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From: R T J Wilson
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MR GRAY

EDUCATION

I keep forgetting to remind you that in your letter of 20 May to Tom Jeffery you said that the Prime Minister thought that it would be useful to institute a series of six-monthly monitoring meetings with Mr Baker on progress with key aspects of education reform. You said at the end of the letter that you would be in touch in due course about the arrangements.

These meetings - which I imagine would be bilateral - would seem to me to be a good idea. Now that the main body of decisions are taken it would be much more appropriate to monitor progress in a small informal gathering than in the formal machinery of E(EP).

You will probably tell me that you already have this in hand. But if not, you may want to consider setting up the first meeting, as and when the diary permits.

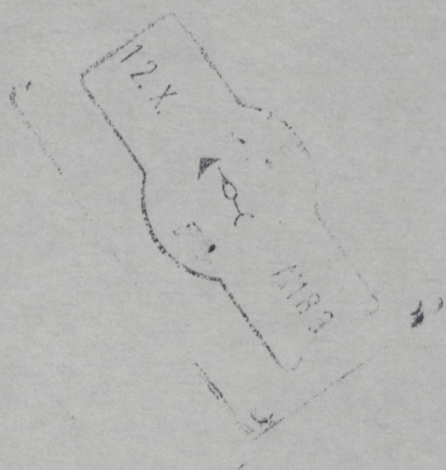
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MR. WILSON
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Thank you for your minute of 11 October.

We do actually have a slot already in the diary for a bilateral between the Prime Minister and Mr. Baker on 26 October. I will let you know what transpires.

Paul Gray

12 October 1988

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