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HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

Dear

Thank you so much for your
patient hearing last night.

House matters go I am grateful.

Politically, it is all more
important than I described. My Board
today approved our negotiations to buy
the Mirror Group. They publish
34 million papers a week: added to the
Observer + the Scottish papers we already
own this wd. make us the largest
publishers in Europe!

Hence my concern. Better they are
not infinitely.
Again my thanks.

No reply pl.
Ernest,