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From the Private Secretary

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Dear Jim,

IMPLEMENTATION OF NHS WHITE PAPER
IN SCOTLAND

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The Prime Minister was grateful for your Secretary of State's minute of 29 September. She found this a generally encouraging report on the progress achieved and in hand. She would, however, be grateful for an update in due course on the progress in identifying candidates for self-governing hospital status; and she would like to be consulted on the proposed membership of the Management Group when this is available.

I am copying this letter to Andy McKeon (Department of Health), Stephen Williams (Welsh Office), Brian Hawtin (Ministry of Defence), John Gieve (HM Treasury) and to Sir Robin Butler.

Yours,
Paul Gray

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