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THE PRIME MINISTER

8 April 1986

By dear Prime Phinister

I know how busy you must be in the early weeks of your Government and we shall of course have an opportunity to meet during the Economic Summit in Tokyo. But if you would like to come over here for a brief informal chat at any time, for instance over lunch or supper, I should be delighted to see you and our offices could discuss possible dates. There is a great deal to talk about.

With best wishes,

Jayan Laliter

His Excellency Monsieur Jacques Chirac

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PRIME MINISTER NEW FRENCH GOVERNMENT It might be a friendly gesture if you were to send M. Chirac a brief message suggesting that he might like to come over here in due course for an informal talk with you, perhaps over lunch. As you will see he is already scheduled to have a meeting with Chancellor Kohl. There is no doubt that we are going to have to do more of our business with the Prime Minister of the day than before the recent elections. It would be a good idea to show willing even if M. Chirac does not choose to take up the invitation immediately. I attach a letter which you may care to send.

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CHARLES POWELL
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