

Dear Barry-Walsh,

Sorry. It's almost certain that I shall not be in London on the 19th, so cannot do the Croydon meeting unless by a fluke. Since I take it Dunphy would rather not rely on flukes he will have to have someone else.

If I'm in town on the date named I'll turn up and talk, but that's the best I can promise.

Yours sincerely,

Jim Phelan.