

Foreign and Commonwealth Office

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Dear Charles,

EC Presidency Handover

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As agreed we have now floated with the Dutch the possibility of a breakfast meeting (no earlier than 0830) between the Prime Minister and Lubbers on 27 June (no earlier than 0830).

Merckelbach is enthusiastic, and has said he is sure Lubbers will welcome the idea. Are you content for us to proceed on that basis?

> Yours ever, Colin Budd

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