



Prime Minister (2)

Ms 23/7

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PRIME MINISTER

I thought you would be pleased to know that throughout the recent ASLEF strike the MPO was functioning virtually normally. People went to great lengths to get to work and some had to put up with a lot of inconvenience (working special shifts, sleeping on camp beds in the office, etc). The general atmosphere was not at all one of heroics - simply of determination that things must go on normally.

I am sure other Departments have the same story to tell. I find it very heartening.

Baroness Young

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22 July 1982

What about
M.O. Staff?

Transport Sub
C. B. Ingham

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M.C. Scholar

26 July 1982

The Lord Privy Seal minuted the Prime Minister on 22 July about the functioning of the MPO during the recent railway strike.

The Prime Minister has asked me to pass on her thanks to all concerned for their marvellous efforts during the strike.

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