

Santiago, 14 May 1979

Dear Mrs. Thatcher.

It has given us intense happiness to learn of the great electoral triumph which has led you to the post of Prime Minister of Great Britain, responsibility which for the first time has befallen onto a woman.

I wish to express our best wishes of success in your governing functions and of happiness to you personally.

I trust that your management will permit the maintenance of the link between your country and the Chilean democrats and will increase the solidarity with us who fight to recuperate the democratic regime in our homeland.

With my esteem of always, I remain,

Yours cordially,

Patricio Aylwin
Former President
Democracia Cristiana de Chile

Mrs. Margaret Thatcher
Prime Minister of
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