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THE PRIME MINISTER

22 November 1990

Your Majesty,

By the time you receive this message, you will probably already have heard this morning's announcement from 10 Downing Street of my decision to make way for a successor, and to resign as Prime Minister as soon as the Parliamentary Party has completed the necessary procedures for electing a new leader. I shall of course remain in charge of the Government until my successor has been appointed.

I should like to thank you for the great co-operation and friendship which you have shown me and I send you my warmest good wishes for the future. I know that my successor will continue to attach the highest importance to the relations between our countries.

With warm regards,

*Yours sincerely
Margaret Thatcher*

His Majesty King Hassan II