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From the Private Secretary

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I am writing to thank you for your letter of 28 July to the Prime Minister. He is currently away from the office taking a summer break, but I will show him your letter as soon as he returns and I am sure he will want to reply.

Meanwhile, thank you for your continued commitment to the path of dialogue. As you say, the Prime Minister is also fully committed to this and to doing all he can to make rapid progress in the negotiations.

JOHN HOLMES

His Eminence The Cardinal Archbishop of Armagh