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From: Mac Eoin

Date: 4 Sep 61

No: ONUC 5113

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Reur 5950. We are informed by Civilian Ops that UNESCO has at present only 52 teachers in the Congo and this number is far from being sufficient for the actual needs of the country. We do not see how it would be possible to release any for teaching duties at Kamina, even if this were otherwise acceptable.

However, the Consultative Group discussed the question of training for Army officers. It was felt that the Specialized Agencies of the UN would be precluded by their constitutions and/or traditions from assisting in this training as such and that it should be undertaken by the UN itself, even in subjects normally recognized as being within the competence of a Specialized Agency.

The UNESCO representative thinks however that UNESCO HQ in Paris would be ready to provide the UN with addresses of recruitment sources for the training to be given in academic subjects.

~~It appears to us that we will have to depend mainly on military school teachers from certain countries in order to give the necessary training in the academic subjects in the UN training school.~~

cc Dr. LINNER.  
Mr. Poissacough

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To : MACFARQUHAR NEW YORK  
 From : KHIARI LEOPOLDVILLE  
 Date : 4 September 1961  
 No. : ONUC 5112

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N.Y. 6187  
 N.Y. 6069

Votre 6069. Suite à notre A-1992. Frasca sera absent  
 du 15 septembre au 9 octobre. Hautement désirable votre voyage  
 s'effectue avant son départ.



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To : Hamilton, Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 2 September 61  
No. : 5100

N.Y. 6184

Reur 6070. I have discussed assignment of Syrov and Habal with Linner. He cleared both of them with reference to their nationalities but did not have an opportunity to go into their background and experience. However in view of arrangements already made by you we agree that their assignments be proceeded with.

Cruise O'Brien has advised that Tombelaine does not wish to remain here beyond 15 September and has again urged that we assign Fulcheri to replace him. We cannot accept this request as Fulcheri has recently been put in charge of newly created unit for Civilian Operations personnel in addition to his functions as Deputy to Naomi. At this critical juncture we cannot also afford to leave O'Brien without Deputy and request your most immediate action in assigning suitable officer who could either replace Fulcheri at Headquarters or replace Tombelaine at E'ville.

Erian whom we had considered for Kamina declined to accept assignment either there or at Kitona and finally pleaded with me to retain him at Leopoldville. I have therefore temporarily assigned him to work with Boscovic, Member, Consultative Group, for Transport and Communications and will consider his retention with ONUC upon receiving report from Boscovic after a few weeks. Meantime Gavraay, Director MOC at Kamina has been requested to take over additional function of Base Administrator on Acting basis.

cc: Mr. R.J.B. Rossborough  
Miss N. Osborne

cc Mr. Linner



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CONTINGENTS BY COUNTRY AS OF 1 SEP 2000 & AS FOLLOWS STOP ARGENTINE  
AIR PERS 24 CMA AUSTRIA STAFF PERS 1 ADM UNITS 45 TOTAL 46 CMA  
BRAZIL STAFF PERS 3 AIR PERS 32 TOTAL 35 CMA CANADA STAFF PERS 16  
AIR PERS 6 ADM UNITS 234 TOTAL 256 CMA CEYLON STAFF PERS 8 CMA DENMARK  
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9 AIR PERS 1 COMBAT UNITS 3067 TOTAL 3077 CMA GHANA STAFF PERS 2  
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1139 TOTAL 1298 CMA TUNISIA COMBAT UNITS 4 STOP TOTAL STRENGTH 16844  
STOP ENDS

CC Special Rep to Sec Gen  
Chief of Staff  
Chief of Operations

Colonel

CHIEF OF STAFF

Deputy Force Commander  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
Military Information

T. O. R.

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BY :

Drafted by :

Authorized : Col HAJERBOY  
GEN MAC BOIN

Date : 2 Sep 61



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To : Nwokedi, New York  
From : Rossborough, Leopoldville  
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REFERENCE YOUR 6005 AND SECCIN 3009 TO LINNER STOP FOLLOWING FROM  
FRASCA STOP PRIMO I ASSUME IT IS INTENDED TO CREDIT WHATEVER INTERESTS  
EARNED ON FUNDS PLACED WITH IRVING TRUST TO MONETARY COUNCIL'S ACCOUNT  
BUT PLEASE CONFIRM STOP SECUNDO ARE YOU IN A POSITION TO STATE HOW  
FUND WILL BE PLACED I.E. TIME DEPOSIT BANKERS ACCEPTANCES OR OTHERWISE  
QUERY STOP I MUST BE READY TO ANSWER IF GOVERNMENT ASKS ME STOP SINCE  
MINISTER FINANCE IS ABSENT CAN NOT FORESEE DATE WE SHALL RECEIVE DESIRED  
APPROVAL STOP RE. IMPORTS USA ORIGIN ALL I CAN SAY IS THAT WITHIN  
FRAMEWORK OF IMF LIST SHALL CONSIDER PRIORITIES CONSISTING OF MACHINERY CMA  
SPARE PARTS CMA TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT CMA PHARMACEUTICALS  
AND CHEMICALS CMA READY MADE CLOTHING CMA MAYBE TEXTILES STOP & END

Pl. return 2 copies of this cable to Room N° 231. Thanks.

*cc 17*  
*cc Mr. Linner*



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FIELDSEV YOUR 6031 SENIOR MEDICAL STAFF OFFICER  
 DISAPPOINTED TO LEARN THAT A TARGETDATE OF 1ST OCTOBER  
 1961 IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE EARLIEST ARRIVALDATE OF  
 REQUISITIONED MEDICAL SUPPLIES INSTEAD OF THE LATEST  
 DATE STOP BBB SMSO HAS NO OBJECTIONS AGAINST THE  
 PROPOSED REDUCTIONS CMA WITH THE FOLLOWING EXCEPTIONS  
 CMA DUE TO SHORTAGE ITEM 7 AND 8 CMA REQ LEO/1-5699  
 SHOULD NOT BE REDUCED CMA ITEM 16 AND 17 CMA  
 REQ LEO/1-5700 SHOULD NOT BE REDUCED CMA ITEM 21 CMA  
 REQ LEO/1-5553 TO BE REDUCED BY 400 TO 600 CMA  
 ITEM 30 CMA REQ LEO/1-5947 TO BE REDUCED BY 380 TO  
 620 STOP CCG SMSO DOES NOT UNDERSTAND WHAT IS MEANT  
 BY A FURTHER REDUCTION OF BANDAGES CMA REQ LEO/1-5553  
 CMA REQ LEO/1-5700 AND REQ LEO/1-5944 CMA TO OFFSET  
 PACKAGING QUANTITIES STOP NEITHER UNDERSTANDS THE STATED  
 EXAMPLE STOP GRATEFUL FOR YOUR CLARIFICATION

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T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY :

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Drafted by : R. Bernard

Authorized : Procurement

Date : 1 September 1961



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ONUC \_\_\_\_\_ 01 SEP 61 STOP BUNCHE RIKHYE INFOE VAUGHAN FROM  
 MORRISON STOP RECENTLY ISSUED ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NUMBER 183 BY CHIEF ADMIN  
 OFFICER HAS REDUCED FOOD ALLOWANCE FOR AIR FORCE PERSONNEL AT NDJILI AND ON  
 DETACHMENT TO 125 CF PER DAY EFFECTIVE 01 SEP 61 STOP AS YOU ARE AWARE CMA MESSES  
 ARE NOT REPEAT NOT AVAILABLE FOR NDJILI PERSONNEL NOR ARE THE ARMY MESS HOURS AT  
 MOST DETACHMENTS ~~INCOMPATIBLE~~ COMPATIBLE WITH THE BEFORE DAWN TO AFTER SUNSET WORK  
 REQUIREMENTS ~~INCOMPATIBLE~~ OF THE AIR FORCE STOP THE REDUCTION FROM 300 CF TO 125 CF  
 IS NOT ADEQUATE AND HAS CREATED A SITUATION WHEREIN AIRCREW AND MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL  
 WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PROVIDE THEMSELVES WITH PROPER NOURISHMENT STOP THE OBVIOUS  
 RESULTS YOU WILL APPRECIATE CLN LOWERING OF HEALTH STANDARDS AND MORALE WITH  
 THE OVERALL EFFECT OF REDUCING THE WORK OUTPUT TO AN UNACCEPTABLY LOW STANDARD STOP  
 EVERY EFFORT OVER THE PAST TWO MONTHS HAS BEEN BENT TOWARDS INCREASING THE  
 EFFECTIVENESS OF THE AIRLIFT WITH SOME CONSIDERABLE SUCCESS STOP IF THE ABOVE  
 MENTIONED INSTRUCTION IS ALLOWED TO REMAIN IN EFFECT CMA THE UPWARD TREND WILL  
 BE QUICKLY REVERSED AND IN MY FIRM OPINION WILL PLUMMET TO A NEW LOW STOP EYE WOULD  
 SUBMIT TO YOU THAT THIS IS THE WRONG METHOD TO ACHIEVE ECONOMY IN AN ORGANIZATION  
 THAT IS EQUIPPED WITH EXPENSIVE MACHINERY WHICH CAN ONLY BE CONSIDERED ECONOMICAL  
 WHEN OPERATED AT A HIGH UTILIZATION RATE STOP EYE WOULD THEREFORE REQUEST THAT YOU  
 GIVE FULL CONSIDERATION TO RESCINDING THE APPLICATION OF THIS ORDER INSOFAR AS IT  
 CONCERNS AIR FORCE PERSONNEL OR IF UNABLE FOR REASONS BEYOND MY UNDERSTANDING CMA

