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From the Principal Private Secretary

19 November 1986

Dear Tony,

WORLD TELEVISION SERVICE

The Prime Minister has seen the Foreign and Commonwealth Secretary's minute of 18 November to the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster about the proposals for a World Television Service.

The Prime Minister has commented that she has no doubt that the right way forward is through the private sector in a way which does not cost HMG or the taxpayer any money at all.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the Private Secretaries to the Home Secretary, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Sir Robert Armstrong.

Yours truly
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