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My Dear Prime Minister,

As Zimbabwe attains independence and takes its place in the Commonwealth and the wider international community, I should like to convey to you my warmest personal congratulations for the central role you played in this achievement.

The Secretary of State for External Affairs will, I know, be offering his own congratulations to Lord Carrington in Salisbury for the masterful way in which he conducted the negotiations at Lancaster House. We in Canada are conscious, however, that without your personal involvement and commitment at Lusaka and your continuing support for the negotiating process since that time, success could not have been achieved.

With very best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'B. Mulroney', written in a cursive style.

Right Honourable Margaret Thatcher, M.P.,
Prime Minister of the United Kingdom,
10 Downing Street,
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