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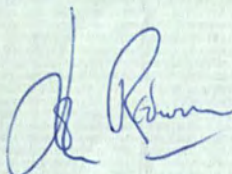
EMPLOYMENT SEMINAR

I discussed the Seminar agenda with David Young this morning.

He thinks it a good idea if, as a result of the discussion document on jobs, you asked him to chair an inter-departmental committee of Junior Ministers and officials to produce some such document and to chase progress on the policies arising from it.

This committee would report through David Young to Tom King and Norman Tebbit. As Tom feels sensitive about David's appointment, it is vital that it should be seen to report to him; as Norman is more robust on many of the issues and is very knowledgeable in the area, he would also be a useful person to report to.

This seems an excellent idea, and would give David an important piece of work to get his teeth into.



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