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From the Private Secretary

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TOKYO ECONOMIC SUMMIT

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The Prime Minister has so far read only the steering brief for the Economic Summit and the draft speaking note on economic issues. She is disappointed with the latter and wants to see a revised version which is more original, interesting and punchy. It should also be drafted in continuous speech form, not abbreviated. It would be helpful to have a revised version before the briefing meeting on Thursday 1 May.

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I also think that the Prime Minister would want a rather fuller brief on a new GATT round with more background on the proposal for the round itself and the history of previous rounds.

I am copying this letter to Rachel Lomax (HM Treasury), John Mogg (Department of Trade and Industry) and Michael Stark (Cabinet Office).

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