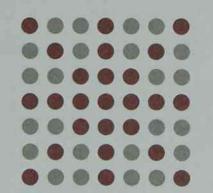
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Dear vrime Ministré

Congratulations on such a successful vitsit to Poland. I am sure that the reverberations will be felt for a long time to come!

In your busy programme it was good of you to find time to visit the Council. We have had very enthusiastic despatches from Richard Alford. Your visit has raised morale enormously. It will enhance the Council's fine reputation in Warsaw.

We are even more enthused by the increase in the Grant-in-Aid which we have been awarded through the FCO - with your encouragement I know. I can assure you that the additional resources will be productively applied. We have plenty of scope for new activities which will further improve Britain's relations abroad. Thank you for all your support.

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