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Dear Mr. President,

Thank you for your letter of 1 October 1979 about the Fourth Dakar International Trade Fair in 1980.

I am pleased that the British contribution to the "hird International Fair in 1978 was so much appreciated. I know that the various British companies who went to Dakar were very happy with the results of their visit. They were also greatly impressed by the excellent arrangements which make the Fair such a useful meeting place for the industrial and commercial interests of so many countries.

We are giving careful consideration to our participation in the Fourth International Fair, which I hope will be as successful as its forerunners. We look forward to receiving in due course the further information to which you refer in your letter.

Yours sincerely,

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His Excellency Monsieur Leopold Sedar Senghor, GCMG