



Filed on:

10 DOWNING STREET LONDON SWIA 2AA

THE PRIME MINISTER

INTO PRIORITY TO SETHETOP 213 LTD 200

1 hor Albert.

25 May 1992

PRIME MINISTER'S PERSONAL MESSAGE SERIAL No. 113 192

The Irish Institute of Directors have renewed their invitation to me to deliver the key-note speech to their proposed Ireland cross-border trade conference at a time of my choosing.

You mentioned this possibility to me. I am keen to make a speech in Dublin when the time is right. However, I understand that the Institute need a commitment by their main speaker which will give them about six months to organise their conference. I cannot give this at the present time and I have, with regret, declined the invitation.

I suggest that we might still consider the idea of a speech on another platform. Perhaps we can do so when we are next planning for me to visit Dublin.