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Dear Prime Minister

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Thank you very much for your letter of 26th August which was handed to me by your Defence Secretary, Mr Tom King, during his recent visit to Bahrain. I welcomed the opportunity to meet Mr King and his accompanying delegation and to review the cooperation between our countries and the latest developments in the region.

I am very pleased that a squadron of RAF Tornado aircraft has been deployed at Muharraq airport in Bahrain. They will provide an important contribution to the security and to the international deterrent forces in the area and hopefully prevent any further aggression in this region.

I wish to praise your firm stand and clear vision in responding to Iraq's aggression and the breach of the United Nations Charter. I sincerely hope that together with worldwide support we can work together to ensure the implementation of the recent United Nations Security Council Resolutions in response to Iraq's illegal actions. Only through strong leadership and close cooperation can we ensure the complete reversal of the invasion and annexation of Kuwait.

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The close and longstanding relationship between Bahrain and the United Kingdom has enabled us to react quickly to the current challenge and make a valuable contribution to maintaining peace and security in this region. I greatly appreciate the United Kingdom's swift response to Bahrain's request for support and for her continued commitment to her allies in this region.

With sincere best wishes,

Yours Sincerely

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