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Mr. C. D. Powell Private Secretary to the Prime Minister 10 Downing Street London SW1A 2AA

Dear Mr. Powell,

I should be grateful if you would transmit to Prime Minister Thatcher the attached letter from Prime Minister Mulroney.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Margaret,

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This is further to my letter of December 16, 1988, with particular reference to the provision of counter-terrorism training to the Republic of Ireland's Garda Siochana.

I am pleased to advise that the Canadian Security Intelligence Service is in the process of establishing the Garda Siochana's precise requirements. An appropriate training program, specifically tailored to the Garda Siochana's needs, will follow.

I hope that Canada, in acceding to the Irish request for assistance, can contribute towards the fight against terrorism and provide some relief to the situation in Northern Ireland.

Yours sincerely,

The Right Honourable Margaret Thatcher
Prime Minister of the United Kingdom
10 Downing Street
London, England

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