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From The Parliamentary Under-Secretary

14 August 1989

Hear Donglas,

SCHOOLS BROADCASTS

I have seen a copy of your letter of 19 July to Kenneth Baker. I am writing in Peter's absence from the office.

We attach great importance to securing the position of schools broadcasts by the independent television sector, and welcome your proposals.

I have some sympathy with the point made by Malcolm Rifkind that the broadcasts should be appropriate to the curriculum needs of schools, and I think it would be helpful if proposal (b) could be amended on the lines he has suggested.

I am copying this letter to other members MISC 128 and to Sir Robin Butler.

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The Rt Hon Douglas Hurd CBE MP Secretary of State for the Home Department Home Office 50 Queen Anne's Gate LONDON SW1H 9AT Psoondcarried - Policy P+ 9.

