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From the Private Secretary

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## INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Sir Crispin Tickell completed his interrupted talk with the Prime Minister on environmental issues this evening. Points he made were:

- it would give greater credibility to our proposals for dealing with tropical forests if we were seen to be taking more initiatives about our own forests and woodlands:
- the ideas which he had sketched out in his speech in New York for using and developing existing international institutions on environmental issues should be worked up;
- consideration should be given to making public use of the paper on energy conservation presented to the seminar on environmental issues in April by Ken Currie. This was a very important aspect of our environmental policy.

I am copying this letter to Roger Bright (Department of the Environment).

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