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Dear Dongers

Thank you for copying me your letter of 26 September to Norman Fowler on the rules governing advertising in relation to industrial disputes.

I support your proposals which should clarify what is in practice the current position. In particular, I agree with the two categories of advertisement that you wish to exclude. I am not entirely convinced however that the formulation in your last major paragraph will fully cover the categories but, no doubt, Parliamentary Counsel will be able to advise.

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I am copying this letter to MISC 128 colleagues and Sir Robin Butler,





production and which policy.