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MESSAGE FROM THE PRIME MINISTER

1. WHILE I WAS WITH ISSA KUWARI HANDING OVER THE PRIME MINISTER'S LETTER OF 3 SEPTEMBER THE AMIR TELEPHONED THROUGH TO ASK ME TO PASS ON TO THE PRIME MINISTER HIS CONGRATULATIONS AND ADMIRATION FOR HER SPEECH ON THE GULF CRISIS DURING THE COMMONS DEBATE. HE HAD GIVEN PERSONAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SPEECH TO BE SHOWN IN FULL ON QATARI TELEVISION.

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