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MERSEYSIDE INITIATIVES

Thank you very much for sending me a copy of the statement you issued on Friday about your work on Merseyside, and for the material on the three initiatives you have been taking, on the Stockbridge Village Trust, on the River Mersey and its tributaries, and on the Merseyside Enterprise Newsletter.

I found this fascinating and very heartening. I would like to send you and all those concerned my warm congratulations on what you have achieved already. Let us hope that 1983, too, will bring achievement and advance on Merseyside.

23 December, 1982.

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