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THE PRIME MINISTER

12 November 1982

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Thank you for your letter of 8 November.

I can only repeat that the Franks Committee was set up in July to examine the events leading up to the invasion of the Falkland Islands in April, and that it would not be right for me to reply to your Question before the Committee has reported. As you know, the House will have an opportunity to debate the Committee's Report.

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