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1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGES TO (1) MR OZAL AND (2) MR ULUSU FROM THE PRIME MINISTER:

1. 'MY DEAR PRIME MINISTER,
I SEND YOU MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR RECENT ELECTION VICTORY AND ON YOUR APPOINTMENT AS THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE TURKISH REPUBLIC.

I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE CLOSE AND FRIENDLY RELATIONS WHICH EXIST BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES WILL CONTINUE TO FLOURISH UNDER YOUR WISE ADMINISTRATION.

YOURS SINCERELY, MARGARET THATCHER'

2. 'YOUR EXCELLENCY,
AS YOU RELINQUISH THE OFFICE OF PRIME MINISTER WHICH YOU HAVE HELD WITH SUCH DISTINCTION SINCE 1980 I SHOULD LIKE TO OFFER YOU THE BEST WISHES OF HER MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT AND OF MYSELF FOR THE FUTURE.

YOURS SINCERELY, MARGARET THATCHER.'

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