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Prime Minister

Some interesting
points, which I have
underlined.

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Dear Private Secretary

I do not imagine for a moment that
the P.M. will want to read this paper on
South Africa and 'The Lobby'. It is an attempt
to analyse various influences outside South Africa,
which are distorting the political realities
inside South Africa.

I am sending it to a few people
whom I know personally, including Denis
Healey, Shirley Williams, and Ewen Ferguson
at the F.C.O., the latter, while not necessarily
agreeing with my views, knows at least
that I am not a crank! Mrs Thatcher may
recall my name: she appointed me Chairman
of the Business Education Council when she
was S. of S. Education.

I just wanted 'No 10' to be aware that
an attempt to analyse the 'Anti-Apartheid'

Lobby existed: and I rather hoped that
someone interested in South Africa might
glance through it.

I have greatly admired the P.M.'s
stance on sanctions. Having listened
over the past two or three years to many
different views, I now believe that the
only reasonable hope of a peaceful
solution to South Africa's problem lies in
Federalisation - in one form or another.

If I can expand on any point, I
will of course do so.

Yours sincerely

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