Imp. Sarfat 10085

T. O. R.

BY :

T. O. D.

Drafted by : A/C Morrison

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~~thatxxx~~ THAT ACTION BE TAKEN TO DISPOSE OF ALL C47 CMA HELICOPTERS CMA LIGHT AIRCRAFT AND C119 AIRCRAFT FROM THIS FORCE STOP ALTHOUGH THE LATTER ALTERNATIVE MAY APPEAR DRASTIC CMA EYE BELIEVE IT TO BE JUSTIFIED FINANCIALLY BECAUSE TO KEEP THESE AIRCRAFT IN OPERATION UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES OF SEVERALY REDUCED PRODUCTIVITY WILL CREATE AN ECONOMIC WHITE ELEPHANT STOP PLEASE TREAT THIS MATTER AS URGENT STOP EYE HAVE TAKEN THE LIBERTY OF DESPATCHING THIS SIGNAL PERSONALLY BECAUSE OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THE SUBJECT MATTER AND THE ABSENCE OF THE FORCE COMMANDER FROM LEO STOP

PARA 2

EYE WOULD POINT OUT THAT IT IS ONLY TWO WEEKS AGO THAT THE CHIEF ADMIN OFFICER AND EYE AGREED IN PRINCIPLE THAT AIR FORCE PERSONNEL MUST BE PROVIDED WITH PROPER FOOD OR ADEQUATE ALLOWANCES IN LIEU STOP BASED ON THIS AGREEMENT CMA HE DESPATCHED A SIGNAL ON 18 AUG TO ALL DETACHMENTS AUTHORIZING REINSTATEMENT OF 300 CR ALLOWANCES WHEREVER JUSTIFIED AS A RESULT OF INADEQUATE MESSING FACILITIES STOP

PARA 3

NEW SUBJECT STOP EYE HAVE COMPLETED DETAILED STUDY OF AIRCRAFT REQUIREMENTS WHICH WILL BE FORWARDED AS SOON AS EYE HAVE CLEARED THROUGH FORCE COMMANDER STOP MY PROPOSED REDUCTIONS ARE SIGNIFICANT IN BOTH THE ONUC OPERATED AND CHARTER AIRCRAFT AREAS STOP REDUCTIONS IN ONUC AIRCRAFT WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY APPROPRIATE PERSONNEL ESTABLISHMENT REDUCTIONS STOP THIS IS INTERIM REPLY TO SIGNAL 5999 FIELD

T. O. R.

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SERVICE DATED 29 ~~SEP~~ AUG STOPcc: Force Commander  
CAO  
Air Commander

Imp. Sarfati 10085

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Drafted by : A/C Morrison

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To : Fieldserv and Bunche  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 30 August 61  
No. : *owvc 5047*

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*OK*

*you*

*W.Y. 6082*

Secretary General has approved short leave for Mac Eoin to visit Dublin in October. Mac Eoin requests that cost of his travel be financed by Unations since he proposes to discuss official matters concerning Irish Contingent while in Dublin. Please advise.



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SPECIAL REPORT

To: SEC GEN  
From: MAC EOIN  
Date: 30 Aug 61  
NO: ONUC 5037

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SPECIAL REPORT. ORIENTALE. An incident occurred at 2000 hrs on 29 Aug when Gendarmerie tried to forcibly enter the airport at STAN. This was not permitted and a long discussion followed. Three shots were fired in the air by the ETHIOPIAN troops at STAN airport. The Gendarmerie then dispersed. The situation is under control.

*2/10/61*  
Drafted by: Lt Col GS PAUL  
Authorised: FORCE COMDR  
Date: 30 Aug 61

cc:  
Spec Rep to Sec Gen  
Force Comdr  
Dep Force Comdr  
Chief Liaison Offr  
Chief Admin Offr  
Chief Mil Ops  
Chief Mil Info  
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*30 Aug 61*  
*John*  
*Col*



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SPECIAL REPORT

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To: SEC GEN  
From: MAC BOIN  
Date: 30 Aug 61  
No: ONUC 5034

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SPECIAL REPORT. The move of 1 DOGRA from LEO to EVILLE has been completed. A composite group of one IRISH company and one SWEDISH company has been despatched on 29 Aug from EVILLE to JADOTVILLE to ensure the maintenance of law and order and to prevent any trouble from the Gendarmerie. 35th ETHIOPIAN Battalion air lift to STAN commenced on 29 Aug with 282 troops and stores being flown out. Remainder troops and stores will be airlifted on availability of aircraft. Reccé squadron less troop MSF at LEO is also being flown to STAN, three ferrets being lifted on 30 Aug and one ferret on 31 Aug. Remaining troop and squadron HQ will be flown on availability of aircraft. ONUC Hospital and CDN Signals detachment will be pulled out from COQ to LEO eventually.

cc: Special Rep to Sec Gen  
Force Comdr  
Dep Force Comdr  
ACOS  
Chief Ops Offr  
Chief Adm Offr  
Chief Mil Ops  
Chief Liaison Offr  
Mil Ops

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Drafted by: Maj BP BHALLA  
Authorised: Chief Ops Offr  
Date: 30 Aug 61

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30 Aug 61



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To : Hamilton, Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 28 August 62  
No. : *0 mme 5008*

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**SECRET**

Reur 5945. At current stage of ONUC operations we need strong middle level staff for administration and civilian operations. For administration it is now essential that we have personnel with several years of experience in UN or in specialized agencies. For civilian operations personnel with experience in development and implementation of economic and social programmes is required. Both Syrov and Habel lack the specific experience needed, and we believe that they would not be fully effective in our operations. I therefore request your reconsideration of their assignments to ONUC. Following are examples of kind of staff which may be considered: Saunders, Harrington, Scholkoff, Gleboff, Hsu, Messinassi, Ffennell.

Would you kindly explore possibilities of obtaining reassignment of Micuta. He told us that he would be willing to return after he had settled his personal affairs.

We have no replacement for Tombelaine as yet and request that his assignment with ONUC be extended for a further period of two or three months and his home leave due this year postponed until 1962.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge /



To: Sec-Gen  
From: Linner Mac Eoin  
Date: 25 Aug 61  
No: ONUC 4952

Reur 5093 of 23 July.

We are proceeding with preparations for the setting up of a school for ANC officers at Kamina. The necessary administrative arrangements are well in hand but we are still without a team of instructors. While we can conduct certain preliminary training with the officers available to us at the moment, it is necessary that the instructors who will eventually conduct the course proper should arrive at the earliest possible date.

On a reconsideration of the requirements of teachers for academic subjects, we now suggest that teachers qualified as follows should be sought: Headmaster - one; Mathematics - one; French - three; Geography - one; History - one; Civics - one.

We should be grateful therefore for your comments on this problem.

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cc: Dr Linner



To: Bunche  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 24 Aug 61  
No: ONUC 4925

I wish to draw your attention to the decision to withdraw the issue of free cigarettes to the troops serving with ONUC.

An issue of free cigarettes to troops on active service is accepted by most countries as part of the normal ration scale. This practice has applied to troops in the Congo since the start of the operation and the cutting of this ration now will occasion an unjustifiable reduction of the scant comforts which the troops in the force have. Any reduction of this nature is bound to have an adverse affect on the morale of troops, especially of those soldiering efficiently in remote and difficult places. To men such as these this act will be incomprehensible and the danger is that they may take it as an indication that their services are not highly thought of. They will not understand why the UN withdraws an entitlement of 40 cigarettes a week for financial reasons, because this could not amount to much saving anyhow. This decision, made despite my disapproval delivered to Mr Ahmed in writing on 9 August, calls for a reconsideration at your level.

It is certain to have a damaging effect on the troops now serving in the Congo and will affect the readiness of other troops to serve with the UN in the Congo or elsewhere. In the last resort I am responsible for the morale of the troops serving under my command and I cannot accept an action of this kind without my approval.

In my opinion this has nothing at all to do with the availability of PX facilities, but is simply an unwarranted reduction of the agreed scale of supplies to the soldiers.

cc: Dr Linner ✓  
Mr Ahmed



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TO: BUNCHE  
FROM: MACROIN  
DATE: 22 AUGUST 1961  
NO: ONUC 4889

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It was suggested in our 3462 that as the bulk of the Movement Control personnel is drawn from Scandinavian countries, that the Senior Movement Control Officer or his ~~Major~~ Deputy should be a Scandinavian. It was later suggested that Lt. Col. Folke of Sweden would be suitable for this senior appointment. The situation at the moment is that the Pakistani replacement for the Senior Movement Control Officer has arrived and has taken over and in addition, we understand that the Pakistani replacement for the Deputy Movement Control Officer is already on his way on the Blatchford. We realise that you must be aware of the problem and would like to have your views on the situation as it stands. General Rikhye when he was here, gave the Swedish Contingent Commander to understand that Col. Folke was being asked for by New York for this position.

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To: Bunche  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 23 Aug 61  
No: ONUC 4888

In view of the altered situation here it is suggested that the time has come for a change in the procedure for submitting the daily military Sitrep to your HQ.

As you will probably note, the daily military Sitrep for today contains nothing, and I suggest that we now adopt the following procedure: the military branch responsible will as heretofore compile each day the summary of major events. This will be submitted each morning to Dr Linner's office or to his representative. The civilian staff will then include in their normal daily report to New York any military item which is considered important, or which in their view has some political significance. The daily military Sitrep has become a meaningless document in its present form. Any moves or re-deployments will of course be informed by separate cable.

