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Dear Christine, Chris,

Thank you for your letter of 14 November.

While you say you are keen on talks in general, I am afraid your reply leaves me none the wiser as to whether you are willing to attend the actual programme of talks I have proposed. You imply that you may, but don't say whether you will.

My office is setting up these talks now. Can you confirm you will attend?

MICHAEL GOVE