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THE PRIME MINISTER

9 March, 1982.

Dear George,

I am sorry that Press reporting of plans for President Reagan's visit caused some concern in the House yesterday. I know that you have undertaken to make a statement on the suggestion that President Reagan might be invited to address members of both Houses of Parliament during his visit. You may know that I had some discussion about this with Michael Foot yesterday, and I thought it might be helpful if I were to send you a copy of a letter which I have written to him today.

If there are any further aspects of this question on which you would like further clarification from the Government, I am ready to do all I can to help.

Yours ever,

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The Rt. Hon. George Thomas, M.P.