I hope for an early decision on this matter.

cc: Dr Linner ✓  
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To: Bunche  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 23 Aug 61  
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Reference your 5843. Alexander has been requested along the lines suggested by you.

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cc: Dr Linner ✓



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To : Bunche, Fieldserv  
From : MacEoin, Ahmed  
Date : 22 August 1961  
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Reference your 5760 on military allowances.

1. We accept your decision to implement the joint proposals in our ONUC 4740 with effect from 1 September 1961.

2. The JCOs, NCOs and other ranks on the HQ staff moved into the N'Galiema Camp on 19 August 1961 and are receiving only the Daily Service Allowance of 65 Cr from 20 August 1961.

3. We would continue to study the possibilities for arranging messing facilities for the HQ staff officers. Meanwhile, as of 1 September 1961, the staff officers would receive a food allowance of 300 Cr daily in addition to the Daily Service Allowance of 65 Cr and the Supplementary Services Allowance of 25 Cr per day.

4. In the case of all other military personnel, where it is not feasible to provide common messing arrangements, a ration allowance will be paid as indicated in our ONUC 4740 under (e). We would recommend that the rations allowance be set at the rate of \$2.50 per day representing the cost of rations (\$1.30 approximately) plus an additional amount of \$1.20 to cover cooking facilities and services.

5. In the case of military personnel on temporary duty or travel status, arrangements would be made whenever possible for the provision of meals at ONUC messes, or under standing arrangements with restaurants where this is feasible; in the few cases where this is not possible, a food allowance of 300 Cr daily will be paid for a maximum of 5 days at the temporary duty station; thereafter, the rations allowance of 125 Cr will be paid. We should appreciate having your approval for these arrangements.

cc: Acting Officer-in-Charge  
Force Commander



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 ONUC \_\_\_\_\_ SEC GEN FROM KHIARI AND AHMED ATTENTION NARASIMHAN STOP  
 REUR 5623 CONCERNING REPRESENTATION MADE BY SCOHIER FOR RENTAL OF  
 HOUSE AND DAMAGES TO FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS AT BUKAVU EYE CONFIRM  
 THAT THE FACTS STATED BY CLAIMANT ARE CORRECT STOP THE HOUSE WAS  
 RENTED BY ONUC ON A MONTH TO MONTH LEASE BEGINNING 15 NOVEMBER 1960  
 BUT AS WE COULD NOT TAKE POSSESSION OF IT BECAUSE OF RESISTANCE BY  
 LOCAL ELEMENTS NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF LEASE WAS GIVEN ON 10 JANUARY  
 STOP ONUC'S LIABILITY FOR RENTAL AND DAMAGES IS HOWEVER SUBJECT TO  
 FORCE MAJOR WHICH IS DEEMED TO BE XXXX IMPLICIT UNDER THE LEASE  
 THOUGH IS NOT EXPRESSLY STATED STOP PRESSURE OF WORK HAS UNFORTUNATELY  
 PREVENTED US FROM EXPEDITIOUS DISPOSAL OF CLAIM UNDER WHICH FURTHER  
 INFORMATION IS REQUIRED FROM CLAIMANT ON THE AMOUNT OF HIS CLAIM FOR  
 DAMAGES APART FROM RENTAL DUE UNDER LEASE STOP THIS INFORMATION IS  
 BEING IMMEDIATELY ASCERTAINED FROM SCOHIER AND UPON RECEIPT CLAIM  
 WILL BE SUBMITTED TO ONUC CLAIMS BOARD FOR URGENT CONSIDERATION AND  
 DISPOSAL STOP

cc: Mr. C. Taff, Secretary, Claims Board with atts.

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Drafted by :

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**SECRET**

To : Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 15 August 61

No. : **OVUC 4730**

Reur 5574. Note your decision on suspension of link transfer of communications personnel. I have discussed with Quijano Caballero who indicates that he would no doubt be available for advice on technical matters when required. However as detailed plans for communications station prepared by Brinkman have already been reviewed and approved by Headquarters I am not clear in what manner we might request Caballero to assist us. Would be grateful your clarifying what seems to me your reservation on local ability to carry through project.

cc: Mr. Quijano Caballero



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To : Bunche, Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 15 August 61

No. : *ONUC 4731*

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Reur 562B. Mac Eoin and I had a conciliatory discussion yesterday on the question of military allowances and we reached substantial agreement on all basic points. I have drafted a cable for our joint signature which I hope Mac Eoin will send forward to you tomorrow. One important point of difference between us ~~is~~ is on the question of date of implementation of reduced allowance for staff officers. Mac Eoin would like the new rate to be brought into effect from 1 October to coincide with the date on which Mission Subsistence Allowance for civilian staff would be reduced to \$18. I have, on the other hand, urged that the introduction of the new rate should not be delayed any longer. In our joint cable this matter is therefore being submitted to you for decision.

Another point on which Mac Eoin will seek reconsideration is that when the Mission Subsistence Allowance for civilian staff is reduced to \$18 the food allowance of \$6 for Headquarters military staff should not be proportionately reduced. I suggest that this point be conceded in the interest of wider agreement subject to the condition that we would review the position towards the end of the year and in the light of the situation at that time may consider plans for establishing a mess for Headquarters military staff.



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To : Hamilton, Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 14 August 61  
No. : *0000 4700*

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Your 5541. Many thanks for your consideration our needs. We already have deWattincourt in mind for assignment to Personnel though our need for administrative officers in the field is equally urgent. Earnestly hope you will continue press recruitment for the two key posts in Personnel here requested my 4533. Personnel Officer for Elisabethville is needed though his functions can be combined with Deputy Civilian Affairs Officer if a person with suitable background can be found.

cc: Miss N. Osborne



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MACPARQUHAR STOP FOLLOWING FROM FRASCA STOP REFERENCE OUR TELEX CONVERSATION  
TUESDAY AM GLAD TO INFORM YOU THAT ORDONNANCE MONETARY COUNCIL HAS BEEN SIGNED  
YESTERDAY JOINTLY PRIME MINISTRE AND MINISTRE FINANCE STOP ~~ENTIRE~~ ENTIRE TEXT  
FOLLOW QUOTE ORDONNANCE MINISTERIELLE PORTANT DISPOSITIONS INTERPRETATIVES DU  
DECRET LOI DU 30 OCTOBRE 1960 ET DE L'ARTICLE 54 DU DECRET LOI DU 24 FEVRIER  
1961 STOP CONSIDERANT LE TRANSFERT PROCHAIN DES ACTIFS ET DES PASSIFS DE LA  
BANQUE CENTRALE DU CONGO BELGE ET DU RUANDA URUNDI EN LIQUIDATION CONFORMEMENT  
AUX DISPOSITIONS DE LA CONVENTION DU 15 NOVEMBRE 1960 STOP EN APPLICATION DU  
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LE PRESIDENT EST CHARGE DE L'ORGANISATION TECHNIQUE DU CONSEIL ET ENGAGE LE PERSONNEL STOP CEPENDANT EN CONFORMITE AVEC L'ARTICLE 55 DU DECRET LOI DU 24 FEVRIER 1961 L'APPROBATION DES CONTRATS PAR LE GOUVERNEUR DESIGNE DE LA BANQUE NATIONALE DU CONGO MEMBRE DE DROIT DU CONSEIL MONETAIRE EST REQUISE POUR GARANTIR LA CONTINUITE DES DITS CONTRATS LORSQUE LA BANQUE NATIONALE DU CONGO COMMENCERA SES OPERATIONS STOP LA PRESENTE ORDONNANCE ENTRE EN VIGUEUR AUJOURDHUI FAIT A LEOPOLDVILLE LE 9 AOUT 1961 SIGNEE PAR LE PREMIER MINISTRE CYRILLE ADOULA ET LE MINISTRE DES FINANCES ARTHUR PINZI UNQUOTE.- ROSSBOROUGH.-

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Drafted by : F. FRASCA  
 Authorized : R. J. B. ROSSBOROUGH  
 Date : 11 août 1961



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To : Bunche, Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 9 August 61

No. : *omuc 4605*

**SECRET**

Reur 5486. In first meeting on 31 July Birckhead had upon arrival with Mac Eoin which was attended by Linner and myself we understood that Mac Eoin would represent his case to Headquarters. On following day I arranged to have another meeting with Mac Eoin which Birckhead attended and after considerable discussion we received the impression that Mac Eoin was then more ready to go along with the proposals. At his request both Birckhead and I addressed a meeting of Liaison Officers the following day in which the proposals were fully explained to them. I then summarized the proposals in a memo to Mac Eoin and requested his formal confirmation. Three days thereafter I was advised by Colonel Quinn that some parts of the proposals were not acceptable and that he would write to me his comments shortly. It was thus clear that Mac Eoin did not intend to make representation to Headquarters but to continue correspondence and discussions locally. These discussions have in fact been going on intensively since early May during which avoidable allowances have continued to be paid. After consultation with Birckhead I therefore advised Mac Eoin on 7 August of our intention to proceed with the implementation of the proposals hoping that this local action would accelerate the consideration of the matter by the Military Command and that it would not continue to elapse as it has been for last few months. This action has produced the desired result through Mac Eoin's cable 4572 to you. I will not proceed with implementation of new arrangements and await your further directive.



