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From the Principal Private Secretary

SIR ROBERT ARMSTRONG

WARNING OF ARGENTINE MILITARY ACTION AGAINST THE FALKLAND ISLANDS AND DEPENDENCIES

The Prime Minister has seen your minute A09046 of 19 July 1982 and JIC(82)(N)71 which you sent with your minute. She has taken note of the JIC's assessment. She would like to know whether the United States has any photographic satellite coverage of the Argentine. I should be grateful if you could let me know the answer to the Prime Minister's question.

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