

PRIME MINISTER

SPACE PLAN

You did not want a presentation from Mr. Gibson, of the British National Space Centre, on its own. You felt it would be better to include this alongside a presentation of what would have to be given up if more money were to be found for the Space Centre.

On this basis, I am afraid I do not see how a worthwhile presentation could be mounted. There would simply be a parade of bleeding stumps.

Time is in any case running short and I suggest therefore that the idea of a presentation should be dropped.

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*p.p.* David Norgrove

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