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**PRIME MINISTER**

FOR MEDIA

12 JUNE 1987

I have sent the following message to Prime Minister Thatcher:

"Your electoral victory today is indeed historic. May I congratulate you on behalf of the Australian Government and people, and offer every good wish for your next term. I look forward to working with you again on issues of concern to both our countries, linked as we are by the two centuries of our history you are joining us in celebrating in 1988."