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From the Press Secretary

P/A.

Dear Kenneth,

Many thanks for letting me see the text of your interview with the Prime Minister. It seems to me to be a very faithful account, and I am grateful to you for it. Ian Kydd has, I know, checked a number of facts and has fed in comments/corrections separately.

I do not believe in playing about with interviews which are reported in good faith and are reproduced in like manner.

Leaving aside literals which will no doubt be picked up by subs, I have only the following minor observations:

Page 13 - 4 lines from bottom: We have put a great deal;

Page 14 and elsewhere - Ian MacGregor of BSC is MacGregor (not McGregor);

Page 16 - lines 3 and 4 from bottom of first para: It seems to me the sentence would better read, "For every percentage point of our home market that we regain, we recover 80,000 jobs;

Page 30 - last line penultimate para: ".... being strong, not by being weak."

I hope this is helpful. Many thanks and good luck.

A pleasure working with you.

Yours sincerely,

BERNARD INGHAM

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