

PRIME MINISTER

PRESIDENT MITTERRAND

As you know, President Mitterrand is coming on 5 March for a talk and a working lunch. You said that you wished this to take place at Chequers. This will certainly be a great deal more convenient for the President.

We have it in mind that he should arrive at RAF Benson at 11 o'clock, that there should be talks from 1130 until 1300 and that the discussion should continue over a working lunch. We would follow the pattern of his lunch for you - ie M. Attali and I would be the only other people attending.

Before we make final arrangements, I should just like to be sure that you are content to stay down at Chequers overnight on Sunday 4 March and go to meet President Mitterrand at RAF Benson at 1100 hours. Agree?

*Yes*

A.J.C.

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