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Mr. Speaker Speaker's House Westminster London SW1A 0AA

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Dear Mr. Speaker,

Thank you for your letter and enclosures of 28 April 2005.

Although I realise that this is an issue about which you feel deeply concerned, there is a strict requirement in the House of Commons that I remain politically impartial. Therefore, I cannot comment on the matters you raise.

However, I have placed a copy of your papers in the Library of the House of Commons and also sent your original papers to the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs who might be better able to deal with your request.

Yours sincerely

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