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To : Fieldserv and Bunche  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 8 August 61  
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The question of meal coupons referred to in Force Commander's latest cable on allowances calls for comment. These coupons were introduced in Leopoldville in early months of Mission last year in full consultation with Logistics as substitute for cash payment of food allowances to transient and to other personnel located in Leopoldville pending establishment of their messes. These coupons provide for meals at first class restaurants including Acropole Restaurant at Royal. They have been issued mainly to officers but recently on representation from Military Command I agreed to exclude officers of the rank of Lt. Col. and above and to pay them 300Cf cash allowance instead. Coupons for three meals however cost about 220Cf. The resistance to their use comes mainly from military officers visiting Leopoldville from outstations who would prefer to receive cash allowances and make their own personal arrangements for meals. I have investigated service at restaurants from time to time and have found it satisfactory.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge

*Info copy Mr Linner*



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To : Bunche  
From : Mac Eoin  
  
Date : 8 August 61  
No : ONUC

Reur 5316. At present there are two doctors and 5 Health  
Officers with the Ethiopian Contingent. There are no nurses.

Force Commander  
cc: LO Ethiopia.



Outgoing Code

To : Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 8 August 61  
No. : ONUC

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Have received CVs of Blom and Gurun. Blom was previously considered for a post of Administrative Officer in ONUC but we find that his experience and background has been in military training and as observer at UNCTD and UNCTIL. I therefore consider that his proper deployment would be either in security or possibly in projected ANC training rather than as Administrative Officer. Hence consulting military command on possibility utilization Blom in ANC training and will advise shortly. Meanwhile <sup>PLEASE</sup> do not process his appointment as Administrative Officer.

Concerning Gurun we find his experience and background limited to Liaison, Public Relations, Interpreter and Translator. His knowledge of English and French seems weak hence suggest do not proceed with his appointment as Administrative Officer and we do not also see any other post where he could be usefully utilised.

cc: Miss N. Osborne



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To : Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 8 August 61  
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Erian arrived and after interview find that because of limited previous experience and general attitude He does not seem entirely suitable for post assignment as Base Administrator Kamina. Would therefore appreciate your urgent reaction to my proposal for extension of Lt. Col. Madan and if acceptable I would prefer to assign Erian to other post than sending him to Kamina.

cc: Mr. Linner, Officer-in-Charge✓



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To : Fieldserv, Macfarquhar

From : Ahmed, Roseborough

Date : 3 August 61

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Community Development Expert,

CONFIDENTIAL. Your 5370.F. Boulter has been involved in several incidents in public places and was ejected from a restaurant in Brazzaville on 5 August when drunk. He was drunk in the office this morning. We consider there is a risk of a serious incident if he remain here and therefore recommend his termination under Staff Rule 209.2 and his immediate repatriation to France. Meanwhile we have suspended him under Rule 210.2.

cc: Mr. R.J.B. Roseborough

Miss N. Osborne



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TO: BUNCHE  
FROM: MACEOIN  
DATE: 8 AUGUST 1961  
NO: ONUC 4572.

I note that Mr. Ahmed in his ONUC 4558 to you has stated that he intends to immediately implement certain regulations with reference to per diem which have not been finally discussed with me. This rather highhanded action on the part of Mr. Ahmed will naturally have serious repercussions on the morale of my staff here. I, therefore, request that the allowances continue to be paid until a final agreement is reached. The military force at the moment are being subjected to all sorts of petty financial restrictions which is causing serious damage to the good name of the UN. Senior officers are being made to produce food coupons in restaurants and tickets for haircuts in barber shops and such like indignities. The various Liaison Officers here will naturally take up this matter with their own countries as they mainly have seen the results of the implementation of such policy.

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DR. WINNER ✓  
MR. AHMED



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To : Fieldserv, Bunche

From : Ahmed

Date : 7 August 61

No. : *ONUC* 4558

**SECRET**

Thanks your 5322. Force Commander has been preoccupied with other urgent matters but he has been having meetings with his staff on proposals contained in my 4405 concerning allowances for staff Officers and has not yet communicated to me his decision. To avoid further delay and continued excess payments I am proceeding with implementation of proposals on allowances with immediate effect. Birkhead and I will however continue discussions with Force Commander and any alternative proposals made by him will be submitted to you for your consideration and decision.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge ✓  
General S. Mac foin, Force Commander



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To : Fieldserv, Bunche  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 7 August 61  
No. : ONUC 4556

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Lt. Colonel SM Mitra and Major Azim are scheduled to go to New York to work with Rikhye and Urquhart on study of ONUC military operations for one month. They can be booked for travel on North Star leaving Leo for Trenton 24 August but I understand from Rikhye that their arrival in New York is desired at the earliest possible date making their travel by commercial flight preferable. Kindly advise if this is agreeable.



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To : Bunche, Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 7 August 61

No. *PNUC* 4555

Reur5436. Mollersward is insisting on full MSA of \$20 per day. There is in my view no justification for MSA which is limited at present to General Officers of Brigadier rank and above on Headquarters staff and observers detailed temporarily from other missions. Mollersward does not fall in either category, and I would not recommend broadening the categories eligible for MSA.

On the basis of Headquarters signals 3014 and 3155 we have considered Observers to be entitled to 365 francs daily with effect from 1 July when supplementary services in kind were made available. I would be reluctant to recommend reversing this position retroactively but would propose we agree to treat Colonel Mollersward as Staff Officer with effect from the date his appointment as LO to Government was confirmed by you.



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Drafted by : F.W. Tooby

7 Aug 1961

To : MacFarquhar, New York  
From : Rossborough, Leopoldville  
Date : 7 August 1961  
No. *ONUC 4550*

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1. We must now arrange further supplies of imported foods for commercial sale to avoid renewal of serious shortages. The prospects for further supplies from the United States under PL 480 have been discussed with the Embassy.
2. We learn that additional surplus commodities, such as wheat flour, rice, and skim milk powder are available to us in quantities limited only by absorptive capacity of the Congolese internal market. These should be requested quarterly. We were advised to ask for discretion to transfer any part of these Title Two supplies to the free distribution channel if present increase of inter-tribal strife leads to new cases of group starvation. To follow on the 8,400 tons of wheat flour covered by Transfer Authorization no. 1609, the additional needs under this head, through December 1961, are 16,800 tons of wheat flour, 15,000 tons of rice, and 1,300 tons of large white haricot beans. Would you please arrange for application to be made for earliest possible shipment of these quantities?
3. You will recall that DeSeynes recommended strongly that we should arrange also to receive high value commodities, such as tobacco, frozen poultry, canned meats, and canned milk, under PL 480 Title One, because of the important saving of foreign exchange. New agreement or agreements among United Nations, United States and Congolese Government is/are necessary to cover Title One supplies. We understand that a draft agreement was sent by ICA to the Secretary General on 14 April, but could not be proceeded with then because of the uncertain future of the Congolese Government. Now that we have a new government we would like negotiation of the Title One



agreement(s) to be pushed forward as quickly as possible, and would appreciate your help to that end. Imports that could be supplied under this agreement through December 1961 are as follows: Hard cheese, 320 tons; Dry whole milk, 500 tons; Condensed whole milk, 900 tons; tobacco, 1,500 tons; potatoes, 2,000 tons; beef, 2,700 tons; eggs, to value of \$12,000.

Cleared by : Prof. Bardre  
P. Bernheim

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TO : MacFarquhar, New York  
FROM : Frasca, Leopoldville  
DATE : 7/3/48  
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Pl. return 1 copy of this cable to  
Room N° 231. Thanks.

drafted : F. Frasca  
authorized : Rossborough



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To: Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 6 August 61

No. : ONUC 4533

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Naomi Osborne has just completed her study of organization and structure of ONUC Personnel Office and has discussed this in detail with me. I find that there are some serious gaps in staffing and to meet our responsibilities adequately we need some additional staff urgently. Fulcheri has now been assigned to a newly set up Unit to handle personnel matters of growing Civilian Operations experts in addition to serving as Deputy. We therefore need immediately experienced officer of senior rank to fill Deputy's post. In addition we need one other officer of P-3 - P-4 level to assist on policies and procedures concerning Personnel as a whole, both at Headquarters and in field. Grateful your treating these minimum needs as most urgent and cabling us particulars of possible candidates before finalizing their assignment. Understand that Vootinas no longer available and that you are considering instead woman staff member at a lower grade from Geneva. I suggest you review this and assist us in strengthening immediately Personnel office with two officers suggested above of high calibre and ability and proven experience in Personnel Management

cc: Miss N. Osborne



Outgoing Code

To : Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 6 August 61  
No. : ONUC 4531

**SECRET**

Reference Lansky's memo of 18 July. Brinkman informs me that Kasper is among our most competent radio officers. He is at present assigned to Metadi where we have set up civilian communication unit, in view of difficulties of assigning Canadian military signals personnel. I realize that his marriage detracts from ~~flexibility~~ flexible use of his services in field missions but would like to know whether it would be possible to extend his services strictly on ONUC basis.

cc: Miss N. Osborne



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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To : SecGen, New York  
From : Linner, Mac Eoin, Leopoldville  
Date : 5 August 1961  
No : ONUC 4530

Reference your cable 4 August 1961 and ONUC 4476.

