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Thank you very much for your detailed response and for correcting my error in respect of the **[redacted]**

We will be shortly putting up advice and recommendations to our Ministers on British Government policy on the massacres ahead of the centenary in April 2015. I would be happy to share with you what our Ministers decide in due course.

I am copying this email to members of my team: **[redacted]**

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Hope you are well?

I am leading some work here in the FCO on British policy towards the Armenian massacres in 1915-16 and whether our government should change its policy and recognise the massacres as genocide.

Can I check the **[redacted]** government position. My understanding is that **[redacted]** does not recognise the Armenian massacres as genocide, **[redacted]** has passed a motion/bill on genocide recognition. Is this correct?

Many regards.

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