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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Major General Sir Winston Joseph Dugan, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath and Companion of the Most Distinguished Service Order, Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.: Vice-Admiral of the State of Victoria.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the *Prize Courts Act 1894* and of certain Commissions and Warrants issued thereunder I did on the fifth day of September One thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine proclaim that war had broken out between His Majesty and Germany:

And whereas a state of war now exists between His Majesty the King and the King of Italy:

Now therefore I, Sir Winston Joseph Dugan, the Vice-Admiral aforesaid being satisfied thereof by information received by me do hereby proclaim that war has broken out between His Majesty the King and the King of Italy.

Given under my Hand and Seal of the State of Victoria, at Government House, Melbourne, this eleventh day of June, One thousand nine hundred and forty, and in the fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George VI.

(L.S.)

WINSTON DUGAN.

By His Excellency's Command.

A. A. DUNSTAN.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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