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 Dear Charles,

Prime Minister's Visit to Turkey: Travel

An RAF VC10 has been reserved for the Prime Minister's visit to Turkey. I would be grateful for confirmation that the timings should be as set out below. The outline programme, now agreed, is attached:

(All times local) UK = GMT + 1; Turkey = GMT + 3

Wednesday, 6 April

ETD London Heathrow (Southside) 1420
 ETA Ankara (Esenboga) 2100
 Flying time: 4 hours 40 minutes
 Afternoon tea and dinner to be served

Friday, 8 April

ETD Ankara (Esenboga) 1025
 ETA Istanbul 1125
 Flying time: 1 hour
 Morning coffee to be served
 ETD Istanbul 1730
 ETA London Heathrow (Southside) 1950
 Flying time: 4 hours 20 minutes
 Drinks and dinner to be served

I attach a selection of menus and would be grateful to know your preferences.

Yours ever,

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INFO ROUTINE ISTANBUL

MIPT: PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO TURKEY: PROGRAMME

1. REVISED TURKISH PROPOSALS FOR THE PROGRAMME ARE:

6 APRIL

2200 ARRIVE ANKARA AIRPORT

MET BY TURKISH PRIME MINISTER AND MRS OZAL

2220 DEPART AIRPORT

2250 ARRIVE EMBASSY RESIDENCE

7 APRIL

0900 DEPART RESIDENCE

0915 ATATURK MAUSOLEUM

0945 DEPART MAUSOLEUM

0955 ARRIVE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

1000 OFFICIAL TALKS (ACCOMPANIED BY AMBASSADORS AND PRIVATE
SECRETARIES ONLY)

1200 LEAVE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

1215 VISIT CANKAYA PRIMARY SCHOOL

1245 LEAVE FOR GUVERCINLIK

1305 GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY FOR ANKARA NATURAL GAS DISTRIBUTION

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1340 LEAVE FOR DENETEVLER (MAYOR'S GUEST HOUSE)
1350 LUNCH WITH MAYOR OF ANKARA
1440 DEPART DENETEVLER
1500 ARRIVE ASELSAN
1545 DEPART ASELSAN
1625 ARRIVE CANKAYA
1630 CALL ON PRESIDENT EVREN
1715 DEPART CANKAYA
1800 (UNOFFICIAL ENGAGEMENT) CALL BY OPPOSITION LEADER
1900 MEET BRITISH COMMUNITY
2015 DEPART RESIDENCE
2030 PRIME MINISTER AND MRS OZAL'S DINNER

8 APRIL

0900 LEAVE RESIDENCE
0930 JOINT PRESS CONFERENCE AT ANKARA AIRPORT
1025 DEPART ANKARA FOR ISTANBUL
1125 ARRIVE ISTANBUL AIRPORT
MET BY GOVERNOR, MAYOR, MILITARY COMMANDER AND POLICE CHIEF
1130 DEPART ISTANBUL AIRPORT
1150 ARRIVE MUNICIPALITY

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1220 DEPART ISTANBUL MUNICIPALITY
 1240 ARRIVE SHALE KIOSK
 1300 MAYOR OF ISTANBUL'S LUNCH
 1445 DEPART SHALE KIOSK
 1500 VISIT TOPKAPI PALACE AND AYA SOFIA
 1600 VISIT YENIKAPI WATER TREATMENT PLANT
 1630 DEPART YENIKAPI
 1640 VISIT OTOKAR LAND ROVER ASSEMBLY PLANT
 1700 DEPART OTOKAR
 1715 ARRIVE ISTANBUL AIRPORT
 SEEN OFF BY GOVERNOR, MAYOR, MILITARY COMMANDER AND
 POLICE CHIEF
 1730 DEPART ISTANBUL

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