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PRIME MINISTER'S
PERSONAL MESSAGE
SERIAL No. 183^b/79^r

TRANSLATION

"The Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, MP
Prime Minister of the United Kingdom.

My warmest thanks for the message of congratulations you so kindly sent me. I should like, in thanking you, to reiterate my sincere desire to contribute towards the active reinforcement of the traditional ties of friendship between our countries, united for centuries by a common historical alliance.

Maria de Lourdes Pintasilgo
Prime Minister of
Portugal."

Portugal

24 August 1979

I am writing on the Prime Minister's behalf to thank you for your letter of 22 August, with which you were good enough to enclose a message to the Prime Minister from the Prime Minister of Portugal, D. Maria de Lourdes Pintasilgo.

I have of course brought Senhora Pintasilgo's message to the Prime Minister's attention.

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His Excellency Senhor Armando Martins, G.C.V.O.

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Prime Minister

London, 22nd August 1979.

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Dear Prime Minister,

I have much pleasure in enclosing a message I received today from the Prime Minister of Portugal, D. Maria de Lourdes Pintasilgo.

With best wishes,

I remain

Yours sincerely

António de Oliveira Guterres

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The Prime Minister,
The Rt. Hon. Mrs. Margaret Thatcher, MP,
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