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From the Private Secretary

9 August 1990

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LONDON ECONOMIC SUMMIT

I have discussed with the Prime Minister your note of 6 August about possible topics for the London Economic Summit. She is well content with the suggestions you make. She has not in fact expressed any particular preferences between them, although I think her interest has focused most on those relating to the Soviet Union and to competition policy. She has also commented that the whole question of oil and the Middle East is likely to assume much greater prominence over the next few months and we should be ready for it to feature strongly at the London Economic Summit.

I am sending copies of this letter to the Private Secretaries to the Foreign and Commonwealth Secretary and the Chancellor, and to Sir Robin Butler.

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