

PRIME MINISTER

Diary Meeting

At tomorrow's meeting you will wish to review your diary for 1985, and in particular your programme of speeches and regional tours.

At Annex A is a summary of the major events you are already committed to. At Annex B is a list of points for decision. Perhaps we could go through these seriatim.

Speaking Programme

There are very few slots left for speeches in 1985. But to the extent that there is flexibility, the following topics may be worth considering:-

Farming  
Education  
Social Security  
Law and Order.

The main opportunities for speeches as the programme now stands are:-

Mid January  
April  
Mid July, and  
Mid December.

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14 June, 1984.

PRIME MINISTER'S COMMITMENTS FOR 1985

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SPEECHES</u>	<u>REGIONAL TOURS</u>	<u>INTERNATIONAL</u>	<u>OTHER</u>
<u>January</u>				
11		Milton Keynes and East Midlands		
16				Dinner: Royal College of Nursing
26				Finchley
<u>February</u>				
4				Winter Ball
7	Institute of Petroleum			
9	YC Conference in Bournemouth			
15				Finchley
<u>March</u>				
9	Local Government Conference, Kensington			
11			European Council	Finchley AGM
15		Wessex Area		
23	Central Council, Newcastle			
<u>April</u>				
19				Finchley
26		Wales		
<u>May</u>				
10	Scottish Conference, Perth			
18	Women's Conference, London			

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<u>June</u>				
15			Summit European Council	Trooping the Colour
21				Finchley
<u>July</u>				
1				Finchley-W Forum
				or
8				Finchley-W Forum
13				Finchley
19		Yorkshire		
<u>September</u>				
5/9				Scotland
<u>October</u>				
8/10	Party Conference, Blackpool			
25			CHOGM	Finchley
<u>November</u>				
9				Finchley
11	Lord Mayor's Banquet			
15		Eastern Area		
<u>December</u>				
			European Council	Lunch, Defence Studies

POINTS FOR DECISION

	<u>Event and venue</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
1.	Royal College of Nursing Annual Dinner	Wednesday, 16 January, or date to suit PM	SPEECH ?YES
2.	Australia Day Dinner (via Lord Shackleton)	30 January	FCO very anxious for PM to accept this. SPEECH
3.	National Farmers' Union	Tuesday, 12 February	SPEECH ?YES to speech on farming, but not on 12 February
4.	SSAFA Banquet	Thursday, 14 February	SPEECH
5.	Weizmann Institution Foundation 50th Anniversary Dinner		PM has accepted. We have to find a date. SPEECH Recommend April after Easter.
6.	ADC Annual Conference	26-28 June	SPEECH
7.	Institute of Export 50th Anniversary Lunch	No date specified	DTI recommend acceptance, avoiding March and April ?
8.	Invitation to open new Ismali Centre, South Kensington	No date specified	FCO and Home Office advise accept (IVOR LAWRENCE)
9.	Volume Housebuilders	No date	Informal "NO SPEECH" Supported by Ian Gow
10.	Invitation from Michael Colvin to read Lesson at Carol Concert given by Westminster Christmas Appeal Trust	Monday, 17 December, at 1915	
11.	Visit to Plymouth (Miss Janet Fookes' constituency)		PM has refused the Chamber of Commerce's invitation, but has told Miss Fookes that she will try to get to the City. YES - 1986.