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The Rt. Hon. Mrs. Margaret Thatcher, MP
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Dear Margaret,

REVIEW OF LONDON GOVERNMENT

You wrote to me on 13 April indicating support for the continuation of the City Corporation, but saying also (in effect) that there can be no statutory review of London Government before 1984.

I accept that there are difficulties, but "1984" effectively means "never".

Given the problems that this administration is going to cause your team (and particularly Michael Heseltine) I would have thought that a review is both a logical step and a potent weapon.

All that the Boundary Commission will come up with is internal boundary changes and I cannot see that their work will be prejudiced.

Yours will be, though: would you like to think about it again, please?

*Your ever & with best wishes for success.
Horace.*