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I sent you a minute on 31 January (Ref. A084/351) about the possibility of terrorism being raised at the Economic Summit.

2. In the event this subject was not raised by anybody at the meeting of Personal Representatives last month; nor did it come up, I understand, during Vice-President Bush's visit. So this dog still lies asleep.

3. The Americans may of course raise the issue at the next meeting of Personal Representatives, in early April; or possibly at a meeting of experts to review the implementation of the Bonn and Venice declaration on hijacking and kidnapping which is due to take place on 12 and 13 April.

4. There remains outstanding the letter which President Reagan sent to the Prime Minister on 25 January, in the last paragraph of which he sought the Prime Minister's support for a multilateral approach to the critical issue of international and state-sponsored terrorist activity. The President's letter was itself a response to a letter which the Prime Minister sent him on 7 February, and I daresay that the Prime Minister will be content to send no further reply, at any rate for the time being.

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