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Ben joined the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office in 2009. He was appointed Deputy British High Commissioner to Cyprus in September 2020, following temporary deployments as Deputy Ambassador to Tunisia and Morocco. Ben has previously been posted to Peru, where he led the Economic & Sustainable Development Team.

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