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Visit of Vice-President Mubarak of Egypt

The Egyptian Ambassador called on 25 June and handed to Mr Hurd the attached message from Vice- President Mubarak of Egypt to the Prime Minister confirming his acceptance of her invitation to visit the UK this September. The Prime Minister may be interested to see the terms in which Mubarak refers to their recent meeting.

I am copying this letter to the Private Secretary at the MOD since Mr Pym will be seeing Mubarak at the Farnborough Air Show.

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ORAL MESSAGE FROM VICE PRESIDENT MUBARAK
TO THE RT. HON MRS MARGARET THATCHER

I WAS VERY PLEASED TO RECEIVE YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE.
THE TALKS WE HELD DURING MY RECENT VISIT TO YOUR FRIENDLY
COUNTRY WERE MOST INFORMATIVE AND STIMULATING THEY REAFFIRMED
OUR DETERMINATION TO MAINTAIN CLOSE CONTACTS AND CONSULTATIONS
WITH YOU IN THE FUTURE I WOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU THAT
PRESIDENT SADAT WAS EQUALLY PLEASED BY THE OUTCOME OF OUR
DISCUSION.

I AM HONOURED TO ACCEPT YOUR KIND INVITATION WHICH WOULD GIVE US A CHANCE TO PURSUE OUR CONVERSATION FOR THE GOOD OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND THE CAUSE OF PEACE. GREETINGS TO LORD CARRINGTON.