1. Regret our intention to comply with your request was not clear in our cable. We realised prompt action was desired and regretted inability to do so immediately. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
2. Your Para 2. Error is regretted. Please delete in Para 4
  - a) We would like to comply;..... to do so immediately;
  - b) Last sentence.
3. A Nigerian battalion will move for duties to Leo, starting next week. Move of one company due 5 August had to be postponed to 7 August due administrative difficulties.

cc: Dr. Linner ✓  
Force Commander

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Outgoing Code

SECRET

To : Fieldserv, Bunche  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 1 August 61  
No. : ONUC HH90

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Among military staff officers at ONUC headquarters I was hoping that we could retain the services of Lt. Col. Madan as Chief Logistics Officer for a further period of one year. However I now understand that Government of India have already nominated his replacement. Madan has invaluable experience of ONUC logistical problems and has worked closely with administration. He might therefore be a useful acquisition for the civilian administration particularly in a position such as that of Administrative Officer at Kamina. Should you consider this feasible you may wish to investigate the possibility of obtaining Government of India's approval for Madan's detail to ONUC for a period of one year on existing terms. I understand from Rikhye that Madan's posting orders have not yet been issued by the Government of India and <sup>it</sup> may therefore still be possible to obtain an extension of his services in case you deem such action satisfactory and desirable.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge



Outgoing Code

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To : Fieldserv and Carey Seward  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 1 August 61  
No. : *ONUC 4433*

**SECRET**

Re ur letter 14 July and cable 5184. If you are satisfied with Baumgarten's complete suitability for assignment Congo have no objection your proceeding with proposed arrangements. I appreciate your proposal offering Gonzalo Menendez and gladly accept his assignment to ONUC. Brinkman states that his home leave in 1960 was interrupted during fifth week to take ONUC assignment and requests that he be allowed to avail of home leave due 1962 this year for three months to recuperate from strenuous one year service with ONUC. If approved Brinkman would like to proceed on leave not later than 15 <sup>August</sup> ~~October~~ because of schooling for his children which makes necessary that ~~Brinkman~~ Baumgarten should arrive within next week to ten days.

cc: Mr. S. Linner *L*

Miss N. Osborne with encls *done*



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO: BUNCHE  
FROM: MACEOIN  
DATE: 29 JULY 1961  
NO: ONUC 4362

SECRET

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1. Summary of airlift of Tunisians as of 0900 29 July.  
23 - 27 July as per our ONUC 4328. 28 July: 90 passengers California. 95 passengers Capital. 54 passengers Seven Seas. 70 passengers PAA. 29 July: 70 passengers KLM. Total dispatched to date 569.
2. One UN DC4 will be used today for 13,000 pounds of stores instead of troops. *X* It must be kept in mind that there are stores as well as passengers to be moved out. Exact figures on stores requirement will be forwarded later.
3. Proposed lifts for remainder of 29 July: 57 passengers Interocean. 70 passengers PAA.

cc: Dr. Linner  
Force Commander  
Air Commander  
Station Commander  
ACOS

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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

BUNCHE  
MAC EOIN

28 JUL 61

ONUC 4310

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REUR 5210 WE UNDERSTOOD THAT LOADING AT MATADI WOULD BE  
ABOUT 12 AUGUST. THERE WILL BE NO MAJOR CHANGE IN INDIAN  
VEHICLE LIFT REQUIREMENT.

CC DR LINNER ✓  
ACOS  
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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Sec-Gen  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 25 July 61  
No: ONUC 4264

*See 949-A from  
Caballero*  
*[Signature]* *[Signature]*

Further to Sitrep 337 and previous reports on situation at Lac Mukamba, the following has been received from Caballero at Luluabourg:

*by LUNTUS*

25 ANC moving from Musambo to Lulu were attacked at Dimbelenge. Comdt Demole (ANC) went to Lusambo today to investigate and try to stabilize the situation. Caballero, at President Mukenge's request, saw Demole before his departure and impressed on him the necessity to avoid further violence. He assured Caballero that his intention was only to investigate with a view to legal sanctions and to liberate his men if still living. Caballero also informed him that he had already requested UN troops at Lac Mukamba to send a patrol to Dimbelenge in order to liberate those men and that it was unfortunately too late to stop the whole operation.

Caballero is pessimistic; because of the numerous warlike Luntus most probably Demole will not be able to control his troops - either the ANC will shoot its way through at considerable cost of human lives or could be thrown back in which case violent retaliation in Lulu is almost sure to follow.

We have information from ANC HQ at Leo that the 25 soldiers have been killed.

It is my intention to visit Kasai at the earliest possible moment.

*<< DR LUNNER ✓*

*[Signature]*



Outgoing Code

SECRET

To : Bunche , Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 25 July 1961

No. : ONUC 4251

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Re our 4115 concerning Mitra's extension. Would be most grateful to have your most urgent decision on administrative questions <sup>raised</sup> ~~xxxxx~~ in this connection as operational exigencies now require Mac Eoin to make immediate decision on Mitra's assignment and future work programme.

cc: General Mac Eoin



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

MOST IMMEDIATE

TO: SECRETARY GENERAL  
FROM: LINNER MACEOIN  
DATE: 22 JULY 1961  
NO: ONUC 4213

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**SECRET**

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Reference your 5086.

1. We share your concern about complete evacuation of UN troops from Stanleyville. Be assured that in our ultimate dispositions we shall cater for a holding force of at least Battalion strength there.
2. We can make immediately available three DC4s to transport one Company Tunisian troops to Tunis. These aircraft are available with effect from 9 tomorrow morning. This <sup>timing</sup> ~~time~~, of course, is governed by the diplomatic clearance problem. It is our intention to fly the three aircraft from Leo to Kano, Idriss, Tunis. Specific details as to aircraft numbers and crew members will follow immediately.
3. The replacement of the Tunisians in Leo is likely to absorb our UN airlift for the ensuing five or six days. We, therefore, cannot guarantee any additional airlift of Tunisians from the Congo to Tunis with UN aircraft.

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*C.C. DR Linner*  
*gen Mac Boyn*



*DR. LINNER* OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO: SECRETARY GENERAL

FROM: MACEOIN

DATE: 22 JULY 1961

NO: ONUC

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*How many Tunisians?*

Decision to withdraw the Tunisian Brigade has now confronted us with <sup>the</sup> most serious military situation we have had to meet since the beginning of this operation. It has now become a matter of determining one or two military priorities in the Congo. As we see them we reckon that Léo with its Parliamentary implications ranks as number one with Katanga number two. The other problems are very secondary and the order in which they follow is unimportant. Of these two we must ensure that we are in a position to dictate terms in any military situation that may arise. We are in no doubt that the situation in Léo is likely to become quite tense depending on the decisions or lack of decision reached at the forthcoming Parliamentary session. In Katanga where we consider that the importance of military superiority is paramount we feel that at the moment it must rank as a secondary consideration to the Léo situation. Until the withdrawal of the Tunisian contingent was agreed upon, it was our intention to increase our military strength in Katanga by one battalion. This now for obvious reasons is not possible. We are now faced with the problem of firstly replacing the Tunisian contingent at Léo and Kitona, and secondly ensuring sufficient strength at Léo to cope with any attempt of a coup d'etat on the part of the Mobutu-Tshombe axis. It is our intention to avail of this opportunity to increase our overall military strength in Léo by

- x/ — (a) moving the Ethiopian Brigade from Stanleyville to Léo (2 Bns);
- (b) moving the 35th Ethiopian Battalion from Coq to Léo;
- x/ (c) moving the Second QONR Battalion from Bukavu to Léo; and
- (d) moving the Indian Dogra Battalion from Nyunzu/Niemba to Léo.

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This indicates the move of the preponderance of our strength to Léo. We are satisfied that in the present situation that this strength may deter Mobutu from any action he may deem fit or advisable to take following on any of the many possible outcomes of the Parliamentary meeting.

This all relegates the Katanga situation to one of secondary importance. This now results in our having in Katanga what must be regarded as merely a holding force. Our capacity to take positive action has now in that Province been diminished, but we are faced with the problem of priority and we rate Léo as number one and Katanga as number two.

We are fully aware of the possible repercussions in Orientale not to mention the play ~~of~~ the world press will make on the UN evacuation of that Province.

We are now faced with the problem of making up our minds to holding securely in the vital places with what military strength now remains to us. We must be in sufficient strength at any one of the places we now regard as being most vital to ensure that we can be decisive there. This is all said in recognition of the difficulties we may encounter in any future attempt to reoccupy places like Stanleyville, Coquilhatville. We are in no doubt that our proposed evacuation of these places will render it exceedingly difficult to reoccupy them at a later stage, irrespective of the nationality of the troops involved. While we do aim at an overall increase in our strength at Léo, we do not regard this as over-insurance, but rather in the form of a deterrent to any attempt on the part of Mobutu to stage a military coup d'etat should the Parliamentary process justify it in his opinion.

All the foregoing suspends our plan to reinforce our strength in Katanga and particularly in Elisabethville. It was our intention to move the Dogra Battalion from Nyunzu/Niamba to Elisabethville and to replace it with the Ghana Battalion from Kasai. The Nigerian Battalion at Bukavu was to have been moved to Luluabourg. This, of course, reduces our effectiveness in the matter of enforcing the removal of the



French and other non-Congolese personnel from the ranks of the Gendarmerie in Katanga for the time being. We shall be grateful for your comments, please.



Outgoing Code

To : Fieldserv

From : Ahmed

Date : 19.7.61

No. : 4121

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Reur 4559 Understand you are considering recommendation made at Geneva to permit conversion of savings of subsistence allowance up to fifty percent, i.e. at the average rate of \$300 per month in lieu of present rate of \$166 per month from 1 July. In view strong pressure from expert group here and the fact that many staff members are showing reluctance to accept extension of their terms of duty under present conversion ruling and recognising general scarcity of goods and services in Congo I would recommend your favourable consideration of above proposal.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge  
Mr. R.J.B. Rossborough, Officer-in-Charge, Civilian Operations  
Mr. A. Groenendijk, Chief Finance Officer



Outgoing Code

To : Fieldserv and Bunche  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 18 July 61  
No. : 4115

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Mac Eoin will shortly submit his recommendations for retention of selected military staff officers for a further period of duty on the expiry of their current terms. Meantime he has asked me to submit to you case of Lt. Col. Mitra, Chief Military Operations. His present term will expire end of August and he is willing to serve ONUC for an additional period of one year provided he is permitted to bring his dependents to Congo at Unations expense and no change is made in his present allowance of \$12 per day. He would also like Unations to intercede with Indian Government to ensure that his continued detail to ONUC does not affect his promotion to Colonel's rank which he expects to receive upon his return to India from Congo.

