THE ANGLO-CATALAN SOCIETY

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EXTRADRDINARY MEETING

Members of the Society will recall that our hope that the President de la Generalitat de Catalunya would address the Society in November last year was frustrated for a number of reasons that were explained to the Society by Prof Ettinghausen at the AGM in November 1987. Since then Sr Pujol has written to me to tell me of his great regret that he could not accept this Society's invitation on that occasion, and he has expressed his desire to keep his promise to us by coming to London this winter expressly to speak to the Society. As I played a part in the original invitation to Sr Pujol, your Committee has asked me to continue with the negotiations and arrangements for the presently proposed visit (that I had in hand before my resignation from the Treasurership of the Society last September); and so I am pleased to inform you that:

There will be an extraordinary meeting of the Society on Saturday, 10th December, 1988, at which the Molt Honorable Sr Jordi Pujol, President de la Generalitat de Catalunya, will address the Society.

The event will be preceded by a buffet luncheon, which the President will attend, to be held in the Robinson Room, 3rd floor, Main Building, The London School of Economics, Houghton Street, London WC2A 2AE. The lunch will begin at 1.00 pm; the President is expected to arrive at about 12.45; pre-lunch drinks will be available from 12.30. The cost will be £12.00 per person to include a threecourse buffet luncheon, with wine and coffee, and tea and biscuits at the end of the meeting (but not pre-lunch drinks). Unfortunately the accommodation will be limited to 70 places, and it will therefore be necessary to give priority of booking for the event to the first members (and their guests) who reply to this circular to a total of 70. If demand exceeds this number a waiting list will be established to take up any cancellations that may occur. Because the limitation of space applies to the accommodation both for the luncheon and for the President's address, it is regretted that bookings from members to attend the address but not the luncheon cannot be accepted. Please therefore return to me completed the enclosed form, accompanied by payment in full, as soon as possible, but in any case to reach me not later than MONDAY, 28th NOVEMBER (after which date non-members will be offered any remaining places).

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