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THE PRIME MINISTER

15 May 1989

*Dear Mr. President,*

I send you my warm congratulations on your re-election as President of the Federal Republic of Germany. The statesmanship with which you have discharged the duties of the Presidency during your first term of office has been greatly admired in the United Kingdom. We have the warmest memories of your visit here.

With best wishes for a successful second term,

*Yours sincerely*

*Raymond Stanger*

His Excellency President Richard Von Weizsaecker

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Foreign and Commonwealth Office

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*Dear Charles,*

Re-Election of the President of the FRG

There is as good as no doubt that President von Weizsacker will be re-elected on 23 May, probably unopposed. The Prime Minister wrote to him on his election in 1984 and might like to send a further message of congratulation, along the following lines:

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We would ensure delivery as soon as the news came through.

*Yours ever,*

*Richard Gozney*

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