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THE HIGH COMMISSIONER

Prime Minister
Do you wish to see
him before he leaves? 14 January 1987
It is not essential, but
the old Commonwealth perhaps
want some treats.

Dear Prime Minister,

CJP 14/1

Yes Mr

As you may recall from other correspondence, my
posting to London is coming to an end. I will be
leaving on 21 February.

For me the last three years have been some of
the most satisfying of my career, both personally
and professionally. I shall leave convinced more
than ever of the enduring nature and importance to
Australia of its relationship with Britain. This
will be the main thrust of the advice I will be giving
to Australian Ministers on my return.

In the meantime, and providing your other
commitments permit, I would like very much the
opportunity to make a final call on you. I hope this
can be fitted in to your diary.

Yours sincerely

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