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DEAR MARGARET:

I AM GRATEFUL FOR YOUR CONSIDERATE MESSAGE ON THE ATTEMPT TO RESCUE OUR HOSTAGES IN IRAN. THE DEEP SORROW AND DISAPPOINTMENT ALL AMERICANS FEEL AT THIS TURN OF EVENTS WILL NOT ALTER OUR RESOLVE TO BRING THIS TRAGIC AND INTOLERABLE CRISIS TO AN END. I KNOW THAT I CAN CONTINUE TO COUNT ON YOUR ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT AS WE PURSUE THIS IMPERATIVE TASK.

SINCERELY,
JIMMY CARTER

THE RIGHT HONORABLE
MARGARET R. THATCHER, M.P.
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