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My dear Margaret,

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Thank you for your letter of 3 January 1986 in which you offered to make available on temporary loan the Public Record Office copy of the Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act for inclusion in an exhibition of constitutional documents which we are planning as part of our commemoration of Australia's Bicentenary.

I am grateful for your further offer to present to the Government fine quality reproductions of the Act and the Royal Commission of Assent, in a presentation case.

Perhaps at a later date you will not mind if I raise with you again the possibility of making available on permanent loan one of your copies of the Act, but for the present let me accept, with my personal thanks, the offers you have made.

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