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From the Private Secretary

22 September 1986

**MEETING WITH KARL-OTTO POEHL**

The Prime Minister is, as you know, to meet Karl-Otto Poehl with the Governor on 20 October. Could you provide the Prime Minister with one or two pages of briefing (no more) with some background on Herr Poehl, a paragraph or two on the recent performance and prospects for the general economy and a suggested line to take on German monetary and fiscal policy.

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Could I have this briefing please by 16 October.

I am copying this letter to Cathy Ryding (H M Treasury).

**DAVID NORGROVE**

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Governor of the Bank of England's office

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