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THE QUEEN'S DEPARTURE FOR

LISBON

A B.E.A. Viscount airliner waits on the tarmac of London Airport to take the Queen to Portugal for her State visit. The Prime Minister and the Airport Commandant, Mr. Jeffs, escort her to the aircraft.

A farewell handshake for B.E.A. chairman Lord Douglas and the Airport Commandant. For Her Majesty, this is not only a State occasion; the Duke of Edinburgh is waiting at Montijo Airport, near Lisbon, to meet her after four months apart. The Duke's Commonwealth tour has been the longest separation of their married life - and the Royal Standard can seldom have marked the beginning of a happier flight.

God speed to the Queen on her double mission - of private reunion and international good-will.