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THE PRIME MINISTER

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Dear John

Now that our Presidency of the European Community is over, I should like to express through you my thanks to the Assistant Provost Marshal of the Royal Military Police for their considerable contribution to the success of the series of Summit and other Ministerial level meetings which took place in London over the last six months. They provided their usual very high standard of smart and courteous security within Lancaster House. I am most grateful to you for making them available for these essential duties, which must have added considerably to their already over-burdened work load.

Major Townsend, Captain Hayes and their men and women could not have been more co-operative and, together with the Metropolitan Police, provided an essential ingredient to the smooth functioning of our meetings. Please pass them my grateful thanks.

Yours  
John Nott

The Rt. Hon. John Nott, M.P.

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