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EXCHANGE OF MESSAGES WITH QUEEN MOTHER

The following is an exchange of messages between the Prime Minister, Mr. Harold Holt, and Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother prior to Her Majesty's departure from London for Australia on Friday, 18th March :-

From the Prime Minister to Her Majesty -

"I send to your Majesty greetings on behalf of the Government and people. We are looking forward to your visit and hope your journey will be happy and comfortable."

From Her Majesty to the Prime Minister -

"Thank you for your kind message which I deeply appreciate.

I am eagerly looking forward to my visit and it will be a source of great happiness to me to be in Australia once again."

CANBERRA,
20th March, 1966