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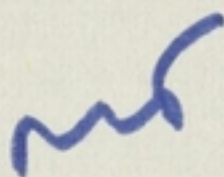
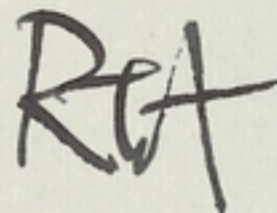
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MR WHITMORE

The paperback edition of Chapman Pincher's book, "Their Trade is Treachery", which gave rise to the Prime Minister's statement of 26 March 1981, is due to be published on 4 February 1982.

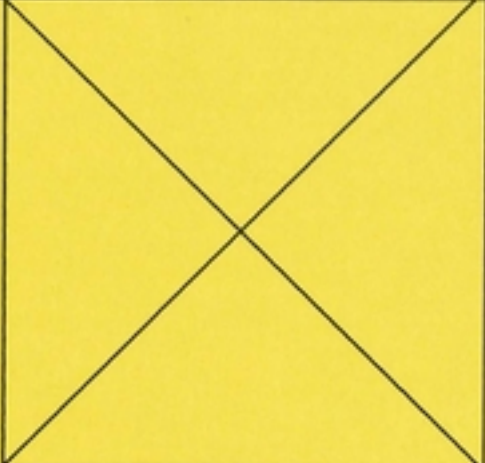
2. I attach a note by the Security Service about the new edition. Although the book has been considerably rewritten, it contains no significantly new information about penetration cases, and it adds no further weight to the case against Sir Roger Hollis.

ROBERT ARMSTRONG

26 January 1982

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From the Principal Private Secretary

SIR ROBERT ARMSTRONG

"THEIR TRADE IS TREACHERY"

I have shown the Prime Minister your minute A07249 of 26 January 1982 about the paperback edition of Chapman Pincher's book "Their Trade is Treachery", and she has taken note of it.

JAW.

27 January 1982

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