



PRIME MINISTER

FOR MEDIA

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DAVID BARNETT, O.B.E.

It is with regret that I announce the resignation of my Press Secretary, David Barnett, as from the end of this month.

David was my first permanent staff member, joining me a few days after I became Leader of the Parliamentary Liberal Party in 1975.

He has given me and the Government loyal and unstinting service. The position of Press Secretary has been extremely demanding and I am grateful for what he has done. I have greatly valued David's skills and dedication.

I wish to record my sincere appreciation for his seven years of loyal service, and I wish him every success for the future.

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