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*From the Private Secretary*

SIR ROBERT ARMSTRONG

**RANGE PAY**

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Lord Plowden at a dinner last night welcomed the Government's decision to introduce range pay for Grades 2 and 3 and urged that it should be brought in at an early date. There would be pressures to backslide and the Prime Minister would need to resist these. The Prime Minister assured him that the proposal had her full support.

The Prime Minister would be glad to be assured that good progress is being made towards the early introduction of range pay.

You will remember that the decision was that range pay should be introduced if possible during the current financial year.

(David Norgrove)  
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