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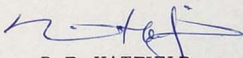
Warned Mr. Mowar that if  
No. 10 Press Office were approached  
about this they should deny any  
knowledge.

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I think that you should be aware that  
Mr. David Scan of the Londoner's Diary, New  
Standard, approached Sir Frank Cooper's office  
yesterday and asked if Sir Frank could talk about an  
"advisory group to the Prime Minister" consisting of  
himself, Sir Anthony Parsons and Sir Antony Duff.

2. Sir Frank is on leave at present and although  
he has been informed of this approach neither his  
office nor Sir Frank personally propose to return the  
call and if the approach is repeated his office intend  
simply to say that Sir Frank has no comment to make  
at all.



R. P. HATFIELD

25th August, 1982

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