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I THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR KING WORDS OF CONGRATULATION ON MY RE-ELECTION. I AM SURE THAT THE SOLID FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES WILL BE ENHANCED IN THE FUTURE.

ANTONIO RAMALHO EANES

PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF PORTUGAL

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10 DOWNING STREET

From the Private Secretary

2 January 1981

In the absence of my colleague Michael Alexander I am writing to thank you for your letter of 30 December with which you enclosed one from the Portuguese Prime Minister in Office.

I will of course place Professor Freitas do Amaral's letter before the Prime Minister immediately.

Senhor J.M. de Macedo.

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em
Londres

30th December, 1980

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Dear Mr. Alexander,

I am enclosing a letter addressed to the British Prime Minister from Professor Diogo Freitas do Amaral, Portuguese Prime Minister in Office, and would be most grateful if you would see that the letter reaches Mrs. Thatcher.

Yours sincerely,

J. M. de Macedo

(J. M. de Macedo)
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