MINISTER'S PERSONAL MESSAGE SERIAL No. T3A-183 London, 10th January 1983 Dear Mr. Butler, I have received the following message from Don Felipe Gonzalez, President of the Government, for Mrs Margaret Thatcher: "I am extremely grateful for the greetings you have sent me through the British Ambassador in Madrid, and I would ask you to extend this appreciation to the remaining members of your Government. I for my part send you my best wishes for 1983, and look forward to the opportunity of renewing our personal contacts." I shall be most grateful if you will kindly convey this message to the Prime Minister. Yours sincerely, LUIS DE LA TORRE Minister Counsellor Chargé d'Affaires, a.i.

F.E.R. Butler Esq.,

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From the Private Secretary

10 January 1983

I enclose for your information a copy of a letter we have received from the Charge d'Affaires at the Spanish Embassy conveying a message from the President of the Government of Spain.

TIMOTHY FLESHER

Roger Bone, Esq., Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

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From the Private Secretary

10 January 1983

Thank you for your letter of 10 January addressed to Mr. Butler, in which you convey a message to the Prime Minister from the President of the Spanish Government. I shall place this before the Prime Minister.

TIMOTHY FLESHER

Senor Don Luis de la Torre de Andres.

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