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Prime Rivina

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From the Private Secretary

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The Turkish Ambasador came to see me this morning on another matter, but took the opportunity to say that President Ozal would be passing through London on 23 September on his way to the United States and would very much like to meet the Prime Minister briefly. Failing that, they might have a talk in the margins of the World Childrens Summit in New York the following weekend.

I said that I knew the Prime Minister would very much like to see President Ozal. It was not clear whether she would be back in the country by 23 September. The safer course might therefore be to plan on a bilateral in New York on 30 September or 1 October. We would be in touch about precise times.

We have not yet fixed times for any of the Prime Minister's bilaterals in New York. Obviously the first priority must be to find time for a good talk with President Bush. It would be helpful if the Embassy in Washington could sound out the White House about possibilities on 30 September and 1 October. we can then offer President Ozal (and no doubt others) a time.

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