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Dow Constituent,

Thank you for contacting me about leadership elections.

There is no provision for the Government to legislate on how political parties must conduct their own leadership elections. An individual can only vote for their local MP in a general election. The party that wins the most seats in a general election will usually form the new government, whose leader will then be appointed Prime Minister. The prime minister will serve for as long as they hold the confidence of their colleagues and the House of Commons.

I am happy with the existing arrangements and I do not believe there is any need to change them at this time.

Yours faithfully,

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