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PRIME MINISTER'S  
PERSONAL MESSAGE  
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The Royal Palace,  
Nuku'alofa,  
TONGA.

13 February, 1984.

*My Dear Prime Minister,*

May I thank you for your letter concerning stabilized soil. It was waiting for my recent return after absence in New Zealand on medical advice.

We are carefully checking with Saudi Arabia and Spain where previous work has been reported as well as with I.C.A.O. in Montreal on use for jet airfields because this body has recently upgraded our airfield to take 707s and we, of course, need their approval for further plans to up-grade for 747 operations.

We hope that all is well with you and your family.

*With all good wishes,  
Taufa'ahau Tupou R.*

THE KING OF TONGA

Right Hon. Mrs Margaret Thatcher,  
Prime Minister of England,  
No. 10 Downing St.  
LONDON.



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10 DOWNING STREET

*From the Private Secretary*

5 March, 1984

Thank you for your letter to John Coles of 24 February. I enclose herewith a copy of the letter from the King of Tonga. Unless I hear from you to the contrary, I shall assume that no further action is necessary.

(David Barclay)

P.R. Ricketts, Esq.,  
Foreign and Commonwealth Office

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Foreign and Commonwealth Office

London SW1A 2AH

24 February 1984

Dear John,

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Prime Minister.

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Correspondence for the Prime Minister

We have been asked by the Tongan High Commission to pass on the enclosed (sealed) letter from the King of Tonga to the Prime Minister.

Yours ever,

Peter Ricketts

(P F Ricketts)  
Private Secretary

A J Coles Esq  
10 Downing Street

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24 JAN 1984

