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From the Private Secretary

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Dear Pete,

## TV LICENSING ORGANISATION: NEW BUSINESS

The Prime Minister has seen the Chancellor of the Duchy's letter of 3 November to the Chief Secretary. Subject to the views of colleagues, she agrees that an early announcement should be made indicating that the Government is content for TVL to compete for subscription work for satellite broadcasting services on a contractual basis.

I am copying this letter to Philip Mawer (Home Office), Private Secretaries to members of E(NI) and to Trevor Woolley (Cabinet Office).

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