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Prime Minister

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*Agree lists?**Ans Yes and**Dear Michael,**FCO Resident Clerk
informed. 19.30 18/11
G. Baldwin*Rhodesia: Messages to Kaunda and Nyerere

/ President Nyerere sent a message to the Prime Minister on
/ 14 November about Rhodesia (Dar es Salaam telno 903). This has
/ been overtaken by the Patriotic Front's agreement to our proposals
/ for the interim arrangements. I attach a draft reply, approved
by Lord Carrington, which the Prime Minister may wish to send
President Nyerere, together with instructions to Sir Peter Moon.
Despite the unhelpful tone of Nyerere's message, Lord Carrington
recommends that the Prime Minister should reply in a conciliatory
vein. You may also wish to see the High Commissioner's comments
/ in Dar telegram No 907 (enclosed).

/ Lord Carrington thinks that the Prime Minister may wish also
to send a message to President Kaunda to thank him for the role
he has played in helping to achieve this measure of agreement and
to enlist his support for our ceasefire proposals. I attach a
draft telegram to Lusaka.

The Resident Clerk will hold copies of both telegrams, in
case you wish to authorise their despatch over the weekend.

*yours ever
Rodric Lyne*

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