MEN W0887 MR ADDISON - No. 10 10 January 1986 MARINE SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY The report on marine science and technology of the House of Lords Select Committee on Science and Technology is due to be published on 29 January. The wide scope of this study means that there are a large number of Departments involved, but no one Department with a predominant concern. The indications are that the report will include a number of recommendations concerning the responsibilities of Departments and inter-Departmental coordination of R & D. 2. I am currently discussing with the Department of Trade and Industry, and other Departments, how best to prepare a Government response, and I will shortly be putting forward proposals for handling. 3. I am copying this to Michael Stark. RBN SIR ROBIN NICHOLSON Chief Scientific Adviser

