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landmines. The result was a severe embarrassment for the government. To try and limit the damage, the Foreign Secretary, Malcolm Rifkind, claimed that the Princess 's views on landmines were not very different from government policy, and that it was “ working towards ” a worldwide ban. The Defense Secretary, Michael Portillo, claimed the matter was “ a misinterpretation or misunderstanding. ” For the Princess, the trip to this war-torn country was an excellent opportunity to use her popularity to show the world how much destruction and suffering landmines can cause. She said that the experience had also given her the chance to get closer to people and their problems. 1. 100Test 下载频道开通，各类考试题目直接下载。详细请访问 [www.100test.com](http://www.100test.com)