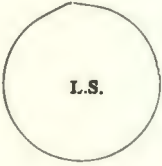


Seal No. 20 of 1967

**INSTRUMENT AUTHORISING A MEMBER OF THE CABINET TO
PERFORM FUNCTIONS CONFERRED ON THE PRIME MINISTER**



By His Excellency SIR DAVID
JAMES GARDINER ROSE, Grand
Cross of the Most Distinguished
Order of Saint Michael and Saint
George, Commander of the Royal
Victorian Order, Member of the Most
Excellent Order of the British
Empire, Governor-General and Com-
mander-in-Chief of Guyana.

D.J.G. ROSE
Governor-General.

WHEREAS it is provided by paragraph (1) of article 38 of the Constitution of Guyana that whenever the Prime Minister is absent from Guyana or is unable by reason of illness to perform his functions as Prime Minister, the Governor-General may authorise some other member of the Cabinet to perform those functions (other than the functions conferred by the said article 38) and that member may perform those functions until his authority is revoked by the Governor-General :

AND WHEREAS the Prime Minister will be absent from Guyana from Friday 24th February to Friday 10th March, 1967:

NOW THEREFORE, in pursuance of the said provisions, and in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, I do hereby authorise Dr. the Honourable Ptolemy Alexander Reid, M.P., Minister of Trade, to perform the functions conferred on the Prime Minister by the said Constitution (other than the functions conferred on him by the said article) with effect from the 24th February, 1967.

Given under my Hand and the Public
Seal of Guyana at Guyana House,
Georgetown, Guyana, this 23rd day
of February, 1967, and in the
sixteenth year of Her Majesty's
Reign.

By His Excellency's Command.

R. A. CHEONG
Secretary to the Office of the Governor-General.