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LONG TERM CALENDAR OF FORTHCOMING EVENTS

I attach a copy of the 1st edition of the Long-Term Calendar of Forthcoming Events for 1984.

I would be grateful for details of any events that should be included in this calendar. It is hoped that an up-dated version will be produced monthly.

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LONG TERM

CALENDAR 1984

VERSION 1

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NOTE: Please let Keith Britto in the Press and Communications
Department have details of any events suitable for inclusion
in future editions of this calendar.

FEBRUARY 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

2-4 Feb Prime Minister's visit to Hungary
7-9 Feb EDG Group Meeting (London)
8 Feb Prime Minister speaks at Conservative Small Business Bureau Conference
13-17 Feb European Parliament Meeting
15 Feb Prime Minister at National Union Dinner
21 Feb Institute of Directors 35th Annual Convention opens
22 Feb Prime Minister meets President Pertini of Italy
24 Feb Prime Minister's visit to the West Midlands
28 Feb Labour PPB

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

2 Feb EEC Informal Meeting of Social Affairs Ministers
6-7 Feb EEC Agriculture Council
13 Feb EEC Finance Council
14 Feb EEC Energy Council
20-21 Feb EEC Foreign Affairs Council (Brussels)
28 Feb EEC Research and Development Councils

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

2 Feb Unemployment Figures (January)
6 Feb Producer Price Index
10 Feb Retail Price Index
14 Feb Index of Production (December)
15 Feb Average Earnings Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

2 Feb TUC Conference on shorter working week.
3-5 Feb Labour Party Local Government Conference (Nottingham)
7-19 Feb Winter Olympic Games (Sarajevo)
17-22 Feb Prime Minister Muldoon, New Zealand visits U.K.
21 Feb Nicaragua Council of State scheduled to announce timetable for elections.
21-24 Feb 7th European Information Technology and Automation Exhibition (London).
24 Feb TUC Youth Conference (Congress House)
28 Feb U.S. Presidential Election: Democratic Primary, New Hampshire.
29 Feb TUC General Council
29 Feb Labour Party National Executive Committee.

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

6-8 March EDG Group Meeting (London)
10 March Prime Minister attends Conservative Party Local Government Conference (London)
12-16 March European Parliament Meeting
13 March BUDGET DAY
21 March Conservative PPB
23-24 March Conservative Central Council Meeting (Birmingham)
28 March Labour PPB

2. EUROPEAN EVENT

1 March EEC Environment Council
5 March EEC Fisheries Council (Brussels)
12-13 March EEC Foreign Affairs, Finance and Agricultural Council
19 March EEC European Council (Brussels)
26-27 March EEC Agriculture Council

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

1 March Unemployment Figures (February)
12 March Producer Price Index
13 March Index of Production (January)
14 March Average Earnings Index
16 March Retail Price Index
29 March Unemployment Figures (March)

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

6 March Shrove Tuesday
7 March Ash Wednesday
7 March Daily Mail Ideal Home Exhibition (London) (to 1st April)
9 March GLC Women's Committee Concert at Festival Hall on the theme of SAVE IT.
10-14 March Scottish Labour Party Regional Council Meeting (Perth)
12 March Commonwealth Day
13 March US Presidential Election: Democrat Primaries in Massachusetts, Alabama, Florida, Georgia and Rhode Island.
15-16 March TUC Women's Conference (Torquay)
20 March US Presidential Election: Democratic primaries, Illinois.
21 March Secretary of State for Trade and Industry presents Export Award for Smaller Businesses.
22 March UNESCO one minute 'World Silence for Peace'
25 March British Summer time begins; clocks go forward.
25 March Presidential Elections, El Salvador
26-29 March Defend Local Democracy Week called by TUC (29 March Defend L.D. Day)
28 March Labour Party National Executive Committee
28 March TUC General Council

APRIL 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

2 April 2nd Anniversary of Argentine invasion of the Falkland Islands
2-7 April EDG Group Meeting (London)
5-7 April F.C.S. Conference (Loughborough) (P.M. speaks on 6th)
9-13 April European Parliament Meeting

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

2 April EEC Finance Council (Luxembourg)
3 April EEC Industry Council (Luxembourg)
5 April EEC Social Affairs Council (Luxembourg)
9-10 April EEC Agriculture Council (Luxembourg)
10 April EEC Ministerial Political Co-operation Meeting (Luxembourg)

