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FIXED CHANNEL LINK

I learned today that the simultaneous release of the English and French versions of the clearing banks's report on the Fixed Channel Link will take place at a press conference on 22 May.

A copy will be formally lodged with Nicholas Ridley on 17 May, although a draft has been with his private office several weeks past.

NatWest are providing me with an advance under the counter copy tomorrow.

RJ.

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