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LORD BUXTON:ITV

As you know there was not time at your bilateral with the Prime Minister this morning to discuss Lord Buxton's letter of 17 May. But as you will see she has briefly looked at it and initialled it. I think you can therefore assure Lord Buxton that you have done all he asked of you - "show this to the Prime Minister" - and tell him that she has duly noted his views. As I mentioned to you when we spoke about this I see remarkably little merit in Lord Buxton's arguments!

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