(Hitler għamel din id-dikjarazjoni fir-Reichstag meta ddeċieda li jdaħħal il-Germanja fit-Tieni Gwerra Dinjija).

HITLER FL-1939

"The German people, who in the past have fought so many battles for other people now have the chance to prove to the world that they have grown into a nation.

"To earn the respect of other nations, the German people must now show that they are prepared to fight the battle for their rights with more vigour and with greater sacrifices and determination than they have shown in the past when fighting other peoples' battles.

"Before God, I say that we are right.

"If we choose to be cowards we shall most certainly be cursed by our children and our children's children." (Mintoff għamel din id-dikjarazjoni meta I-M.L.P. qalbu mill-Integration għall-Indipendenza fir-Rebbiegħa ta' I-1958).

MINTOFF FL-1958

"The Maltese people, who in the past have fought so many battles for other people now have the chance to prove to the world that they have grown into a nation.

"To earn the respect of other nations, the Maltese people must show that they are prepared to fight the battle for their rights with more vigour and with greater sacrifices and determination than they have shown in the past when fighting other people's battles.

"Before God, I say that we are right.

"If we choose to be cowards we shall most certainly be cursed by our children and our children's children."

(L-istess żewġ siltiet ġew ikkwotati bil-Malti mill-Onor. L. Gauci Borda fl-Aġġornament tas-Seduta nru. 356, pp. 1454–56, 12.2.1980)

Issa xi ħadd biex jitkessaħ mar jgħid li l-Prim Ministru qed jirrepeti dak li kien qal Hitler . . . Jien x'qal Hitler ma nafx għax lil Hitler ma qrajtux. Imma din naħseb li mhux Hitler biss qalha imma kienu jgħiduha ħafna . . .

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