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Subject: Cairn

Dickie - [S40-Personal information] briefed me over dinner on the problems with their sale to Vedanta. Cairn basically want the Indian system gently nudged to unstick the deal - [S27-Prejudice to international relations]. I know you have been closely in the loop; would you support? Bill G seems to have got it into his head that he needs a mtg with Jeremy Heyward to achieve this; in fact it would be rather easy to feed in a company originated draft that we cd polish. Grateful your advice. Rgds [S40-Personal information]