In view of Mitra's meritorious service to ONUC and his unique experience of Military Operations here which he is being asked to commit in writing for future reference and record I fully support Mac Eoin's request for his retention with ONUC for an additional year. As regards conditions set out by Mitra you will no doubt consider them in formulating general policy to be applied in similar cases which would be recommended later by Mac Eoin.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge ✓  
General S. Mac Eoin, Force Commander



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OUTGOING CLEAR CA

To: Brig Gen RIKHYE  
From: General MACEOIN  
No: *ONUC H/13.*  
Date: 18 July 1961

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Reference your letter of 1 July regarding the writing up of an official record of the first year of the Congo Operation. I purposely delayed my reply in order to discuss the matter with Mitra who has recently returned from Leave.

It is true that no War Diary has been maintained, the only records being the periodic progress reports and Sit Reps. I visualise the task of preparing an overall record for the first years operations taking longer than envisaged. It will be complex and of fair magnitude and a good deal of spade work will have to be done and relevant material sifted from both classified and other documents which are available here ~~Person~~. For this reason, I would suggest that Mitra be given an assistant, and recommend Major Azim for this as he has also been here from the start of Operations and has been closely associated with Mitra in the preparation and coordination of the military portions of the various Progress Reports.

I understand from Mitra that, during his absence on leave, some initial work has already been carried out by Azim. This should help to reduce the time spent here. Mitra estimates that he will probably take up to about the middle of August to complete the preliminary work here before he and Azim are ready to leave for New York.

In general, the lines along which it is proposed to collect material will fall under the following headings, which eventually could form the various chapters of the record:-

- (a) Introduction - A review of the circumstances which led to the creation of ONUC.

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- (b) Organization of the Force - Through different stages.
- (c) Military Operations - A review of the military operations, by Provinces, from July 60 to July 61, including communications.
- (d) Force Logistics - To include a review of Supply, Transport, EME, Ordnance and Movement Control Activities.
- (e) Air Operations
- (f) Health
- (g) Personnel and Discipline -
- (h) Morale and Welfare
- (j) The problem of former Belgian Bases in the Congo
- (k) ANC - Its origin and developments since Independence.

If you have any further instructions for Mitra and Azim on this subject which may be relevant to their initial preparations here, please let us have them soon.

The question of Mitra's extension has already been taken up separately by Ahmed. On completion of their task at New York, Mitra could return directly to India on repatriation or home leave, as the case may be and Azim direct to Pakistan on repatriation.

cc: Dr Linna ✓

Drafted by: LtCol Mitra  
Authorised: Force Comdr  
Date: 18th July 1961

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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO : MACFARQUHAR NEW YORK  
FROM : ROSSBOROUGH LEOPOLVILLE  
DATE : 17 July 1961  
NO. : DNUC RAU

The Ministry of Finance and the Ministry of Planning and Economic Coordination have sent us a joint letter asking that Article 8 of the agreement of 28 March 1961 regarding the American surplus products should be modified to read : quote Les ministères de la Coordination économique et du Plan, et des Finances, du gouvernement central de la République du Congo et l'ONUC établiront de commun accord les projets . . . unquote, since quote le ministère de la Coordination économique et du Plan est directement intéressé dans des programmes de résorption de chômage et de réactivation de zones économiques financés par l'ONU dès lors en vue d'assurer une harmonisation plus parfaite de l'action du gouvernement central unquote.

2. Mr. Frasca and I recommend you agree to this amendment. We feel no objection is really possible since the amendment is a matter of the Government's own internal organization and coordination. We would continue to exercise a strict control over the way the money is spent on public works projects.

3. Issue raised in our 4057 would not be affected by the Congolese Ministries' proposal. Your 4970 just received and noted.

cc: Mr. Frasca

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Outgoing Code

From : Linner Ahmed *Linner*  
To : Cordier MacFarquhar Fieldserv  
Date : 17 July 1961  
No. : 4000

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We are most concerned at delays in despatching replacement for Civilian Officers.

Primo. Post of Special Assistant in Civilian Operations to help Rossborough must be filled as a matter of priority. Corradini who is now due to arrive on 29 July seems from his curriculum vitae to be the best possibility and unless you have a better candidate who can arrive earlier we wish to consider him for this post.

Secundo. Caballero must leave Luluabourg not later than about 29 August and his successor requires minimum overlap one week and more if possible. Kasai being an area of major political tensions it is essential to have senior man with substantial political experience and for this post we believe Ambassador Fasler sounds most appropriate choice. It is urgent that his departure be expedited.

Tertio. Coquilhatville, for which you had considered Fasler, will therefore be left with no chief Civilian Officer, but Luluabourg must in our view have priority.

Quarto. Stanleyville seems likely continue to be politically most delicate post and a replacement for Micuta as deputy to Englund is urgent.

Qinto. We also need deputy Civilian Officers urgently for Luluabourg and Bukavu, and less urgently for Coquilhatville

Micuta indicates that he would be prepared to return to the Congo after he has settled his urgent family affairs. He has proved excellent and we suggest you should do everything possible to obtain his further release from ECE. His posting will depend upon when he can return.

Nachast at present Administrative Officer Bukavu has amply demonstrated his capacity to perform duties of Civilian Officer. Urge you agree our previous suggestion grant him two-year contract at higher grade so that we can aim at transferring him to Civilian Officer pool. This would entail providing us with a replacement as Administrative Officer.



We have already welcomed your offer of Miss Midwinter whom we would at present envisage for some senior administrative officer post since it is difficult to appoint a woman Civilian Affairs Officer in most field posts owing to their primarily political character. She is undoubtedly qualified for post of special ~~assistant~~ assistant Civilian Operations but this would add third UK citizen to Rossborough MacLean setup which seems undesirable.

Your earliest action and advice are requested.

cc: Mr. S. Linner, Officer-in-Charge  
Mr. R.J.B. Rossborough  
Miss N. Osborne



Outgoing coded cable

TO : Sir Alexander MacFarquhar, New York  
FROM : Reasborough and Frasca, Leopoldville  
DATE : 16th July 1961  
NUMBER : *ONUC 4068*

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decree dated 29th June providing for transfer of exchange and import-export controls to National Bank (therefore Monetary Council) has been signed today and effective from date of publication official gazette stop immediate implementation import programme of United Nations' aid is now envisaged by Monetary Council through Office des Licences stop

Pl. return 1 copy of this cable to Room N° 231. Thanks.



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Sec-Gen, New York  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 15 Jul 61  
No: *onuc 4061.*

A report has been received that PANAMANIAN Ship "ACAPULCO" operated by a French firm (Fraissinet Nautilus Co.) arrived at Pointe Noire about 6 July.

Cargo was reported to include 60-80 tons of arms and ammunition which was loaded at Genoa; the consignee refused to receive the shipment and ship departed 7 July.

The ship arrived at Matadi on 8 July but was not allowed to offload arms and sailed 10 July destination unknown.

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cc: Dr Linner ✓  
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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO : MACFARQUHAR NEW YORK  
FROM: ROSSBOROUGH LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE: 15 JULY 1961  
NO. : ONUC 4057

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Reference our 2965 to which we cannot trace having received reply.  
by State Department  
American Embassy have been informed that you consider their request ~~xxxxx~~  
met already in paragraph 10 of agreement. They believe there may be continuing  
queries from ICA legal branch and that situation would be clarified if we  
wrote them approximately as follows : quote it appears to us that the purposes  
of the change you propose could be achieved without modifying the text of the  
agreement itself. It is clearly understood that the committee responsible,  
in consultation with the Embassy of the United States of America, for the  
implementation of the agreement, should interpret such consultation as including  
discussion of proposals for and progress in development of the public works  
projects envisaged under this agreement. For political and other reasons it  
would, in our view, be preferable not to make a formal amendment to the  
agreement and I hope that the undertaking that paragraph 10 will be interpreted  
in the sense indicated above will meet your requirements unquote.

2. This is suggested by American Embassy as they believe this will ensure that  
matter is dealt with at higher level in Washington which will over-rule legal  
quibbling. Would you agree our despatching such a letter to American Embassy ?

cc: Br. Linnér  
Mr. Frasca



Outgoing Code

To : Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 12 July 61  
No. : ONUC 3998

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Thanks your 4702 on Nigerian Police Contingent. Awaiting  
your reply my Cable 3813 same subject.

cc. *hmm*



Outgoing Code

To : Fieldserv  
From : Ahmed  
Date : 12 July 61  
No. : *ONUC 3989*

At meeting which has ended just now attended by Linner, Mac Eoin, myself and other senior military and civilian officers concerning arrangements for preparing premises Lovanium University for forthcoming meeting of Parliament, serious problem was foreseen in providing some 200 non-Congolese, non-local personnel for duties such as cleaning, dishwashing, etc. Obtaining of such personnel from outside was ruled out as both involving exorbitant costs and near impossibility of recruitment within few days available and deployment of ONUC military personnel was considered as only alternative. However, Mac Eoin has observed extreme reluctance on part ONUC Contingent Commanders in providing such personnel from National contingents as functions involved fall outside normal scope of their duties and could be expected to be performed only in grave emergencies. Under these ~~xxxxxx~~ conditions it was unanimous opinion of the meeting that Unations should offer a special allowance of \$1 per day to such military personnel as is assigned to Lovanium to carry out functions mentioned above ~~xxxxxx~~ which would provide the necessary inducement and make special task more acceptable.

