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THE PRIME MINISTER

17 September 1984

Dear Mr. Clinton Davis.

Thank you so much for your letter. I was very pleased that you accepted nomination as one of our European Commissioners. My colleagues and I share your wish for a close working relationship and will do all we can to help you prepare for your important post.

All good wishes.

Yours sincerely

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- 1) Mr Powell <sup>CDP</sup>
- 2) Prime Minister

Agree to ask him  
if we can make this public? 11. ix. 84

CDP / Mr Prime Minister,

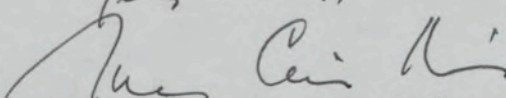
CDP ~~Yes~~  
Yes we have  
word

I was delighted and surprised

to accept the invitation to serve as  
one of Britain's European Commissioners.

It is, of course, an extremely  
challenging role and I will do my best  
to measure up to the confidence that  
has been reposed in me.

I look forward to working  
co-operatively with you and the members of  
your Administration.

Yours sincerely,  
  
(STANLEY CLINTON DAVIS)