Foreign and Commonwealth Office London SWIA 2AH 9 June 1988 an Chiles the wife cox Thank you for your letter of 7 June about the Italian Prime Minister's proposal to discuss environmental problems at the Toronto Economic Summit. We do not want to encourage the Italians to raise specific environmental issues at the Summit, still less to incorporate their lengthy text in the communique. So we do not consider it appropriate to send a formal reply. We shall, of course, brief the Prime Minister on this proposal, for her meeting with Signor de Mita in Toronto. (R N Peirce) Private Secretary C D Powell Esq 10 Downing Street

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