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Dear Charles,

Rome: Special European Council: Remarks on 23 October
by M. Delors

The Daily Telegraph on 24 October reported M. Delors as saying that the Commission proposals for the IGC on political union (ie the Commission Opinion) were intended to pave the way for a Federation of Europe with the Commission as the Executive Government and the Council of Ministers as the Senate.

The Commission Opinion itself (which is in the brief you have for the Special European Council) does not contain what M. Delors is reported by the Daily Telegraph as having suggested. It does not propose any radical change in the present institutional plans of the Community - although it does contain a lot of other horrors.

Yours ever,

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