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10 DOWNING STREET

*From the Private Secretary*

SIR ROBIN IBBS

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE CONTRACTS

The Prime Minister has seen your minute of 5 July and the Report attached to it. She found this extremely interesting and hopes that the shortcomings it reveals will be acted upon to produce better management of public sector contracts in the future.

She is content for you to discuss the report with Permanent Secretaries to establish how best to carry this work forward. She will await your advice on this.

I am copying this minute to Sir Robert Armstrong.

ANDREW TURNBULL

15 July 1985

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