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THE PRIME MINISTER

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Dear Mark and Natalia,

I should have written to thank you earlier for everything you did so marvellously while you were at No. 10. Plus other events, so tragic terrible on our part, and so deeply worrying about the Middle East - have intervened.

I shall not forget that you saw me through my most difficult time here and your advice and

efforts that the essential contents
with Parliamentary colleagues. I think
the political office is now working
really well and with the Policy
Unit we really are charting the
way ahead.

Your latest work with Arabic-
Russian languages really will be used now-
ever more than we had thought. It
will take a long time and total perseverance
to undo the damage that Sadat Hussein
has done. Warmest regards to you both.

Yours ever
Raymond