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15 May 1990

Dear Charles,

Prime Minister's Visit to the Soviet Union: 7-10 June 1990

I should be grateful for your agreement to the inclusion of the following support staff for the Prime Minister's visit to the Soviet Union:

- a. Conference Officer (Miss B D Davis)
- b. Cabinet Office Communications Coordinator (Mr A J Hart) who will install (and operate) the secure facsimile and Brahm's equipment
- c. Three Royal Military Police, to co-ordinate baggage of officials and press party, undertake safehand runs and guard the Private Office
- d. Two Communications Officers (for communications on RAF VC10)

Yours ever,
Richard Egan

(R H T Gozney)
Private Secretary

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From the Private Secretary

15 May 1990

PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO THE SOVIET UNION:
SUPPORT STAFF

Thank you for your letter of 15 May about the administrative arrangements for the Prime Minister's visit to the Soviet Union. I agree that we shall need the support staff listed in your letter.

Charles Powell

Richard Gozney Esq
Foreign and Commonwealth Office

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Mr Charles Powell (3 copies)

cc: Ambassador
Lady Braithwaite
Mr Turnbull
Mr Ingham

WEATHER IN KIEV AND LENINAKAN

Kiev

1. It is sunny but not particularly hot in Kiev today. The recent weather there has been extremely erratic. It has at times this week been wet and very cool. The Kiev Coordinator recommends that the Prime Minister's party should be prepared for all eventualities - ready to wear either light- or heavy-weight clothing, and equipped with rain coats, head gear and umbrellas.

Leninakan

2. It is sunny there today, with a temperature of between 20 and 25 degrees.

Rodene Lyne

R M J Lyne

8 June 1990



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From the Private Secretary

23 May 1990

PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO THE SOVIET UNION

Thank you for your letter of 23 May about the seating plan for the VC10 for the Prime Minister's visit to the Soviet Union. I am content with this, and enclose the menus appropriately marked.

Charles Powell

J.S. Wall, Esq.,
Foreign and Commonwealth Office



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23 May 1990

Dear Charles,

Prime Minister's visit to the
Soviet Union

I submit for your approval a seating plan for the RAF VC10.

I also submit suggested menus and would be grateful to know your preferences.

Jans.
Stephen Wall

(J S Wall)

Private Secretary

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PROPOSED MENUS FOR THE PRIME MINISTER TRAVELLING ON RAF VC10
ASCOT 1132 TO THE USSR OVER THE PERIOD
7 TO 10 JUN 90

HEATHROW - PRESTWICK (7 JUN)

MORNING COFFEE

INCLUDES:
SELECTION OF BISCUITS
DANISH PASTRIES
TEA/COFFEE

PRESTWICK - MOSCOW (7 JUN)

AFTERNOON TEA

INCLUDES:
SELECTION OF RECEPTION SANDWICHES
SMALL CAKES
PLAIN/CHOCOLATE BISCUITS
SCONES
CLOTTED CREAM AND PRESERVES
TEA/COFFEE

DINNER

HOT AND COLD CANAPES
ASPARAGUS MIMOSA
ROAST ENGLISH LAMB
REDCURRANT JELLY
CHATEAU POTATOES
BABY CARROTS
PETIT POIS
STRAWBERRIES ROMANOFF WITH FRESH CREAM
CHEESE/BISCUITS
COFFEE
WINE

OR

~~HOT AND COLD CANAPES
PATE EN CROUTE
DARNE SALMON WITH CREAM/MUSHROOM SAUCE
PARSLIED NEW POTATOES
BROCCOLI FLORETS
BABY SWEETCORN
SUMMER PUDDING WITH FRESH CREAM
CHEESE/BISCUITS
COFFEE
WINE~~

MOSCOW - KIEV (9 JUN)

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

INCLUDES:
FRESH FRUIT APPETISER
FRESH FRUIT JUICE
TOAST/ROLLS/CROISSANTS
PRESERVES
TEA/COFFEE

KIEV - HEATHROW (10 JUN)

DINNER

HOT AND COLD CANAPES
POTTED SHRIMPS WITH BROWN BREAD
FILLET OF PORK WITH MADEIRA SAUCE
SAUTE POTATOES
FINE GREEN BEANS
VICHY CARROTS
RASPBERRY CHEESE CAKE
CHEESE/BISCUITS
COFFEE
WINE

OR

~~SMOKED MACKEREL MOUSSE
BRAISED DUCK WITH ORANGE SAUCE
PARISIENNE POTATOES
PEAS FLAMANDE
BROCCOLI POLONAISE
RUM BABA WITH CREAM
CHEESE/BISCUITS
COFFEE
WINE~~

Note: Fish meals will be provided for one passenger

Vegetarian meals will be provided for one passenger

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A: TRAVEL ^{tw}

cc Lizzie
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From the Private Secretary

18 May 1990

**PRIME MINISTER'S VISIT TO THE SOVIET UNION:
TRAVEL**

Thank you for your letter of 17 May with travel details for the Prime Minister's visit to the Soviet Union. I am content with the timings and passenger lists which you propose for the various journeys. We should plan on this basis.

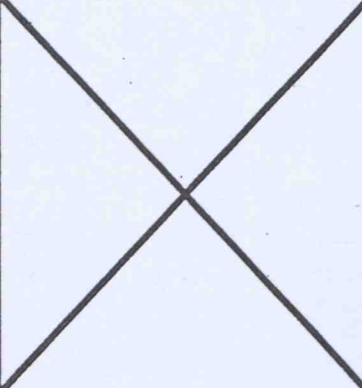
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