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PRIME MINISTER'S
PERSONAL MESSAGE
SERIAL No. T10a/79T

State House
Lusaka, Republic of Zambia

18th May, 1979.

Dear Prime Minister,

Once again, the Commonwealth Heads of Government will be meeting to consider important regional and world matters in an atmosphere of informality and frankness. I believe that their deliberations as representatives of free and equal nations will, as in the past, be a source of inspiration to the rest of the world.

We in Zambia, feel greatly honoured that we will be hosting this important Meeting in Lusaka from 1st to 8th August, 1979. We strongly believe and have great faith in the principles which guide this unique Community of free and equal member States. We also believe in unity in diversity which characterises the Commonwealth and the important role this has played in world affairs.

Madam Prime Minister, it is within this context that I am personally extending a warm welcome to you and look forward to your presence during the forthcoming Meeting of Heads of Government in Lusaka.

I look forward to sharing views with you, not only on general world affairs, but also on those that will consolidate and enhance the very good relations that already exist between our two countries.

With fraternal wishes and God's blessings.

As always,

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PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA

The Right Honourable Mrs. Margaret Thatcher,
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