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THE PRIME MINISTER

6 May 1979

My dear Prime Minister,

I greatly appreciated your kind message of congratulations and good wishes on my appointment as Prime Minister.

I shall spare no effort in working to strengthen still further the excellent relations which our two countries enjoy, both as allies and as partners in the European Community, as well as to deepen the friendship which exists between the British and Italian peoples. I look forward to meeting you in Strasbourg next month at the next session of the European Council.

With every best wish,

Yours sincerely
Margaret Thatcher

Son Excellence On Giulio Andreotti

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