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New Motorcycle Club

The new premises of the Gibraltar Motorcycle Club were recently inaugurated by the Hon Paul Balban in the presence of the Deputy Chief Minister, the Hon Dr Joseph Garcia and the Hon

Minister Bossano.

The old Motorcycle Club, located in Dudley Ward Way, was closed down after the major rock fall that occurred in November 2012, which, as a result, partly demolished the clubs roof and façade. A risk assessment carried out concluded that the building was deemed unsafe.

The Government subsequently gave a commitment that it would build new club premises and

workshop/garage area on its ground floor and bar and recreational facilities on its 1<sup>st</sup> floor.

to be demolished. This has now become the site of the new club.

The new premises consist of a 2-storey building structure with an open terrace. It includes a

identified a new location near Governors Cottage where an old, derelict, burnt down building was

In commenting the Minister, the Hon Paul Balban, said:

"It was an honour to be called upon to open these new premises for the Gibraltar Motorcycle Club

by the committee and members. The club is a truly modern facility which will provide a safe home

for Gibraltar's motorcycle fraternity. Congratulations".