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2nd March, 1964.

Dear Mr. Pratt,

I am bidden by Princess Margaret to write and thank you very sincerely for your letter of the 20th February.

Her Royal Highness was most interested to hear about your proposal to appoint Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kennedy Vice-Presidents of the Society, and The Princess is delighted to agree with your suggestion.

Princess Margaret is also very happy that both Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy should be awarded the Gold Badge for their most valuable services to the Society, and I am to tell you that The Princess would like to present these herself on some suitable occasion. I know that you will get in touch with me to suggest a date, and the matter should of course remain confidential for the time being - except to the Kennedys themselves!

Finally I am to thank all your Members for their very kind message of good wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Lady-in-Waiting

Jane Aldan.

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