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I think that David Hilary promised that in view of your experiences in connection with Mrs Haigh we would let you see the papers on the proposed Home Office guidelines on Special Branches intended to replace the ACPO terms of reference issued 12 or 13 years ago.

... I attach our first efforts at a draft and my covering letter which explains something of the background to the drafts, a short note of the meeting that we have so far held and the next version of the guidelines revised to take account of the discussion at the meeting and itself to be the subject of further discussion at a meeting on the afternoon of Thursday 3 November.

I need hardly say that we would be more than delighted to take any comments that you have on the drafts.

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