



The Committee of the Privy Council have had before them a report, dated 12th July, 1917, from the Minister of Justice, stating that Major General, Sir W. D. Otter has applied for an advance of \$10,000 from the "Prisoners of War Fund" account, on account of payments to released prisoners of war and to prisoners still interned.

The Minister accordingly recommends that authority be granted for an advance of \$10,000 to Major General Sir W. D. Otter for the purposes stated.

The Committee concur in the foregoing recommendation and submit the same for approval.

R. H. Baden

approved.

John Idington
Deputy Secretary

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