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LEOBU 97 NACHAAT FROM AHMED REUR 774 WOULD BE GRATEFUL YOUR
CONSULTING WITH HEADQUARTERS IN FUTURE BEFORE AUTHORIZING
TRAVEL OF ANY LOCAL CIVILIANS STOP

cc: Mr. Poujoulet, Room 652

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T. O. R.

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5.7.61

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BU-269 For CUPERUS from TICKNER

Your BULE 756. Baudouinvillle is correct. Hope you can arrange as you suggest.

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IMMEDIATE

To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 3 July 1961
No. : BU-268

AS A RESULT OF CABLE FROM BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS MSF BUKAVU I HAVE TODAY
DISPATCHED FOLLOWING TELEGRAM TO SECRETARY-GENERAL:

QUOTE

1. INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS MALAYAN
SPECIAL FORCE BUKAVU REGARDING ONE TREDEZ A BELGIAN NATIONAL WHO HAS
APPLIED FOR CONGOLESE CITIZENSHIP. HE HAS BEEN IN GOMA THROUGHOUT THE
DISTURBANCES AND IS REPORTED TO HAVE CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE WITH LOCAL
POLITICIANS AS WELL AS ANG GENDARMERIE. AS A BUSINESSMAN IN THE TAILORING
AND DRAPERY FIELD HE HAS USED HIS INFLUENCE TO PREVENT ANY RETURN OF
EUROPEAN COMPETITORS TO GOMA AND HAS OBTAINED A COMPLETE MONOPOLY IN HIS
BUSINESS. MILITARY REPORTS THAT HE IS AN "EXTREMELY BAD INFLUENCE IN THE
AREA" PREVENTING THE RETURN OF BELGIAN NATIONALS WHO ARE WILLING TO RESUME
THEIR FORMER PEACEFUL OCCUPATIONS AND POSITION IN THE LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY.
HE IS ALSO PERSONA NON GRATA IN RUANDA-URUNDI WHERE HE HAS CAUSED A LOT OF
TROUBLE AND CONSEQUENTLY HAD HIS LAISSEZ-PASSER WITHDRAWN. ALTHOUGH HE HAS
NOT SO FAR CAUSED ANY DIRECT TROUBLE TO UN FORCES BRIGADE HQ MALAYAN SPECIAL
FORCE STRONGLY URGES HIS REMOVAL FROM CONGO. HE OPENLY DESCRIBES HIMSELF
AS "POLITICAL ADVISER" TO DISTRICT GOVERNMENT AND ATTENDS ALL MEETINGS ON
MATTERS OF SECURITY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.
2. IN VIEW OF LAST SENTENCE OF PREVIOUS PARAGRAPH IT IS CLEAR THAT HE WILL
FALL WITHIN PARA A-2 OF SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION OF 21 FEBRUARY. I AM
MAKING ARRANGEMENTS TO HAVE HIM BROUGHT TO LEO AND DEPORTED TO BELGIUM AFTER
INFORMING CONGOLESE AUTHORITIES IN LEO AS WELL AS FRENCH AMBASSADOR. TRUST
YOU HAVE NO OBJECTION TO SUCH ACTION. UNQUOTE.

GRATEFUL FOR YOUR COMMENTS AND OBSERVATIONS ON TREDEZ AND ON PROPOSED
ACTION. PLEASE KEEP THIS MATTER CONFIDENTIAL.

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LEOBU 89 NACHAAT FROM AHMED STOP KIRIZA GILBERT ARRIVED LEO IN
UNATIONS PLANE 23 JUNE ON MOVEMENT CONTROL ORDER CERTIFIED BY YOU
FOR ATTENDING LABOUR CONFERENCE HERE STOP PLEASE NOTE THAT SUCH
TRAVEL IN UNATIONS PLANES IS NOT JUSTIFIED AND SHOULD NOT BE
AUTHORIZED IN FUTURE STOP IN ALL CASES OF DOUBT ~~XX~~ PLEASE CABLE ME
FOR ADVICE BEFORE CERTIFICATION STOP

cc: Mrs. M. Mumford, Field Administration

Mr. Poujoulat

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T. O. R.

