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(by jrw)

cc Gms O'Donnell

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SUPPLEMENTARIES

King/Lyons

Rev McCrea's claim that the Prime Minister said "that he and his Ministers were not in contact with Sinn Fein and the IRA"

Mr G Archer, MID

I was present when my Rt Hon Friend met the DUP on 24 November. I recall no such exchange. Our record shows no such exchange. But had my Rt Hon Friend been asked, he would have said - as he has said repeatedly - that Sinn Fein cannot enter the political arena or the process of negotiations about the future of Northern Ireland until it has renounced violence for good.

Dublin Summit

My Rt Hon Friend expects to meet the Taoiseach in December. Final arrangements have not yet been made.

(Signed)
D E S Blaharwick
H M AMBASSADOR

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