



10 DOWNING STREET

PRIME MINISTER

The attached letter from Hugh Casson is self-explanatory. 27 May is right in the middle of the Whitsun Recess, and I think that Michael Alexander was going to suggest that you did an overseas trip then.

EJ.

18 January 1980

*Will do this.
Can't resist
the sketch
at the bottom
of the letter!
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Dear Prime Minister

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This is an invitation which I hope you will find both irresistible and possible to squeeze into what I know is a very overcrowded diary.

Our Banquet this year will be held on Tuesday, 27 May and it would do the Royal Academy great honour (and give me much personal pleasure) if you were able to attend and to also reply to the Toast of Her Majesty's Ministers.

Please try and come !

Hugh Casson

Sir Hugh Casson
President

The Rt. Hon. Mrs. Margaret Thatcher M.P.
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UNDER NEW
MANAGEMENT

Dear Prime Minister

I enclose a formal -
but very warm-hearted - invitation
for Tuesday May 15th.
So please come! Speeches
& atmosphere are relaxed, the
Company splendid &
it would be marvellous
to have you as a guest.
I know the next two weeks
will be a nightmare for you
- on top of an exhausting

election campaign —
but if you ever find
face it — and us
we would be
'delighted'.

My warmest good wishes
for your year ahead.

Sincerely
Tom Carter