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The Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, M.P.
10 Downing Street,
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Dear Margaret,

I am looking forward to seeing you at the Guildhall, and possibly having a brief word. The European-Atlantic Group in fact dates from just before you were in Chambers, and I am one of 4 survivors of the original 12 who founded it. No doubt I mentioned it at the time.

I thought the restoration of sensible capital allowances and the production of a preordained plan for reducing C.T. rates were master strokes, and some of the drafting seemed to be better though very patchy. It was disappointing that my efforts were in vain because I had hoped to follow them up with other reforms which would I think have been beneficial.

I never heard any more from Arthur C. which is a pity as I occasionally have some useful ideas, but there it is; he may not have much of a taste for private enterprise in his own field!

Yours

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Peter M.B. Rowland