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

9 April Producer Price Index
12 April Index of Production (February)
13 April Retail Prices Index
18 April Average Earnings Index
27 April Unemployment Figures (April)

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

1 April Commission of Racial Equality Code of Practice comes into effect
2 April National Association of Theatrical, Television and Kine Employees,
Bi-annual National Delegate Conference, (Guernsey)
2-8 April 71st Inter-Parliamentary Union Conference (Geneva)
3 April US Presidential Elections, Democrat primary (New York)
3-4 April NATO Nuclear Planning Group meets (Turkey)
4-5 April National Union of Insurance Workers Executive Conference, (Bournemouth)
6-9 April Joint Anglican/Catholic Units talks (Canterbury)
7 April TUC Northern Regional Council Annual Meeting (Civic Centre, Newcastle
upon Tyne)
7 April US Presidential Elections, Democrat primary Louisiana
10-13 April National Union of Journalists Annual Delegate Meeting (Loughborough
University)
14 April TUC West Midlands Regional Council Annual Meeting (Birmingham)
14-15 April Association of Cinematograph Television and Allied Technicians
Annual Conference
15 April Palm Sunday
15-16 April British Actors Equity Association, Annual General Meeting (London)
16-20 April Scottish TUC Annual Congress (Aberdeen)
18 April Independence Day Zimbabwe
20 April Good Friday
21-26 April National Union of Teachers, Annual Conference (Blackpool)
23- 27 April April National Association of Schoolmasters/Union of Women Teachers
Conference (Llandudno)

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23 April Easter Monday
23 April St George's Day
24 April US Presidential Election: Democrat primary Pennsylvania
28 April - Association of Professional, Executive, Clerical and Computer Staf,
1 May Annual Delegate Conference (Scarborough)
28 April TUC North West Regional Council Annual Meeting (Salford)
28 April TUC South West Regional Annual General Meeting (Salford)
29 April - Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers (Foundry Section)
1 May Annual Delegate Meeting (Blackpool)
29 April - Union of Shop, Distributive and Allied Workers Annual Delegate
2 May Meeting (Eastbourne)

MAY 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

1 May Labour PPB
2 May Conservative PPB
3 May LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS
4 May GOVERNMENT's 5th ANNIVERSARY
10-12 May Scottish Conservative Party Conference (Perth)
15-17 May EDG Group Meeting (Copenhagen)
16 May Prime Minister speaks at Annual Meeting of NSPCC
21 May 2nd Anniversary of British Forces landing at San Carlos
21-25 May European Parliament meeting
22-23 May Conservative Party Women's Conference (Barbican)
29 May Labour PPB

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

7-8 May EEC Agriculture Council
14-15 May EEC Foreign Affairs and Finance Council
17 May EEC Transport Council (Brussels)
21 May EEC Education Council
22 May EEC Energy Council (Brussels)
24 May EEC Fisheries Council
28-30 May EEC Informal Meeting of Agriculture Ministers

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

8 May Producer Price Index
16 May Average Earnings Index
17 May Index of Production (March)
18 May Retail Prices Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

1 May Christian Heritage Year begins
1 May May Day celebrations - Red Square Parade (Moscow)
1 May US Presidential Election: Democrat primaries, Washington and Tennessee.
2 May International Garden Festival opens (Liverpool) (to 14th Oct)
3 May Pope begins visit to South Korea (to 7th May)
3-5 May Wales TUC Annual Conference (Llandudno)
5 May Anniversary of death of Bobby Sands, hunger strike.
7 May May Day holiday
8 May World Red Cross Day
11 May Scheduled start of English Rugby tour of South Africa
12-14 May Association of Broadcasting and Allied Staffs Annual Delegate
Conference, (Blackpool)
13-17 May National Union of Public Employees National Conference (Bournemouth)
13-18 May Society of Graphical and Allied Trades '82, Biennial Delegate Council
Bournemouth
13-18 May Union of Communication Workers Annual Conference (Blackpool)
14-17 May Institution of Professional Civil Servants Annual Delegate Conference,
Harrogate
14-18 May Electrical, Electronic, Telecommunication and Plumbing Union National
Industry Centre (Scarborough)
14-18 May Society of Civil and Public Servants, Annual Conference (Blackpool)
15 May US Presidential Elections: Democrat Primaries in Nebraska and Oregon.

