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Home Office,
Whitehall,
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29th July, 1913.

Dear Madam,

Sir Edward Troup has asked me to reply to your letter of the 27th instant, and to inform you that the Secretary of State has to-day ordered the temporary discharge of Mrs. Wyan from Holloway Prison under the Prisoners (Temporary Discharge for Ill-health) Act. The period of her temporary discharge is one week, viz., until Wednesday, the 6th of August, but Sir Edward Troup is sure that the Secretary of State will be quite ready to extend this period if application is made on the ground that the state of Mrs. Wyan's health requires it.

He also desires me to add that the Secretary of State is prepared to advise the remission of the remainder of Mrs. Wyan's sentence if he receives an assurance/

These words admit the power of the Home Secretary to advise the remission of the sentence.

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assurance that she will in future abstain from
illegal acts.

Yours faithfully,

J. Z. Boylan

Mrs. Elizabeth Wilks, M.D.