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 29 June 1961
No : BU-266

VIEW CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS AT NATIONAL LEVEL CONSIDER
ADVISABLE RELAXING FOR TIME BEING ONUC ACTION CONCERNING REGULARISATION
GOVERNMENT RECENTLY VOTED IN BY KIVU PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY. PLEASE LIMIT
INTERVENTIONS WITH SHANGO AND OTHER AUTHORITIES TO INCIDENTS REQUIRING
IMMEDIATE ACTION OUR PART IF ANY SHOULD HAPPEN IN MEANTIME. CABALLERO
DUE TO DEPART SOONEST TO TAKE OVER FROM GILPIN IN LULUABDURG THEREFORE
PLEASE REVERT TO PREVIOUSLY ESTABLISHED CHANNELS FOR YOUR COMMUNICATIONS.

*sent
R.L.*

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MOST IMMEDIATE

To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 29 June 1961
No : BU-265

Following from Micuta:

"Kasongo air voyage to Goma this afternoon was impossible on account of climatic conditions. He leaves to-morrow 290600Z and returns on 30 June afternoon and will be ready to proceed to Leo immediately."

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU

MOST IMMEDIATE

From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVIGLE *Lin*

Date : 29 June 1961

No : BU-264

Following from Micuta :

"Kasongo, the President of the Chamber and a company of 11 people are arriving to-morrow 29 June at 0730Z to Goma by ONUC plane. They will proceed immediately to Bukavu. Kasongo promised to help you in your relations with Shango. Please give him all possible assistance. We are very eager to have Kasongo back Friday afternoon. The plane will be waiting for him and his party all the time in Goma. Please influence him tactfully to leave Bukavu latest Friday morning. Also advise people expecting Kasongo in Goma about the date and hour of his arrival and check whether transport facilities for him and his party are adequate to proceed from Goma to Bukavu."

Regret delay due to technical difficulties.

Sink A.L.

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 23 June 1961
No. : BU- 263

REFERENCE YOUR BUKA 117. WOULD RECOMMEND YOU ADOPT POLICY OF COMPLETE DETACHMENT TOWARDS LOCAL PARTY FACTIONS IN VIEW OF IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS NOW GOING ON AT NATIONAL LEVEL. ULTIMATE SOLUTION TO KIVU POLITICS WILL BE DETERMINED BY ATTITUDES OF BUKAVU AND STAN AUTHORITIES TO PARLIAMENT. SUGGEST INTEREST IN SUCH QUESTIONS AS LEGALITY OF SHANGO APPOINTMENT IN- APPROPRIATE FOR UN. OUR FIRST INFORMATION CONCERNING HIS MLESSION TO BUKAVU CAME FROM TICKNER WHO HAD IT FROM GBENYE MINISTER OF INTERIOR STAN SO THAT LEGAL OR NOT IT ORIGINALLY HAD FULLY SUPPORT OF GIZENGA GOVERNMENT.

CONFIDENTIAL

To: Mr. LINNER, Mr. ROSSBOROUGH
From: X. Caballero

Re: Mr. CUPERUS telegram from BUKAVU (Buka 117)

You may consider advising Mr. Cuperus to follow a "wait-and-see" attitude for the time being, in view of the more important political activities at the national level that are taking place at present.

If the "new ministers - are - functioning" already, it is perhaps not fully necessary nor prudent to exert pressure in order to obtain that the "old ministers - be - officiqlly eliminated".

Equally, investigations concerning the legality of Mr. Shango's appointment as Commissaire d'Etat aswell as any action that presumably may be contemplated at the Bukavu level in connection with his status should better not take place at this stage.

The risk, for Mr. Cuperus, is to confirm the impression - already strongly indicated by Omarhi and Shango himself - that he has got too much involved in the strife of political factions at Kivu. Depending of course on the final outcome of those conflicts, Mr. Cuperus' position may vary from an enhancement of his present standing (if new men come in the end to power) to a position ~~which would be less favorable than his present one~~. A somewhat less subjective approach would be more advisable.

