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Dear Prime Minister,

I have heard from the Foreign Office of your conversation on Midland's behalf with the President of Turkey. May I thank you very warmly for taking up the cudgels on our behalf. Whatever the outcome this is much appreciated.

However, the President's response seems encouraging to us and we can only hope it will shortly lead to a satisfactory outcome. In any case, I will, of course, be leading the British Invisibles Mission to Istanbul next week.

Thank you again.

Kit MMahon