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Res Prime Minister,
RE FAR EAST VISIT

When you have talks in Singapore,
North West Members of Parliament would
dearly like *3 flights per week into
Manchester International Airport for
our Industry. Please say yes!

But not alter routes to London Airport
we would appreciate in addition!!

* SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL
AIRLINES.
Many Thanks,
Yours etc,
Geoffrey Dickens.



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From the Private Secretary

4 April 1985

This is just to confirm that the Prime Minister saw your letter of 2 April about her forthcoming visit to Singapore before her departure. She was grateful to you for writing.

(Timothy Flesher)

Geoffrey Dickens, Esq., MP.

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From the Private Secretary

1 April 1985

I write to thank you for your letter of 29 March to the Prime Minister. I shall ensure that she sees this before her visit to Singapore and that a reply is sent to you as soon as possible.

C D POWELL

Basil de Ferranti, Esq., M.E.P.



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From the Private Secretary

1 April 1985

I enclose a copy of a letter to the Prime Minister from Mr Basil de Ferranti about Singapore Airlines' wish to operate into Manchester. I should be grateful for an early draft reply.

I am copying this letter and enclosure to Henry Derwent (Department of Transport) and Callum McCarthy (Department of Trade and Industry).

C D POWELL

Peter Ricketts Esq
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