

As I noted above, Dr Kelly will have appeared earlier the same day before the ISC. I hope that you will bear this in mind and not detain him for longer than about the same period of time indicated by the ISC. As he is not used to this degree of public exposure, Dr Kelly has asked if he could be accompanied by a colleague. MOD officials will discuss this further with the Clerk

I should be grateful if you could confirm that you are content to proceed on this basis.

Yours sincerely
Peter Watt
(Private Secretary)

GEOFFREY HOON

Approved by the Defence
Secretary and signed in
his absence

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