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THE PRIME MINISTER

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Dear Mr Ramphal

Thank you so much for your generous letter about the role of Her Majesty's Government in implementing the Lusaka agreement. The progress that has been made towards bringing Rhodesia to independence in conditions of peace and on a basis that will ensure international acceptance is indeed encouraging.

Both at Lusaka and subsequently the member states of the Commonwealth have played a central role in the search for a settlement. You yourself, as Commonwealth Secretary-General, have taken helpful initiatives at more than one critical moment. We all have reason for satisfaction at what has been achieved.

Yours sincerely

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His Excellency Mr. Shridath S. Ramphal, Kt., C.M.G., Q.C.

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