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PS/Secretary of State

EXPLOSION AT HOME OF SIR KENNETH BLOOMFIELD

The Secretary of State will have heard of the explosion at the home of Sir Kenneth Bloomfield this morning.

Mr Wood has been speaking to Sir Kenneth following the attack and this note is intended to bring the Secretary of State up to date with the latest position.

1. Sir Kenneth and his family have been released from hospital

2. According to police at the scene there were 4 devices, 2 of which exploded. It is estimated that both of these devices consisted of 20 lbs of Semtex. A third device, also of 20 lbs of Semtex was defused and a fourth is being worked on at the moment.

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