

STATEMENT FROM THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

With effect from Monday, 1 June 1981 :

- a Dr Tony Tan will relinquish the portfolio of the Ministry of Education and become the Minister for Trade & Industry. He will continue to have charge of the National University of Singapore and Nanyang Technological Institute.

- b Dr Goh Keng Swee as 1st Deputy Minister will assume charge of the Ministry of Education.

- c Mr Goh Chok Tong will continue as Minister for Health and also work in the Ministry of Defence as Second Minister of Defence.

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