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Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, PC, MP,
Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury,
10 Downing Street,
LONDON.
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Dear Mrs. Thatcher,

I am writing to thank you for being able to spare your time to talk to staff here at Cuerden Hall, during the very crowded programme of your visit to Central Lancashire.

We were pleased by your enthusiasm for the Corporation's work.

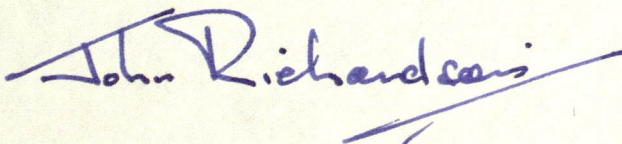
In answer to your question: "Don't you find it exciting?" Yes, this is exciting; even after ten years of working on the various projects, it is still exciting to see the seeds of ideas sown on the drawing boards grow and blossom into the New Villages, Industrial Estates and Urban Renewal Areas.

To achieve the results which you will have seen, the Corporation's Chairman, Sir Frank Pearson, has assembled the most cost effective Development Corporation in the Country. One cannot but consider how this unit could be used on a wider basis as an instrument of Government policy in other areas where development or refurbishment is required.

I know that I speak for the staff, when I tell you how pleased we are to be making a contribution to the Country's economic and social development.

Again I thank you for your courtesy and for the few moments of your time.

Yours sincerely,



J. RICHARDSON
Chairman