Mac Eoin had previously considered possibility of obtaining entire staff needed from Nigerian military contingent but upon reconsideration of all its sensitive aspects has now decided to allot task to personnel drawn from four national groups namely, Indians, Ethiopians, Nigerians and Irish who together would contribute about 180 other ranks.

In special circumstances and for lack of any other alternative I consider proposal reasonable and in the interest of United Nations. Necessary action for obtaining military personnel on this basis is therefore being made immediately and I earnestly hope that you will confirm this arrangement.

cc: Mr. S. Linner  
General S. Mac Eoin



OUTGOING CODE

PRIORITY

TO : SECCEN, GENEVA  
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 11 JULY 1961  
NO. : ~~0445~~ DNUC-3965

In his 02018 O'BRIEN REPORTS : " IN VIEW OF DEVELOPING SITUATION IN ELISABETHVILLE NECESSITATING STRONGER PRESSURE ON TSHOMBE AND ALSO IN LIGHT OF RECENT DISCUSSIONS WITH KHIARI AND MESTIRI I THOUGHT IT BEST TO GO AHEAD WITH MY PROPOSED VISIT KABALO EVEN IN VIEW SENDWE VISIT. TSHOMBE TRIED TO SEE ME ALL DAY YESTERDAY IN CONNECTION SENDWE QUESTION BUT I MADE MYSELF UNAVAILABLE AND AGREED TO APPOINTMENT ONLY FOR 6 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING ON EVE OF DEPARTURE KABALO AND ALBERTVILLE. TSHOMBE PROTESTED ABOUT SENDWE TRANSPORTATION TO KABALO IN UN PLANE AND ALSO ABOUT OUR FAILURE TO INFORM HIM OF SENDWE'S ARRIVAL. HE ENQUIRED PURPOSE SENDWE'S VISIT AND I INFORMED I UNDERSTAND IT WAS IN CONNECTION WITH FORTHCOMING MEETING OF THE PARLIAMENT. I ADDED THAT MY VISIT TO NORTH KATANGA WHICH HAD BEEN PLANNED FOLLOWING RAJAS VISIT HERE WAS NOT PLANNED TO COINCIDE WITH SENDWE'S ARRIVAL BUT THAT IF WHEN I WAS IN KABALO SENDWE WISHES TO SEE ME I WOULD SEE HIM AS I WOULD SEE ANY KATANGAN WHO WISHED UN HELP IN CONNECTION WITH PARLIAMENT. TSHOMBE TOOK THIS CALMLY AND DID NOT PROTEST AT MY PROVISIONAL INTENTION MEETING SENDWE. EGGE WHO WAS WITH ME TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE MEETING TO RAISE THE QUESTION OF REORGANIZATION OF GENDARMERIE AND I ALSO RAISED THE QUESTION OF MEDICAL AID WHICH WE COULD GIVE. WE ALSO DISCUSSED QUESTION OF POLITICAL PRISONERS. TSHOMBE ASSERTED 800 HAD ALREADY BEEN RELEASED AND THERE WERE NOW NO MORE LEFT. I PRESSED HIM FOR LIST AND HE REFERRED ME TO MUNONGO WHOM WE HAVE LONG BEEN PRESSING FOR SUCH A LIST.



WE DO NOT BELIEVE THEIR PROFESSIONS AS REGARDS POLITICAL PRISONERS AND WILL PRESS THIS MATTER. TSHOMBE APPEARED DISCOURAGED AND DEPRESSED BUT THERE WERE NO SIGNS OF VIOLENT REACTION ON HIS PART. IN KABALO I MET RAJA AND SENDWE WHO ASKED TO SEE ME AND WE HAD LONG AND INTERESTING CONVERSATION. HE SUPPLIED US WITH A LIST OF SOME OF THE MORE IMPORTANT POLITICAL PRISONERS AND ALSO WITH A LIST OF PARLIAMENTARIANS. WE DISCUSSED RAIL ROAD QUESTION AT LENGTH AND I PROPOSE REPORTING FURTHER ON THIS AFTER FURTHER CONVERSATION WITH RAJA AND DISCUSSIONS CFL MANAGEMENT HERE. TOMORROW WILL VISIT NYUNZU AND MUNONO WITH RAJA. PREPARING IN CONSULTATION WITH RAJA AND HIS STAFF LIST OF POLITICAL ADVISERS IN NORTH KATANGA AND CONCERTING ACTIONS WITH GENDARMERIE OFFICERS INCLUDING FRENCH."



OUTGOING CABLE

PRIORITY

TO : SECGEN, GENEVA  
FROM : LINNER, LEO  
DATE : 11 JULY 1961  
NO. : ~~014344~~ DNUC-3963, 3964

Le texte de la lettre que j'ai adressée à Gizenga concernant la sécurité des parlementaires est le suivant : " Excellence, Comme suite à votre lettre du 5 juillet, le Secrétaire Général m'a chargé de vous confirmer les assurances déjà données et de vous informer qu'ordre a été donné au Commandement des Nations Unies de prendre toutes les précautions possibles pour assurer la protection de la réunion du Parlement. Le Commandant en chef des Forces des Nations Unies ainsi que le Chargé de la Mission ONUC surveillent personnellement les dispositions prises.

Lorsque M. Gardiner se trouvait à Stanleyville le 3 juin, vous avez demandé, ainsi que vos collègues, les garanties supplémentaires suivantes:

1. La sécurité totale de tous les Parlementaires devra être assurée par les contingents militaires des Nations Unies dont le nombre et la composition seront établies à l'avance par un accord commun.
2. Que les troupes des Nations Unies entreprendront immédiatement les mesures nécessaires contre toute personne militaire, de la police et civile qui agira contre la clause No. I de la présente note.

Ces points ont fait l'objet entre les autorités militaires de l'ONUC et vos représentants, d'une discussion à l'issue de laquelle votre Délégation a soulevé les points suivants:

1. Evacuation totale des professeurs et étudiants.
2. Suspension de l'admission des nouveaux malades à la Clinique de Lovanium.
3. Coupure de toutes les lignes téléphoniques, y compris celles de l'hôpital le mettant en contact avec l'extérieur.



4. Détection des locaux (appareils transmetteur et émetteur, appareil explosif).

D'après le programme actuellement arrêté, les professeurs et élèves devront avoir évacué les locaux le 14. Les lignes téléphoniques seront coupées avant l'arrivée des Parlementaires. La question de la suppression de l'admission de nouveaux malades à l'Hôpital Lovanium est en cours d'examen avec les autorités, mais il semble difficile à l'heure actuelle de justifier l'imposition d'une telle mesure à la Communauté. Enfin, la détection des postes émetteurs, des bombes et autres explosifs ne peut être exécutée efficacement que vingt-quatre heures au maximum avant l'ouverture du Parlement.

Tout sera mis en oeuvre, non seulement pour assurer la protection complète des Parlementaires, mais aussi pour dissiper les craintes que vous exprimez. Je prie votre Excellence d'avoir confiance dans l'entreprise annoncée publiquement par les Nations Unies, ainsi que dans notre action pour laquelle nous n'épargnerons rien afin d'assurer la sécurité et empêcher tout sentiment d'insécurité ou d'anxiété de la part des Parlementaires à leur arrivée et pendant la session du Parlement.

Il est un autre point sur lequel je désire attirer votre attention. Au point 2 du résumé des décisions, M. Gardiner a entrepris d'obtenir l'approbation des Nations Unies pour le déplacement de Parlementaires à Stanleyville. Aucune approbation officielle n'a été donnée et la question n'a pas retenu davantage l'attention étant donné qu'aucune demande n'a été formulée par des Parlementaires, y compris ceux dont vous avez soumis la liste au Quartier Général de l'ONUC à Léopoldville. En outre, le Quartier Général de Léopoldville a été informé que certains députés et sénateurs du Kivu dont le transport par avion avait été organisé de façon qu'ils puissent passer une nuit au moins à Stanleyville, avaient exprimé le désir de se rendre directement à Léopoldville. J'espère qu'il n'y a pas de malentendu sur ce point.



Les Nations Unies ont engagé des frais considérables et se sont livrées à un travail de préparation minutieux pour assurer votre sécurité ainsi que celle de vos collègues et de tous les autres membres du Parlement. M. Adoula nous a écrit pour exprimer, au nom des autorités de Léopoldville, le désir du Président que toutes les précautions soient prises par les Nations Unies pour empêcher tout incident susceptible de compromettre la sécurité des Parlementaires et le succès de la réunion du Parlement. Je tiens à répéter, au nom du Secrétaire Général, que les Nations Unies ont déjà arrêté et pris toutes les précautions nécessaires pour vous assurer, ainsi qu'à tous vos collègues du Parlement, une protection totale.

Veillez agréer, Excellence, l'assurance de ma haute considération."



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MOST IMMEDIATE

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TO : SECCOEN, GENEVA  
FROM : LINNER, LEO.  
DATE : 11 JULY 1961  
NO. : ~~66/11/11/11~~ DNUC-3961, 3962

An up to date assessment of the political situation would, we feel, be somewhat as follows:

- a) Axis Léo-Stan: Frictions are decreasing day by day. We are concentrating our efforts on eliminating the last obstacles to a reconciliation. Gardiner is leaving for Stanleyville tomorrow while Khieri and others continue to press on Kasa-Vubu and his Ministers. We feel that direct contacts between Kasa-Vubu and Gizenga will undoubtedly be a major element in possible success.

