

CONFIDENTIAL

~~Prime Minister~~
HOME AFFAIRS



ROYAL COURTS OF JUSTICE.

LONDON, WC2A 2LL

01-405 7641 Extn

27th Dec 1982 29/12

PERSONAL

Dear Prime Minister,

Thank you very much for your reply to mine about legal aid. It was a very great help to me to have such a firm and speedy steer.

I had discussed the idea with Quintin before I wrote and he thinks it is the right way forward. Also the little bit of kite flying which I did with Peter before I wrote, was promising, so I am hopeful that it may agree.

However that is my

problem. My purpose is
simply to thank you. Having
your answer so quickly
I have been able to go
ahead with the next stage
and very much hope that
I shall be able to present
a good case and secure the
agreement of H to this, or
some variation if necessary.

Excuse laighand. Judy
and I leave early to-morrow.

Happy New Year to
you and Dennis.

Yours ever

Jim