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I attach a draft speaking note for the Secretary of State's use in introducing his minute.

2. In practice I hope that the minute itself will largely be self-explanatory. But the Secretary of State may well be invited to say a few words.

3. I believe that the Prime Minister will wish to take the lead in reporting the matter at the subsequent meeting of Cabinet.

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