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cc Mr [Redacted]  
Mr [Redacted]  
Mr [Redacted]  
Mr [Redacted]

Mr Phillips

HOME OFFICE GUIDELINES FOR RUNNING A SPECIAL BRANCH

Thank you for your note of 9 August and its enclosures.

The work to which you refer on IND and the police rests with papers sent to Mr Andrew (and copied to Mr Hilary) by Mr [Redacted] on 1 September. From these you will see what IND proposes. Although Sir Kenneth Newman, Sir Philip Knights, and Mr Oxford are aware of our intention to bring forward some changes, we cannot do so until Ministers endorse the strategy.

If the strategy is approved, and negotiated to implementation, paragraph 16 of your draft guidelines will need substantial amendment, but not deletion. Until we are authorised to proceed, I think we shall have to leave the guidelines as they stand, although I see no harm in your saying to Mr Oxford that this is an area in which IND may wish to bring proposals to them, fairly soon.

[Redacted]

9 September 1983

HAYDEN PHILLIPS

[Redacted]

19/9/11

E.R.

cc Mr [redacted]  
Mr [redacted]

24/8/11

Mr [redacted] ~~to see r/bn pt.~~ 24/8

Mr Phillips

HOME OFFICE GUIDELINES FOR RUNNING A  
SPECIAL BRANCH

Thank you for the copy of Mr Pilling's note to you dated 9 August and the accompanying draft guidelines for running a Special Branch.

It is not clear from Mr Pilling's letter to Mr Oxford whether the meeting on 3 October is to be just with Merseyside Police or one of the ACPO committees. Anticipating that it will be the latter it might be important to try and fix our meeting for an earlier date. Should Mr [redacted] refer to the 3 October meeting in his note to Mr Andrew.

Mr [redacted]

[redacted]

22 August 1983

believe you have the papers on this; pl. may I see them?  
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Are there any earlier  
● papers, please?

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2 [REDACTED]  
There appears to be  
no earlier papers on  
the specific subject.

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Gunn  
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E.R.

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cc Mr  
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Mr [Redacted]

15/8

? any obs.

HP.  
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Mr Phillips

HOME OFFICE GUIDELINES FOR RUNNING A SPECIAL BRANCH

I enclose a copy of a letter that I have just sent to Ken Oxford and the enclosures to it.

I believe that work may be in progress on police involvement in enquiries on behalf of IND and should be grateful to know before 3 October anything which is relevant to the phrasing of the guidelines.

[Redacted Signature]

J G PILLING  
9 August 1983

F4 Division  
Queen Anne's Gate

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