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THE PRIME MINISTER

1 February 1982

*Dear Mr. Dankert,*

I write to thank you for your letter of 26 January enclosing a resolution of the European Parliament concerning the day of solidarity with the Polish people on 30 January.

I congratulate the Parliament on its initiative. The celebration of the day of solidarity in the United Kingdom was, as is customary in this country, left to non-governmental organisations. You may be interested to see the enclosed text of a statement which I made on 31 January for publication on American television.

*Yours sincerely*  
*Rapport Helmer*

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Mr. P. Dankert