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5 August 1983

Dear Sir,

/ I enclose a copy of a letter from the
/ Indian High Commission conveying a message
/ from Mrs Gandhi to the Prime Minister, and
/ a draft telegram with a proposed reply
from the Prime Minister to Mrs Gandhi.

(R B Bone)
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DEPARTMENT,

INDIA HOUSE,

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LONDON, W.C.2.

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August 5, 1983

My dear Michael,

I am desired to convey the following message from our Prime Minister Mrs. Indira Gandhi to the Rt. Hon. Mrs. Margaret Thatcher, M.P. Prime Minister of the United Kingdom with the request that this may kindly be passed on the Prime Minister -

Begins: I am glad to hear that your operation has been successful and hope you will be quite well again. Indira Gandhi. Ends.

Yours sincerely,

Best wishes,

R. S. Kalha
(R. S. Kalha)

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TEL NO	8	TELEGRAM NUMBER
	9	MESSAGE FROM MRS GANDHI TO THE PRIME MINISTER
	10	1. Please convey the following reply from the Prime Minister
	11	to Mrs Gandhi:
	12	BEGINS: Many thanks for your kind message about my eye
	13	operation. Your good wishes were much appreciated. Margaret
	14	Thatcher. ENDS
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