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Dear Alison,

TIN DEBATE: 7 JULY 1986

I attach a copy of the suggested Government Motion for this debate. It has been cleared by my Secretary of State.

Given time constraints, I fear I shall have to ask for any comments you or other copy recipients may have, by 11.00am. tomorrow morning, Thursday 3 July.

I am copying this letter and attachment to David Norgrove (No 10), Joan McNaughton (Lord President's Office), Robert Culshaw (FCO), Jill Rutter (Treasury), Ivor Llewelyn (MAFF), Paul Thomas (MPO), Murdo McLean (Chief Whip's Office), and Michael Stark (Cabinet Office).

Yours ever,

Michael

MICHEAL GILBERTSON
Private Secretary

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MOTION FOR TIN DEBATE

That this House endorses the Government's response to the Report of the Trade and Industry Select Committee on the Tin Crisis; regrets the difficulties brought upon the Cornish tin industry, the International Tin Council's creditors and others as a result of the failure of the International Tin Council to reach agreement with its creditors despite the considerable efforts made by the Government, and welcomes the Government's package of measures to help employment in Cornwall.