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Dear Brian,

IRAN/IRAQ CONFLICT: MOD PRESENTATION

You copied your letter of 28 October to George Walden to Julian West.

We are very interested in the proposed DIS presentation on the Iran/Iraq conflict since the likely duration and outcome of the war has such important implications for the world oil market, and would accordingly like to attend in strength. As regards Ministerial attendance, the Secretary of State, together with Mr Norman Lamont and Mr John Moore would like to be present. We should also like four places for Senior Officials, and one for a private secretary.

Of the two dates offered we would prefer Monday 10 November since there is a danger of the Tuesday date clashing with the meeting of E planned for 11 a.m. on that day. I am copying this letter to the recipients of yours.

Yours sincerely,

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