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8 March 1984

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NATIONALISED INDUSTRIES: QUARTERLY MONITORING REPORT
(DECEMBER 1983)

The Chief Secretary has approved the memorandum and report attached to your minute of 6 March. These are now being circulated. However, he has noted that it is a long time since the end of December, a number of the figures are already out of date, and the paper can hardly be the basis for any action. He has asked for a note answering two questions:

(i) Can the report be produced more quickly?

(ii) If not, is there a case for abandoning the Monitoring Report for the December quarter?

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