

PRIME MINISTER

CHEQUERS HEALTH SEMINAR: 24 APRIL

I attach a large volume of background material. Most of it is optional reading.

Handling of the Meeting

At Flag A is the guestlist and the seating plans you have already approved. You also agreed to have the same pattern for the meeting as on 27 March. People will arrive for coffee from 1030 with the discussion starting at 1100. Pre-lunch drinks will then be in the Long Gallery.

I have arranged with Sir Don Wilson and Mr. M. Smith that they will be prepared to speak first for the public and private sectors respectively. I suggest you start with Sir Don. After Mr. Smith you could either let people chip in as they wish or if you wanted to even out the numbers of public sector and private sector speakers you could follow a pattern of two public followed by one private and so on.

There is one lady guest, Mrs. Sue Quinn. Although now in charge of the Portland Hospital (private) I understand she started life in nursing.

You might also like to note there are two Mr. Smiths.

Background papers

Flag B - the DHSS paper just circulated which is for discussion at the next meeting of your NHS Review Group on 27 ~~March~~ April

Flag C - the Treasury paper which is circulated also for the same meeting

Flag D - the paper you saw some time ago from Mr. Michael

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Carter, who will be present at the meeting along with two of his colleagues from Dorset and Somerset

Flag E - an interesting paper received this week from the National Association of Health Authorities

Flag F - John O'Sullivan's comments on the NAHA paper

Flag G - further material provided by Professor Chantler following the earlier seminar

Flag H - ditto from Professor Lee

Flag I - ditto from Mr. Dutt

Flag J - ditto from Mr. Touquet

Flag K - ditto from Dr. Crawley

Flag L - ditto from Sir Arnold Elton

Flag M - a speech John Moore will be giving on Monday

Flag N - a letter from John Major questioning the recent publicity given by DHSS Ministers to the development of a "Health Index".

*Paul*

(PAUL GRAY)

22 April 1988



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LIST OF GUESTS ATTENDING THE SEMINAR FOLLOWED BY LUNCHEON AT CHEQUERS  
ON SUNDAY, 24 APRIL 1988 FROM 11.00 A.M.  
GUESTS ARRIVE 10.30 AM ONWARDS

The Prime Minister

Rt. Hon. John Moore, MP

Rt. Hon. John Major, MP

Rt. Hon. Antony Newton, MP

Sir Donald Wilson ✓

Chairman, Mersey Regional Health Authority —

Mr. D.K. Nichol //

Regional General Manager, Mersey Regional Health Authority

✓ Mr. W.R. Doughty ✓

Chairman, North West Thames Regional Health Authority

✓ Mr. C.R. West

General Manager, Portsmouth and South East Hampshire District Health Authority

Mr. R.A. Stokoe

District General Manager, North West Hertfordshire District Health Authority

Mr. N.R. Tiley ✓

Chairman, North West Hertfordshire District Health Authority

Mrs. Sue Quinn — *Comptroller*

Executive Director, Portland Hospital for Women and Children

Mr. M. Smith ✓

Managing Director, BUPA Hospitals —

✓ Mr. K.T. Burgess ✓

Chief Executive, Shanning Group —

Mr. A.J. Byrne ✓

Chief Executive, Independent Hospitals Association —

Mr. Michael Carter *Tangley*

Member, Somerset Health Authority

✓ Mr. I.N. Smith

District General Manager, Somerset Health Authority

Mr. N.D.W. Weaver —

District General Manager, Barnet Health Authority

Sir Roy Griffiths

Mr. Richard Wilson

Cabinet Office

Mr. Paul Gray

Mr. John O'Sullivan

DRAFT SEATING PLAN FOR SEMINAR ON SUNDAY, 24 APRIL

Mr. John O'Sullivan

Mr. D.K. Nichol

Mr. I.N. Smith

Mr. N.R. Tiley

Mr. K.T. Burgess

Rt.Hon. Antony Newton

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Mr. Paul Gray

Mr. Richard Wilson

ENTRANCE

DRAFT SEATING PLAN FOR LUNCH ON SUNDAY, 24 APRIL

Mr. Richard Wilson	Mr. John O'Sullivan
Mr. C.R. West	Mr. N.R. Tiley
Mr. W.R. Doughty	Mr. K.T. Burgess
Rt. Hon. Antony Newton	Rt.Hon. John Moore
Sir Donald Wilson	Mr. A.J. Byrne
MR. DENIS THATCHER	PRIME MINISTER
Mrs. Susan Quinn	Mr. R.A. Stokoe
Rt. Hon. John Major	Sir Roy Griffiths
Mr. M. Smith	Mr. N.D.W. Weaver
Mr. Michael Carter	Mr. I.N. Smith
Mr. D.K. Nichol.	Mr. Paul Gray

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