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Dear Ralph.

I expect that you have been watching the effort to start a British Brookings here, or in Europe. It seems possible that the Social Science Research Council might devote public money to what would probably turn out to be another National Institute.

Go right ahead

Do you think that there might be justification in either a letter or a speech from me - after clearance from Margaret and Geoffrey - warning the Social Science Research Council that a Conservative Government might well not agree to continue to finance any such grant?

May I have your advice please?

Em. Keen

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Yes, and as soon as possible before it is too late.
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