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PRESS STATEMENT

John Hume and Gerry Adams met with representatives of the IRA leadership yesterday. There was a detailed and frank exchange of views Mr Hume and Mr Adams reiterated their commitment to restoring the peace process. They noted also the IRA's stated commitment to its republican objectives, their commitment to the resolution of the conflict and the IRA's acknowledgement that an inclusive negotiated settlement is required.

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