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I sent you and our Cabinet colleagues last week a draft of Volume 1. I now enclose a draft of Volume 2. I would ask for any comments by next Tuesday, 9 February, at the latest.

2. The draft has again been largely cleared with other Departments at official level. The figures in the tables are still subject to minor change.

I am sending copies to members of Cabinet and Sir Robert Armstrong.

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