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CABINET

CONCLUSIONS of a Meeting of the Cabinet held at 10 Downing Street on

THURSDAY 14 MARCH 1989

at 10.00 am

PRESENT

The Rt Hon Margaret Thatcher MP Prime Minister

The Rt Hon Sir Geoffrey Howe Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs

The Rt Hon Lord Mackay of Clashie Lord Chancellor

The Rt Hon Peter Walker MP Secretary of State for Wales

The Rt Hon Norman Fowler MP Secretary of State for Employment

The Rt Hon Nicholas Ridley MP Secretary of State for the Environment

The Rt Hon Kenneth Clarke QC MP Secretary of State for Health

The Rt Hon Malcolm Rifkind QC MP Secretary of State for Scotland

The Rt Hon John Wakeham MP Lord President of the Council

The Rt Hon Cecil Parkinson MP Secretary of State for Energy The Rt Hon Nigel Lawson MP Chancellor of the Exchequer

The Rt Hon Douglas Hurd MP Secretary of State for the Home Department

The Rt Hon George Younger MP Secretary of State for Defence

Rt Hon Tom King MP Sucretary of State for Northern Ireland

The Room Kenneth Baker MP Secretary of State for Education and Science

The Rt And John MacGregor MP Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

The Rt Hon John Moore MP Secretary of State for Social Security

The Rt Hon The Land Lead Lord Privy Seal

The Rt Hon John Major of Chief Secretary, Treasur

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THE FOLLOWING WERE ALSO PRESENT

Hon David Waddington QC MP

The Rt Hon Peter Brooke MP Paymaster General

SECRETARY

Sir Robin Butler

SUBJECT

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THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER informed the Cabinet of the proposals in his forthcoming Budget.

In accordance with precedent, details are not recorded in the Cabinet Conclusions.

The Cabinet -

Took note, with approval, of the Chancellor of the Exchequer's Budget proposals.

Cabinet Offic

14 March 1989

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