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Power to Act for Group of Ministers over the July Adjournment Period

The following document has been included in this release:

Title of minute: Power to Act for Group of Ministers over the July Adjournment Period (CAB-21-MIN-0282 refers)

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Cabinet

Minute of Decision

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Additional Item: Power to Act for Group of Ministers over the July Adjournment Period

Portfolio Prime Minister

On 12 July 2021, Cabinet:

- noted that the next meeting of Cabinet is scheduled for 2 August 2021:
- authorised a group of Ministers comprising the Prime Minister, Deputy Prime Minister, Hon Kelvin Davis and Hon Dr Megan Woods, in consultation with the relevant portfolio Minister(s), to have Power to Act to take decisions where major issues or emergencies arise during the period from the meeting of Cabinet on 12 July 2021 until the next meeting on 2 August 2021, that require Cabinet level decisions;
- invited the respective portfolio Minsters to report to the next Cabinet meeting on any decisions taken under this Power to Act.

Michael Webster Secretary of the Cabinet