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GAS BILL: HOUSE OF LORDS

Peter Walker sent me a copy of his letter to you of 28 February.

I am sure Peter is right in saying that any extra time we can obtain between the Bill reaching Statute Book and the Offer for Sale will be of great value to the success of BGC privatisation. I would, therefore, welcome anything you can do to bring the Bill before the Lords as speedily as possible.

I am copying this letter to the Prime Minister, Peter Walker and John Biffen.

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