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TRANSCRIPTION OF A MESSAGE RECEIVED BY TELEX FROM BOGOTA

Bogotá, 16th July 1982.

" The Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher, MP  
Prime Minister  
London

Dear Prime Minister,

My constitutional term of office as President of Colombia is coming to an end on 7th August.

I do not wish to relinquish my position without thanking you for the cooperation I have received both from yourself and from your Government in all matters of interest to Colombia.

Undoubtedly, the relations between our two countries are stronger than ever as these links have been further strengthened through the very cordial and positive welcome I was given when I visited your country and through our common effort in striving towards the same ideals in the international field.

As I thank you once again, I would like to wish you every personal success and to express my sincere desire that your country might continue to prosper.

Nydia would like to join me in conveying to you our high regard and sentiments of friendship.

Yours sincerely,

Julio César Turbay-Ayala  
President of the Republic of Colombia "