

## Dr Bibó's Release Again Urged

(telegram, with others)

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TO JÁNOS KÁDÁR<sup>1</sup>

## 22 February 1962 [telegram]

Scholars and scientists in Britain are grieved by news of failing health of eminent legal historian István Bibó imprisoned since early 1957. May we point out to your excellency that his early release would contribute to establishing friendly links between Western

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 1912–89; Chairman, Council of Ministers, People's Republic of Hungary, 1961–5. Bibó was released in the 1963 amnesty.

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and Hungarian intellectuals and would be greatly appreciated by peace-loving people all over the world.

A. J. Ayer, Isaiah Berlin, Maurice Cranston, Max Gluckmann, Julian Huxley, A. L. P. Norrington, Bertrand Russell, Hugh Seton-Watson, Leonard Schapiro, T. S. Simey, Richard Titmuss, C. V. Wedgwood, Elizabeth Wiskemann

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