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I discussed the submission I put to the Minister on Friday with her this morning. The Minister is happy to proceed as recommended in the submission and is content that we should issue a press release on Thursday.

I would be grateful if you and Philip could liaise on the drafting of a suitable press release. As I have already mentioned to Philip, the Minister is not seeking to be interviewed on Thursday, but would be content to respond if a request is made - she will, however, have to confine her remarks to the basis on which she has initiated the inquiry and avoid being drawn any further on it.