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Dear Charles,

... Further to your letter of 29 March 1988, I enclose herewith a draft letter for your reply to Mr Ashman of Harland Simon Group Plc.

*Your sincerely
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STEPHEN RATCLIFFE
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DRAFT REPLY FOR PS/PRIME MINISTER

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Thank you for your letter of 25 March informing me of your company's interest in the Izmir Water and Sewerage scheme.

I know that Mrs Thatcher intends to refer to the expertise of British companies in the water industry in her speeches in Turkey, and I feel sure that she will take other opportunities which might arise in her private discussions.

I offer you my sincere wishes for your company's success in this World Bank financed scheme for Izmir.

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