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This is not a matter that we would want to worry the Prime Minister about but I am inundated with requests to have Mrs Thatcher's features reproduced on teacups, drying up towels, postcards et alia. So far I have only agreed to one representation for the Iron Lady to be on one side of a pint pot and the Iron Duke on the other. However I see no basic objection to allowing these things to go ahead and unless you and your colleagues in the Private Office have any rooted objection I will give a fairly general permission (with the obvious safeguards on any unsuitable objects) sometime next week. Just for your information I enclose a typical application.

How come?
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reference to me?

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