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Recent Releases at the Public Record Office

PRO reference	Date	Description
AIR 62/1024	1938	Records created or inherited by the Air Ministry, the Royal Air Force, and related bodies: Boundary layer induction: improvements relating to the propulsion of aircraft; patent application 6037/38
CAB 21/5558	1962	Records of the Cabinet Office: Visit by Harold Macmillan to US and Canada
CAB 21/5559	1963	Visit by President Kennedy to UK
CAB 21/5655	1965-1968	Government War Book
CAB 165/408	1964-1969	Counter subversion committee: composition and terms of reference
CO 936/945	1966	Records of the Colonial Office, Commonwealth and Foreign and Commonwealth Offices, Empire Marketing Board, and related bodies: Talks on the Falkland Islands within the UN General Assembly
CO 968/901	1966	Possible military measures to counter Spanish threat to Gibraltar
CO 1024/582	1966	Falkland Islands: policy on Argentine claims
CO 1024/585	1966	Falkland Islands: Anglo-Argentine talks
CO 1024/586	1966	Falkland Island: background and policy on Anglo-Argentine talks
CO 1024/606	1966	Falkland Island: Argentine claims; policy
CO 1024/609	1966	Falkland Islands: background to Anglo-Argentine talks

DEFE 55/165	1964	Records of the Ministry of Defence: Exploratory ventilation trial in the London Underground railways
DEFE 55/166	1965	Exploratory ventilation trial in the London Underground railways
DO 154/51	1960-1964	Records created or inherited by the Dominions Office, and of the Commonwealth Relations and Foreign and Commonwealth Offices: Communist activities in South Africa
DO 194/68	1965-1967	Indo-Pakistan war
FCO 8/1620	1971	Records of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and predecessors: Withdrawal of British armed forces from Persian Gulf
FCO 8/1623	1971	Future defence arrangements of United Arab Emirates and UK
FCO 8/1661	1971	Political relations between Kuwait and UK
FCO 8/1662	1971	Planned visit of Managing Director of Lonrho Limited, Tiny Rowland, to Kuwait: possible joint investment projects
FCO 8/1718	1971	Visits by UK MPs to South Yemen and Yemen Arab Republic
FCO 8/1321	1970	British Government policy in Persian Gulf
FCO 8/1732	1971	Visit of Deputy Ruler of Qatar to UK, Shaikh Khalifa bin Hamad al-Thani, July 1971
FCO 8/1741	1971	Political relations between Saudi Arabia and UK
FCO 8/1760	1971	Visit of Prince Fahd of Saudi Arabia to the UK, September, October 1971
FCO 8/1800	1971	Jewish Community in Yemen Arab Republic
FCO 9/1157	1970	Implications of possible double enosis involving union of part of Cyprus with Greece and part with Turkey
FCO 17/1400	1971	Visit of Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, Sir Alec Douglas-Home, to the Middle East, September
FCO 17/1434	1971	Diplomatic representation of Jordan in UK including attempted assassination of the Jordanian Ambassador, Zaid al-Rifai, in London, 15 December
FCO 17/1508	1971	Attitude of UK to a settlement in Middle East
FCO 21/864	1971	Sovereignty over Taiwan: views of other nations on

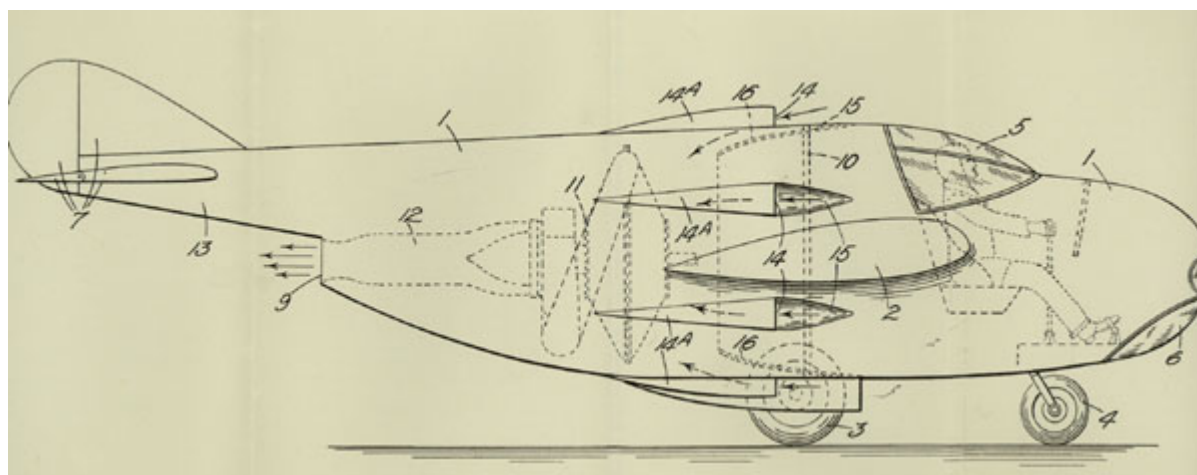
		the status of Taiwan
FCO 26/490	1970	Action following Canberra conference, November 1969: Four Power Talks
FCO 26/569	1963-1970	Relations between the BBC and Foreign Commonwealth Office
FCO 31/640	1970	United States defence facilities on Diego Garcia
FCO 35/159	1970	Falsification and misuse of Pakistani passports
FCO 46/344	1968-1969	Proposed United States Naval facilities at Diego Garcia
FCO 46/345	1968-1969	Proposed United States Naval facilities at Diego Garcia
FCO 46/346	1968-1969	Proposed United States Naval facilities at Diego Garcia
FCO 73/53	1970	Records of conversations: general; Volume I, 5 January-25 March
FCO 76/18	1970	Possible actions by Arab guerrillas to hi-jack British shipping
FCO 82/60	1971	Meetings between Mr William Rogers, Secretary of State for USA and Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, Sir Alec Douglas-Home, June and July
FCO 83/53	1971	Anglo-Spanish relations and Gibraltarian attitudes towards Spain
FCO 83/59	1971	Briefs concerning territorial waters in the Bay of Gibraltar
FO 179/627	1967	Records created and inherited by the Foreign Office: The 'Ballet Rose' scandal involving members of the Portuguese government
FO 181/1257	1968-1969	British Foreign policy and the Soviet press
FO 371/29408	1941	S.O.2 activities in Norway and Sweden
FO 898/102	1941-1945	Col. Donovan's organisation, US Office of War Information (OWI): correspondence and reports
FO 1100/30	1967	Troubles in Katanga province
FO 1100/42	1967	Mercenary activities and recruitment
FO 1100/51	1966	Arrest of John Latz, Associated Press Reporter and mercenary, for desertion

FO 1100/52	1966	Arrest of John Latz, Associated Press Reporter and mercenary, for desertion
FO 1100/53	1966	Alleged murder of T J Bottomley by the British mercenary Samuel Cassidy: Wigmo Organisation (Canadian company employing Bottomley)
FO 1100/55	1966-1967	Counter-subversion and military aid
MEPO 2/8895	1950	Records of the Metropolitan Police Office: Union Movement meetings, Ridley Road, Dalston on 6 and 7 May: question of a prosecution under sec.2(1) of the Public Order Act, 1936

New Document Releases

AIR 62/1024

This Air Ministry file from 1938 contains a copy of the complete specification (number 6037/38) submitted to the Patent Office by Frank Whittle, British inventor of the jet engine, for "improvements relating to the propulsion of aircraft". In his diagrammatic drawing of a mid-wing monoplane in side elevation, Whittle illustrated the aircraft structural arrangements included in his invention.



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