10 DOWNING STREET LONDON SWIA 2AA 1 October 1986 From the Private Secretary Last year you very kindly provided some material to help the Prime Minister in preparing her Guildhall speech. I am sure she would find it helpful if you felt able to do the same again this year. She has not herself yet thought about the speech at all. But the range of possible subjects on the domestic side is as much as it was in 1985, including the City and the Big Bang, developments in the international economy (oil prices, etc) and the performance of the domestic economy. If you could manage it, it would be very helpful to have your ideas to put to the Prime Minister within a week or two after the Party Conference. David Norgrove The Lord Bruce-Gardyne.