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From the Private Secretary

13 September 1990

## GULF CRISIS

I enclose a copy of a message to the Prime Minister from President Bush, with further briefing of his meeting in Helsinki with President Gorbachev. I should be grateful if it could be given very limited distribution.

The Prime Minister is intending to speak to the President tomorrow following the meeting of OD.

I am copying this letter and enclosure to Simon Webb (Ministry of Defence) and to Sir Robin Butler.

Charles Powell

Simon Gass Esq Foreign and Commonwealth Office

EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA LONDON September 13, 1990 Dear Prime Minister: The President has asked that I pass to you the attached message concerning the Helsinki Summit. No original letter will follow. Sincerely, Ambassador Attachment: SECRET The Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, MP, Prime Minister, 10 Downing Street, London

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