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15-17 May Inland Revenue Staff Federation (Annual Delegate Conference (Blackpool))
15-18 May The Fire Brigades Union, Annual Conference, Bridlington
16 May European Cup-winners Cup Final (Basle)
16-25 May National Union of Seamen, General Meeting (Guernsey)
17 May Association of First Division Civil Servants Annual Delegate Conference,
(London)
17-19 May Association of University Teachers Council (Manchester)
18 May Association of H.M. Inspectors of Taxes (Association of First Division
Civil Servants) Annual General Meeting (London)
19 May FA Cup Final, Wembley
20-23 May Banking Insurance and Finance Union Annual Delegate Conference (Blackpool)
22-25 May Chelsea Flower Show
24 May Scheduled date for Presidential Election, Bangladesh.
25 May West German Presidential Election
26-28 May National Association of Teachers in Further and Higher Education Annual
Conference, Birmingham
28 May May Bank Holiday
29 May European Cup Final (Rome)
29 May Labour Party NEC.

JUNE 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

6 June Conservative PPB
7-9 June Economic Summit (London, Heads of State of major industrial countries).
12 June Conservative PPB
14 June DIRECT ELECTIONS TO EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT
14 June 2nd Anniversary of Argentine surrender, Port Stanley
22-23 June Welsh Conservative Party Conference opens (Porthcawl)
(Prime Minister speaks 23rd)

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

4 June EEC Finance and Agriculture Councils (Luxembourg)
5 June EEC Consumer Affairs Council (Luxembourg)
7 June EEC Social Affairs Council (Luxembourg)
18 June EEC Foreign Affairs Council (Luxembourg)
25-26 June EEC EUROPEAN COUNCIL
28 June EEC Environment Council (Luxembourg)
30 June EEC French Presidency of European Council ends.

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

1 June Unemployment figures (May)
11 June Producer Price Index
15 June Retail Prices Index
15 June Index of Production
20 June Average Earnings Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

2 June Observer Transatlantic Boat Race starts
2-6 June Bakers, Food and Allied Workers' Union Annual Delegate Conference
Bridlington
2-8 June Isle of Man T T motor-cycle races begin
3-7 June General, Municipal, Boiler-Makers and Allied Trades Union (Torquay)
4 June British Amateur Golf Championship begins (Formby)
4-8 June Post Office Engineering Union, Annual Conference (Blackpool)
4-8 June Union of Construction, Allied Trades and Techniques Conference (Southport)
5 June US Presidential Election: Democrat primaries in California,
New Jersey, New Mexico, South Dakota and West Virginia.
5-13 June Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Fireman Annual Assembly
of Delegates (Hampstead, London NW3)
6 June The Derby

6-27 June International Labour Organisation Annual Conference (Southport)

7-9 June Association of Government Supervisors and Radio Officers Division
of The Institution of Professional Civil Servants National Conference
(Harrogate)

9 June The Oaks (Epsom)

9-12 June Association of Scientific, Technical and Managerial Staffs Annual
Conference (Blackpool)

9-16 June National and Local Government Officers Association Annual Conference
(Brighton)

10-13 June Furniture, Timber and Allied Trades Union Biennial Conference (The
Pavilion Ballroom, Bournemouth).

11-15 June Society of Telecom Executives Annual Conference (Eastbourne)

12-27 June European Nations Football Championship Finals, France

14 June First Test Match: England v West Indies (Edgbaston)

15 June World Childrens Day

16 June The Queen's Official Birthday

16 June Publication of Birthday Honours List

16 June The Trooping the Colour

17-22 June National Graphical Association (1982) Biennial Delegate Conference
(Scarborough)

18-22 June The Iron Trade and Steel Trades Confederation, Annual Delegate
Conference, (Scarborough)

19-22 June Royal Ascot

21 June Prince William's birthday

25 June Wimbledon Tennis Championship (to 8th July)

25-29 June Confederation of Health Service Employees Annual Conference, (Blackpool)

25 June - National Union of Railwaymen Annual General Meeting (Llandudno)

6 July

26-28 June Confederation of Shipbuilding and Engineering Unions Annual Conference
(Llandudno)

27 June TUC General Council

27 June Labour Party NEC

28 June Henley Royal Regatta beings (to 1st July)

28 June 2nd Test Match (Lords)

JULY 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

24-27 July European Parliament meets
27 July 5th Anniversary of the Assassination of Lord Mountbatten of Burma

