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From the Private Secretary

29 November 1983

Dear Roger,

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The Prime Minister said today that she had had a further conversation in the margins of CHOGM with President Kyprianou.

Kyprianou said that Papandreou had suggested to him that he (Kyprianou) should put forward a proposal to Papandreou for a series of bilateral talks between the guarantors. Kyprianou had asked the Prime Minister for her opinion on this idea - and he floated the thought that Papandreou might in some way tie it in with the despatch of Greek troops to Cyprus. The Prime Minister said to Kyprianou that in her view he should have nothing to do with this suggestion. It was for each of the three guarantors to make up their own minds about consultations under the Treaty.

Yours

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