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Thank you for your message to me and for the phone calls. I very much appreciated what you said about my time as Prime Minister and your good wishes for the future. I take satisfaction in Australia's active role in world affairs in recent years, and I am particularly pleased that we were able to offer tangible support to Britain last year during the Falklands crisis.

Our two governments have worked closely and harmoniously together on many issues over the years, in particular in the Commonwealth context.

May I take this opportunity to convey to you my personal best wishes. I hope that we will continue to keep in touch.

The Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, M.P.,
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