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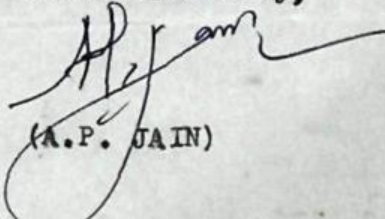
My dear Mr Masani:

So, devaluation of rupee has finally come inspite of all the opposition of Mr T.T. Krishnamachari, Mr Sachin Choudhury and Shri Asoka Mehta. Both yourself and Shri Dandekar had been pleading about it for several months past, but the Government, however, would not see reasons unless they got the virtual ultimatum from the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank. I do not think we need give any notice to call for a discussion on this subject, as the Government itself is going to bring forward a Motion.

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You must have read in the papers that the Prime Minister has called a meeting of the Opposition Leaders and Senior members of Parliament to discuss the decision of the Government of India in regard to the devaluation. Telegrams, I understand from the Prime Minister's Secretariate, have already been sent to all the Leaders requesting them to indicate their convenience as to when they or their representatives can come to Delhi to attend the proposed meeting. Most probably, this meeting is likely to take place sometime by the end of this week or the beginning of the next week. In case Prof Ranga does not find it convenient to attending this meeting, I can convey to the Prime Minister's Secretariate your name^{and} suggesting them to send an invitation to you. I have sent a letter to Prof Ranga also and await for your reply and also that of Prof Ranga in this regard.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,



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