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The Prime Minister
The Right Honorable Margaret H. Thatcher, P.C., M.P.
10 Downing Street
London, S.W. 1
England

My dear Prime Minister:

I want to congratulate you on the victory of the Conservative Party last Thursday and send you my very best wishes as you lead the Government at a very difficult time for Great Britain.

Ford Motor Company has played an important role in the British economy over the years. I hope that the close communication which has developed between Ford and the Government through that time will continue in the future.

Certainly, you may be assured that, while we strive to maintain and improve the profitability and efficiency of our operations in the United Kingdom, we also are conscious of our wider responsibilities as a major force within British industry.

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