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TO PRIORITY CIVIL COMMISSIONER PORT STANLEY
TELEGRAM NUMBER PERSONAL 38 OF 29 NOVEMBER

YOUR TELNO 395 : POSSIBLE VISIT BY PRIME MINISTER

1. THE POSITION REMAINS THAT WHILE THE PRIME MINISTER HAS SAID THAT SHE HOPES TO VISIT THE FALKLANDS AT SOME STAGE, NO DECISIONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN. YOU SHOULD CONTINUE TO TAKE THIS LINE IF ASKED ABOUT THE PROSPECTS.

2. IN ANY CASE THE PROBLEM OVER THE PRIME MINISTER'S DIARY HAS CLEARED SO THERE IS NO NEED TO POSTPONE THE PLANNED DATES FOR THE ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS. AS REGARDS MINISTERIAL ATTENDANCE FOR THEM YOU SHOULD SAY THAT NO DECISION HAS YET BEEN MADE BUT WE ARE HOPEFUL THAT THERE WILL BE SOME MINISTERIAL PRESENCE DURING THE WEEK.

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