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

1 July Republic of Ireland assumes Presidency of the European Council

3 ECONOMIC STATISTICS

5 July Unemployment (June)
9 July Producer Price Index
13 July Retail Prices Index
13 July Index of Production
18 July Average Earnings Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

2-6 July National Union Mineworkers Annual Conference (Tenby)
3-6 July Royal Agricultural Show
4 July Independence Day, U.S.A.
11-28 July Royal Tournament
12 July Third Test Match (Headingley)
16-20 July US Presidential Election: Democrat Convention (San Fransisco)
19-22 July Open Golf Championship
25 July Sri Lanka U.K. Cricket tour begins
25 July TUC General Council
25 July Labour Party NEC
26 July 4th Test Match England v West Indies (Old Trafford)
28 July 1984 Olympic Games begin, Los Angeles, USA
31 July Goodwood Week (4th August)

AUGUST 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTERESTS

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

2 August	Unemployment Figures (July)
6 August	Producer Price Index
13 August	Index of Production (June)
15 August	Average Earnings Index
17 August	Retail Prices Index
31 August	Unemployment figures (August)

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

4 August	The Queen Mother's birthday (84)
4-12 August	Cowes Week (Isle of Wight)
9 August	5th Test Match (England v West Indies) (Oval)
10 August	Edinburgh Military Tattoo begins (1st September)
10 August	Grouse Shooting season begins
19 August	Edinburgh International Festival begins
19 August	Last day of 1984 Olympic Games (Los Angeles)
20-23 August	US Presidential Election: Republican convention (Dallas)
23 August	England v Sri Lanka Test Match (Lords)
27 August	Bank Holiday
29 August	TUC General Council
29 August	Labour Party NEC

SEPTEMBER 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

3-7 Sept TUC ANNUAL CONFERENCE (BRIGHTON)
10-14 Sept European Parliament Meeting
17-22 Sept LIBERAL PARTY CONFERENCE (BOURNEMOUTH)

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

10 Sept Producer Price Index
13 Sept Index of Production (July)
14 Sept Retail Prices Index
19 Sept Average Earnings Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

1 Sept Nat-West 1 day cricket competition final (Lords)
3-9 Sept Farnborough International Air-Show and Flying display
26 Sept TUC General Council
26 Sept Labour Party NEC
27 Sept Jewish New Year begins

OCTOBER 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

1-5 Oct LABOUR PARTY CONFERENCE (BLACKPOOL)
8-12 Oct European Parliament meets
9-12 Oct CONSERVATIVE PARTY CONFERENCE (BRIGHTON) (Prime Minister speaks on 12th)
22-26 Oct European Parliament meets

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

4 Oct Unemployment figures (September)
8 Oct Producer Price Index
12 Oct Retail Prices Index
15 Oct Index of Production (August)
17 Oct Average Earnings Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

6 Oct Jewish Day of Attonement (Yom Kippur)
23-26 Oct President Mitterand - State visit to U.K.
24 Oct United Nations Day
31 Oct TUC General Council
31 Oct Labour Party NEC

NOVEMBER 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

4-5 Nov CBI Annual Conference (Eastbourne)
6 Nov US Presidential Election
12 Nov Prime Minister's speech at Lord Mayor's Banquet, Guildhall
12-16 Nov European Parliament meets

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

27-29 Nov Third Annual Meeting at North-end Atlantic Fisheries Commission (London)

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

1 Nov Unemployment figures (October)
5 Nov Producer Price Index
12 Nov Index of Production
14 Nov Average Earnings Index
16 Nov Retail Prices Index
29 Nov Unemployment figures (November)

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

10 Nov Lord Mayor's Procession (London)
11 Nov Remembrance Day
22 Nov Thanksgiving Day, USA
28 Nov TUC General Council
28 Nov Labour Party NEC

DECEMBER 1984

1. KEY EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

10-14 Dec European Parliament meets

2. EUROPEAN EVENTS

3. ECONOMIC STATISTICS

10 Dec Producer Price Index
13 Dec Index of Production
14 Dec Retail Price Index
19 Dec Average Earnings Index

4. OTHER EVENTS OF POLITICAL INTEREST

7-8 Dec Soviet Union celebrates 67th Anniversary of October Revolution
19 Dec TUC General Council
19 Dec Labour Party NEC
20-22 Dec Association of University Teachers Council (venue unfixed)
27 Dec 5th Anniversary of Soviet Invasion of Afghanistan
31 Dec New Year Honours list published.