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THE PRIME MINISTER

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PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

*Dear Peter,*

I am sending you with this letter a copy of the report of the Falkland Islands Review Committee under the chairmanship of Lord Franks. The report is to be published tomorrow afternoon, Tuesday, 18 January, when I hope to make a statement in the House of Commons. The report will not be released to the press in advance of my statement and I would therefore ask you to treat it as sent to you on a strictly personal and confidential basis.

I am also enclosing, for your personal information, some notes prepared on the observations of the Franks Committee on the Government's handling of the dispute.

*I will telephone you to discuss how we handle various matters.*

*Yours ever*

*Roy Jenkins*

The Rt. Hon. The Lord Carrington, K.C.M.G., M.C.