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Prime Minister.

I do not wish to add to the
difficulties of this decision. But
are we quite sure that if we
discuss with Argentina the
questions in para. 4 of the Annex to
OD (83)19 we are not, from a
legal point of view, weakening
our position on sovereignty?

And would we consult the
Islanders about the compromise
solution before or after discussing
it with Argentina?

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