

# Office of the Independent Chairmen

Castle Buildings, Stormont, Belfast BT4 3SG

Tel. (01232) 522957, Fax (01232) 768905

16 July 1996

## MEMORANDUM

TO: All Participants

FROM: The Independent Chairmen

SUBJECT: Alliance Party Submission and Rebuttals

Copies of "An Alliance Party submission on breaches of the Mitchell Principles" (as modified by a letter from the Alliance Party leader, also attached) as well as copies of the rebuttals submitted by parties referred to in that submission are herewith distributed for participants' review and consideration.

The Progressive Unionist Party has chosen to stand by its submission in rebuttal of the DUP Notice of Indictment and the determination of the Governments and will make no further submission.

Participants will be notified as soon as possible of the timing of a plenary session to discuss the Alliance Party submission and rebuttals of that submission.

Enclosures:

An Alliance Party submission on breaches of the Mitchell Principles

UUP Response to the Alliance submission on alleged breaches of the Mitchell Principles

DUP response to the Alliance Party's submission on alleged breaches of the Mitchell principles dated 10 September 1996

Ulster Democratic Party response to Item 2 of the Alliance Party submission