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Thank you for your letter of 17th June.

The Prime Minister has no present plans to be in Italy during November.

There is to be a meeting of the European Council in Luxembourg on 1st and 2nd December. The Prime Minister will also be in Venice on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd of this month.

If there should be any change in the Prime Minister's plans, I will, of course, let you know.

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FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

*Dear Ian,*

The Foreign Affairs Committee of the Italian Parliament, under the Chairmanship of Signor Andreotti, proposes to visit the Select Committee on Foreign Affairs during the course of November.

I understand from the Italian Ambassador that the Prime Minister will be in Rome during the course of that month for her Heads of Government talks. Signor Andreotti would not wish to be away from Rome on that occasion. In order, therefore, to be able to fix a date for their visit, I write to ask whether it is yet known when the Prime Minister will be going? If she does not know precisely yet, would I be safe in making bookings for halls and interpreters some-time after 17th November?

*Yours ever*

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