Gizenga attaches great importance to full UN protection for himself and his Ministers when they come here. In this respect a cable was sent off to Stan this morning, the text of which is being forwarded to you separately. Masséna who is going with Gardiner will hand carry a signed copy of this text.

- b) Bakwanga supports Iléo whose political backing is almost nil. Kalonji accepts to attend Parliament or any preparliamentary sessions. The formation of a National Union Government would present no problems where he is concerned.



c) In Katanga situation is confused with Tshombé still having difficulties in reascertaining his authority. His agreements with Léo and Mobutu have given rise to increased opposition on the part of his adversaries. After Khiari's latest visit to Eville Tshombé faces following dilemma:

- i) to regain his earlier position by means of a destructive extremism, or
- ii) to accept hard facts at the cost of possibly losing his influence over College.

He does not appear to have sufficient courage to make a choice at present and is playing for time to find a solution or new allies. In this respect we feel it most important that he and College should be told what UN position would be in case a Government invested by Parliament should try to use extreme means to resolve Katangese secession. Tshombé is still of opinion that he could depend on UN intervention in his favour. Can we dissuade him of this ?

Tshombé and College also feel that the big powers concerned and interested in Katanga affairs would support him. Anything you can do so that these powers state clearly their position will be of great assistance to us.

Khiari feels Tshombé will not honour his agreement with Mobutu when latter goes to Eville tomorrow. It is feared that Tshombé may try to win Mobutu over by offering him complete command over Katangese Gendarmerie enticing Mobutu to overthrow Léopoldville's regime. If this were to happen it is essential we know to what extent UN is prepared to interfere and prevent ~~any~~ such action.

d) Another question is the position UN should adopt in case Gizenga were to win complete control at Parliament and Kasa-Vubu were to destitute such a Government with the possible assistance of Mobutu.



- e) We will naturally continue to dissuade Kasa-Vubu of any such idea and will do likewise with Tshombé and Mobutu.
- f) Will also make representations to Cizonga, once the Government is constituted, so that he abstains from any action that would renew a possible crisis.
- g) Your urgent advice will be appreciated.



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO: BUNCHE  
FROM: MACEOIN  
DATE: 8 JULY 1961  
NO: ONUC

3894

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Reference your 4758.

The vehicles mentioned in our 3812 para 4 are the same vehicles requested by the Ghana Mission. However, there is a slight discrepancy in the figures. At this stage we would consider it wiser to move the five ferret scout cars by air rather than through Matadi. You will also notice in our request for airlift we have included 16 Landrovers. Those vehicles are included on the special request of the Ghana Brigade who, due to the shortage of such vehicles in Ghana and due to the necessary delay which will be involved in the sealift, require this minimum of vehicles for use on arrival in Ghana.

cc: ACOS  
Movement Control

Dr. LINNER ✓

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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO: BUNCHE  
FROM: MACEOIN  
DATE: 8 JULY 1961  
NO: ONUC

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3893

Reference your 4776.

The five Swedish dogs were brought from Elisabethville to Léopoldville to augment the protective forces in the Lovanium area. The Swedish Bn have 15 such animals. Three arrived from Gaza July 1960; six from Sweden November 1960 and six from Gaza May 1961. I do not understand what you mean by the psychological risks in the use of dogs. As this is normal military procedure for such tasks, we do not consider their use in any way unusual. We regret not making specific mention of their use, but their tasks are given in our Operation Order 3 dated 30 June 1961 which has been pouched to you.

DR. LINNEN ✓

cc: ACOS

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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Bunche  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 8 July 61  
No: ONUC 3892

SL

Your 3981 refers. There have been many difficulties in getting information on the airfields. The following has just been received from Stan:  
Quote: Our reliable informant has now returned from Buta where he visited airfield. This is very rarely<sup>ly</sup> used but in order not to dismiss twenty ground personnel the authorities are keeping them employed on care and maintenance. The runway is normally blocked by means of oil drums. No construction work or enlargement of the airfield is in hand. These seem to be the real facts behind the many rumours. Unquote.

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cc: Dr Linner ✓  
Mil Information



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Bunche, New York  
From: Mac Eoin  
Date: 8 July 61  
No: ONUC 3891

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Your 4729 and our 3890 refer.

We may have difficulty in fitting the two officers concerned in Operations and Information Branch appointments.

If however you feel you are committed to accepting them we will find other suitable employment for them.

*Basel*

cc: Dr Linner



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

TO: BUNCHE  
FROM: MACEOIN  
DATE: 8 JULY 1961  
NO: ONUC

3890

Reference your 4778.

As the requirement for Observers has not developed here we are finding it difficult to employ the two officers in question. We have sent them on specific missions to Albertville and Stanleyville for the purpose of acquiring information on the local situation at each place. This task was given to them mainly to keep them employed and secondly to give them a chance of becoming familiar with the different areas in the Congo so that if at any time the need for Observers arose that they would have some idea of local conditions. Colonel Aguilar speaks only Spanish and English and Lt Waca speaks only Spanish and French. It is difficult to place them at any staff job in this Headquarters. Therefore, I would strongly recommend that both of those officers be returned to their country as soon as possible, the <sup>reason</sup> ~~being~~ ~~xxxxxx~~ being that the Observer Group is no longer required. The above argument also holds good in the case of the two Argentinian officers who also arrived here to form the Observer Group. I suggest that those officers also be repatriated. In fact this is essential so as not to show any ~~xxxxxx~~ partiality.

cc: ACOS

DR. LINNER ✓

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OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Sec-Gen, New York  
From: Linner Mac Eoin  
Date: 2 July 61  
No: 3771

Reference ONUC 3651 and 3710.

The following has been received from Stan:

Quote: Immediately upon receipt of your message Lundulla started investigation. He told Teshome today that he has not given orders for his troops to move to Kabinda. He states that he has no troops in this town or in vicinity. He thinks that if your information is correct troubles might be due to revolt of local population. He reconfirms again that he gave orders to his troops to restrain from any aggressive movement. Unquote.

We have not received any additional information from ANC Leo on the Kabinda situation.

cc: Dr Linner

*J. J. B. [Signature]*



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Bunche, New York  
From: ~~Linner~~ Mac Eoin  
Date: 2 July 61  
No: ONUC 3769

Your 4670 refers. I concur.

cc: Mr Linner ✓

*Mac Eoin*



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Sec-Gen, New York  
From: Linner, Mac Eoin  
Date: 1 July 61  
No: 3766

SL

Subject: Parade Leo 30 June.

The parade in honour of Congolese Independence was held on the morning of 30 June. Military and civilian groups participated. The parade was commanded by Col BOBOZO, Commander 4th Bde Thysville, and the salute was taken by President Kasavubu in the presence of Congolese dignitaries and heads of UN staffs. A very large crowd witnessed the parade, which was very impressive.

Participants: approx 4000 troops, including 150 from Katanga, and approx 2000 from Thysville took part. Of these 500 were mounted on vehicles. Marching troops were in companies of 75 and included para commandoes, commandoes, ANC and Gendarmerie. Marching troops carried rifles, SMGs, LMGs, light mortars and bazookas. The mounted elements included two batteries 12 x 25 pounders, 6 x 40 mm Bofors, 18 x 20 mm ack-ack, 5 Greyhound armoured cars, MMGs and 81 mm mortars mounted on jeeps, and signal and engineer-equipped vehicles.

All troops were dressed in newly issued uniforms, which looked very smart. The general bearing and marching of troops was very good. The vehicles looked very well but mechanically seemed in need of maintenance.

Schoolchildren and youth groups also participated and the whole parade took some four hours to pass the saluting base.

The organisation and management of the parade was excellent and reflects a major improvement in training and discipline.



The troops from Thysville began returning to home stations late afternoon 30 June. Administrative vehicles have started to move to Thysville at 1300, 1 July. Forty MM Bofors troops have NOT yet moved but are reported to be preparing to move.

The KATANGESE detachment has NOT yet moved.

Parade at Luluabourg: Estimated 1000 ANC marched past President Mukenge; included in the parade, one company para-commandos, 81 and 60 MM mortars, MMGs, recoilless anti-tank guns and towed anti-tank guns.

There was no parade at Stanleyville or Elisabethville.

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(J. J. Caseley) Lt. Col.  
MA to Force Commander

cc: Dr. Linner ✓



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Linner

To: Sec-Gen, New York  
From: Linner, Mac Eoin  
Date: 1 July 61  
No:

3762

On Morning 29 June two Ethiopian officers, Capt Gebreyesus Michael and Lt Derbe Dessta, were installed as Liaison Officers at Lundulla's HQ Stan. Lundulla personally introduced them to his staff and gave orders that these two officers, and any other Ethiopian officer, have free access to his staff premises and to get all assistance and cooperation. We are awaiting acceptance by Lundulla to appoint one Malayan officer as a third LO.

cc: Dr Linner

JJ Linner



OUTGOING CODE CABLE

To: Sec-Gen, New York  
From: Linner, Mac Eoin  
Date: 1 July 61  
No:

3781

Following signal received from Eville:

Quote: Norwegian citizen Ole Evenrod terminated his service as a mercenary with the Katanga Gendarmerie on 11 June 61. Evenrod left Katanga immediately after dismissal from Gendarmerie. Unquote.

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cc: Dr Linner