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FALKLAND ISLANDS - "SCRAP" VULCANS

BACKGROUND: We have been asked if we have refused to sell a "scrap" Vulcan to a NENE VALLEY Preservation Society in Sywell because it is now needed for Falklands duty.

PR LINE: "The suggestion is speculation and it is wrong. The MOD has notified the society that the grass strip at Sywell is unsuitable for a Vulcan landing and the society has accepted this. They are currently looking at an alternative landing site.

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