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PRIME MINISTER'S
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London, 10th January 1983

Dear Mr. Butler,

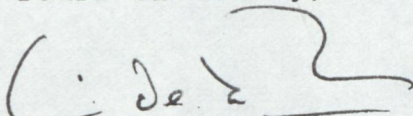
I have received the following message from Don Felipe Gonzalez, President of the Government, for Mrs Margaret Thatcher:

"I am extremely grateful for the greetings you have sent me through the British Ambassador in Madrid, and I would ask you to extend this appreciation to the remaining members of your Government.

I for my part send you my best wishes for 1983, and look forward to the opportunity of renewing our personal contacts."

I shall be most grateful if you will kindly convey this message to the Prime Minister.

Yours sincerely,



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