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DR FITZGERALD'S MESSAGE ABOUT EUROPEAN COUNCIL  
1. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRIME MINISTER TO  
DR FITZGERALD.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF 30 NOVEMBER ABOUT NEXT WEEK'S EUROPEAN  
COUNCIL. I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AND OTHER COLLEAGUES IN  
DUBLIN.

I AM CONTENT WITH YOUR PROPOSALS FOR THE ORGANISATION OF OUR  
DISCUSSIONS. THERE IS ONE OTHER ISSUE WHICH SHOULD BE SETTLED. AS  
YOU KNOW, THE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COUNCIL THIS WEEK WAS UNABLE TO ADOPT  
THE TEXT ON BUDGET DISCIPLINE ON WHICH THE COUNCIL REACHED A COMMON  
POSITION EARLIER IN THE MONTH. THE TEXT NEEDS TO BE ADOPTED IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONCLUSIONS OF OUR MEETING AT FONTAINEBLEAU. I  
KNOW PETER BARRY HAS WORKED HARD TO FIND A WAY THROUGH THE REMAINING  
DIFFICULTIES. I HOPE THAT THIS CAN VERY RAPIDLY BE AGREED. I  
UNDERSTAND THAT YOU ENVISAGE DISCUSSION BETWEEN FOREIGN MINISTERS.  
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