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Manifesto - Northern Ireland

The following passage has been suggested to me:-

"While Direct Rule continues in its present form, we will take every practicable measure to reverse the economic decline of the Province; encourage the life and community institutions; and give the highest priority to the restoration of law and order, building on the growing success of the Security Forces in combatting terrorism."

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The Rt Hon Sir Geoffrey Howe QC MP

cc. The Rt Hon Cecil Parkinson MP