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PRIME MINISTER'S
PERSONAL MESSAGE
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My dear Prime Minister,

Many thanks for your letter of 11th December in which you brought me up to date on the Lancaster House Conference on Rhodesia and, in particular, on the matter of the cease-fire arrangements which were still outstanding when you wrote.

I have been very pleased to learn since that time that you have indeed been able to reach agreement with the Patriotic Front on the arrangements for the cease-fire, and that it has been possible to achieve a final signing.

I hope it will now be possible, in fact, to bring the long war to an end in that unhappy country, and that the detailed agreements, which have been patiently worked out, can be implemented as envisaged.

Please be assured that you can count on my continued support.

Yours sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to be 'Manley'.

Michael Manley.

The Rt. Honourable Mrs. Margaret Thatcher,
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10 Downing Street,
LONDON.