



Government Chief Whip
12 Downing Street, London SW1

R 15/6

12 June 1979

Peter Walker sent me a copy of his letter of 4 June to you about milk prices.

Whilst I am personally committed to the same view as Peter Walker takes you might like to know that we shall receive very strong pressure from within the Party if we embark on a course which appeared to be aimed at dismantling the powers of the Milk Marketing Board. I doubt if we could carry changes of that sort.

I am copying this letter to the recipients of Peter Walker's letter.

The Rt Hon Sir Geoffrey Howe QC MP
Chancellor of the Exchequer
HM Treasury
Parliament Street
SW1