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1. ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT DIOUF WINS THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, THE PRIME MINISTER HAS AGREED THAT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE SHOULD BE SENT TO HIM AS SOON AFTER THE ELECTION AS CONVENIENT. BEGINS: I OFFER MY WARM CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR RE-ELECTION AS PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SENEGAL. YOUR SUCCESS IS WELCOME NEWS TO ALL THOSE WHO SUPPORT THE CAUSE OF PARLIAMENTARY DEMOCRACY. MY GOVERNMENT LOOKS FORWARD TO CONTINUING AND STRENGTHENING THE GOOD RELATIONS WHICH ALREADY EXIST WITH YOUR GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE. I WISH YOU EVERY SUCCESS IN THE IMPORTANT TALKS THAT LIES AHEAD OF YOU. MARGARET THATCHER. ENDS

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