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I have seen a copy of your minute of 22 April to the Prime Minister about CSP's report and the possibility of a presentation to MISC 128.

I support your suggestion of a presentation on what is an important study by CSP, assuming a suitable date can be found. It will be useful for us to have the opportunity to question the consultants directly about their findings. As you say, a decision on whether report should be published in full through HMSO is one that we can leave until we have the final report, but at this stage I seen no problem over this.

I am copying this letter to colleagues on MISC 128 and to Sir Robert Armstrong.

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