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From the Private Secretary

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MADRID EUROPEAN COUNCIL: BILATERALS

The Prime Minister would be content to have her normal bilateral with Mr Haughey in the margins of the European Council in Madrid. I will set a time for this with Dermot McNally when we get there. I told the Irish Ambassador this yesterday when I saw him at the Trooping Ceremony.

The Prime Minister would also find it useful to have a talk with Mr Lubbers and Mr Van Den Broek on the Sunday evening if they were available. Could you ask our Embassy in the Hague to see whether they might be free for a drink that evening?

I am copying this letter to Stephen Leach (Northern Ireland Office) and Trevor Woolley (Cabinet Office).

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