



10 DOWNING STREET

6th February, 1981

How very kind of you to have written
as you did.

I do appreciate it. Thank you so much.

Your letter has been of the greatest
encouragement and I hope that you
realise how much I value your loyalty
and support.

Stephen Hastings, Esq., MC, MP.

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5/2/81.

My Dear P.M.,

I thought you were splendid today.

It is very hard in the eye of the storm to demonstrate the confidence + conviction we all just need. Indeed I have a strong suspicion that the permutations, the calculations and the prognoses are of secondary importance compared to these vital and indomitable human qualities.

We have developed Economics beyond it's capacity to help us. The argument has to be presented in Economic terms, I know, but what has to shine through is simple courage, common sense and determination. This, again, you gave us - and you looked marvelous.
 Stephen.

5/3/81.



HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

My Dear Ian,

So sorry to have missed you this week.
I have till 20 March before my D.P.M.
and would be so grateful for the chance
of 20-30 minutes with the P.M. before
then. My telephone at home tomorrow
morning is 589:6441 or 589:6494.

At the weekend 073-121-780.

Very glad if you help

V Green

HASTINGS, A.P.

9th March, 1981

Many thanks for your letter of 5th March.

Caroline Stephens will be in touch with you direct about a time for you to see the Prime Minister, before your A.G.M. on 20th March.

The Prime Minister would also like to have a word with you about the Trade Unions.

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Stephen Hastings, Esq., MC, MP.