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FOLLOWING PASSED TO NO 10 BY CABINET OFFICE

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181215Z JUN 88  
FM AIRBORNE  
TO CABINET 001 IMMEDIATE  
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*CT (Andy has seen)*

PRIME MINISTER'S  
PERSONAL MESSAGE  
SERIAL No. 95/88

*Subject  
cc: OPS  
Master*

C O N F I D E N T I A L

TO IMMEDIATE ANKARA  
AND TO IMMEDIATE NO 10 DOWNING STREET, FCO

FOLLOWING FOR AMBASSADOR FROM CHARLES POWELL, AIRBORNE.

PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRIME MINISTER TO MR OZAL  
UNRGENTLY.

BEGINS: 'I HEARD ABOUT THE SHOCKING INCIDENT IN ANKARA THIS  
MORNING, AS I WAS ON MY WAY TO THE AIRPORT TO LEAVE FOR THE  
ECONOMIC SUMMIT. I AM SENDING THIS MESSAGE IMMEDIATELY TO  
SAY HOW RELIEVED I AM THAT YOU ARE REPORTED TO HAVE ESCAPED  
SERIOUS INJURY YOURSELF. BUT I WAS VERY SAD TO HEAR THAT  
SOME OF YOUR COLLEAGUES WERE NOT SO FORTUNATE. PLEASE CONVEY  
MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THOSE INVOLVED AND THEIR FAMILIES  
WITH WARM PERSONAL REGARDS,  
MARGARET THATCHER''

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ASSESSMENT STAFF CABINET OFFICE

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