at ACAS and the prospects for settlement
- iii. the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry
on the effects on industry
- iv. the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food
on the effects on supplies of food and animal feeding stuffs.

Next Meeting

3. The next meeting of MISC 101 has been arranged for 4.00 pm on Monday 23 July.

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Approved by
ROBERT ARMSTRONG
and signed in his absence.

18 July 1984