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## 10 DOWNING STREET

From the Principal Private Secretary

11 January 1985

## BUDGET SECURITY

I should correct in one respect what I said to you this morning about the Budget security arrangements at No. 10.

On the Prime Minister's instructions, the papers are shown to John Redwood, in addition to Andrew Turnbull and myself. But he sees them only in our room, and the papers are neither sent out of there nor copied. As I said to you they are passed by hand between the Prime Minister, Andrew Turnbull and me and held in a locked box to which only Andrew Turnbull has access.

Sir Peter Middleton, K.C.B.

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