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THE PRIME MINISTER

26 April 1985

Dear Vice-President,

I am writing to say how very much I appreciated the warm and friendly reception which I received in Indonesia and how interesting and enjoyable I found my visit. I was particularly pleased to have the opportunity to meet you and your wife. The gifts which you kindly presented to me will be a very happy reminder of that visit, which I shall treasure.

Yours sincerely

Ronald Reagan

Yang Mulia Bapak Umar Wirahadikusumah

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FOLLOWING FOR HM AMBASSADOR FROM MR POWELL, PRIVATE  
SECRETARY TO PRIME MINISTER

The Prime Minister will write to the Vice President  
as you suggest and we shall let you have the letter  
as soon as possible. We shall also let you have an  
additional signed photograph for the Head of Chancery  
in recompense for her noble sacrifice.

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FOR POWELL, PRIVATE SECRETARY NO 10 : PM'S VISIT TO INDONESIA.

1. THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF 15 APRIL ENCLOSING THANK YOU LETTERS. THESE ARE BEING CHECKED AND DISTRIBUTED, TOGETHER WITH PHOTOS AND SMALL GIFTS LEFT WITH US. I WOULD, HOWEVER, STRONGLY RECOMMEND A SHORT LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER TO THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS UMAR, PRIMARILY TO THANK FORMALLY FOR THE GIFTS RECEIVED.
2. THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION WHO FORMED PART OF THE 'SUITE OF HONOUR' FOR THE BANDUNG TRIP IS ENTHUSIASTICALLY ANGLOPHILE AND HELPFUL TO US. IT IS A PITY TO OMIT HIM CONSPICUOUSLY. I AM THEREFORE WRITING TO HIM, ENCLOSING A LARGE SIGNED PHOTO, AS I AM TO THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE SUITE OF HONOUR TO WHOM THE PM HAS NOT WRITTEN PERSONALLY. I HAVE COMMANDEERED THE PHOTO SENT TO H OF C FOR THE PURPOSE EXCLAM.

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