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU

From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE

Mimi

Date : 28 June 1961

NO. : BU-262

REFERENCE YOUR No. 120 TO CABALLERO. IT APPEARS THAT ARREST AND ESCAPE OF MESSECAP IS A MATTER ENTIRELY WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF AUTHORITIES IN UGANDA AND KINDU. IF HE IS ARRESTED BY ANC IT IS A MATTER FOR THEM TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO HAND HIM OVER TO UGANDA AUTHORITIES. ONUC SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT GET INVOLVED IN THIS AFFAIR. MSF SHOULD BE SO INSTRUCTED IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THEY ACCEPT CHARGE OF MESSECAP IF HANDED OVER BY ANC. PLEASE KEEP ME INFORMED OF DEVELOPMENTS.

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LEOPOLDVILLE
26 June, 1961

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BU- 261 CUPERUS from LINNER

Re your BULE 726. BIRINGANINE authorized
travel on UN A/C to Leopoldville.

Leopoldville
26 June 1961

John A. Kelly

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BU-260

CUPERUS FROM KELLY

Your Bule 734.

Please continue to send weekly reports as before.

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LEOPOLDVILLE
26 June, 1961

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BU- 259 CUPERUS from TICKNER

Apostolic Delegate has sent Linner request to aid Abbe Jerome Ndaye to travel from Samba, near Kindu, to Baudeinville via Bukavu and Usumbura. Is it practicable to assist?

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FOR TESHOMI NICUTA FROM LINNER MAC BOIN. FOR INFORMATION
HAKID CUPERUS BUKAVU CMM IYASSU RAJA BEEACUD AVILLE CMM OBRIEN WARREN
EVILLE AND MICHEL GILPIN LULUABOURG.

PARA ONE. WE LEARN WITH REGRET THAT DESPITE EARLIER PROTESTS
MOVES OF STAN AND CONTINUE TO BE MADE SOUTHWARDS TOWARDS SENTERY
AND KABALO AS WELL AS OTHER MOVES IN THE LUSAKBO AREA. THESE
MOVES HAVE NOW RESULTED IN CREATING A VERY SERIOUS SITUATION
POLITICALLY AS WELL AS MILITARILY. IT IS REGRETTABLE THAT AT
THIS PARTICULAR JUNCTURE IN THE POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS NOW TAKING
PLACE IN THE CONGO THESE MILITARY MOVES CONTINUE TO BE MADE
THUS PLACING THE PEACE NEGOTIATIONS AND MOVES NOW IN HAND IN
SERIOUS JEOPARDY.

PARA TWO. WE HAVE BEEN ORDERED BY THE TERMS OF THE SECURITY
COUNCIL RESOLUTION OF 21 FEB 61 TO BRING ALL MILITARY MOVEMENT
ON THE PART OF ANG AND GENDARMERIE TO A HALT. WE HAVE THIS
MORNING REPEATED ORDERS TO THE OC NORTH KATANGA AND TO THE OC UN
TROOPS IN KASAI TO OPPOSE THESE MOVES IN THE SENTERY/KABALO AREA
AND IN THE LUSAKBO AREA USING FORCE IF NECESSARY. THE STAN
AUTHORITIES MUST THEREFORE ACCEPT FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE
BLOODSHED WHICH IS CERTAIN TO ENSUE SHOULD THESE MOVES CONTINUE.
WE THEREFORE WISH YOU TO CONVEY TO GIZENGA AND LUNDULLA OUR GRAVE
CONCERN OVER THIS MATTER AND THE RELUCTANCE WITH WHICH WE HAVE
ISSUED THE ORDERS NOW REFERRED TO. WE MUST INSIST THAT THE STAN
ANG TROOPS REFERRED TO BE WITHDRAWN TO THEIR ORIGINAL STATIONS.
OTHERWISE WE SHALL BE OBLIGED BY THE TERMS OF THE RESOLUTION TO
MOUNT A MILITARY OPERATION IN ORDER TO BRING THESE MOVES TO AN END.
PARA THREE. YOU MUST LEAVE GIZENGA AND LUNDULLA IN ABSOLUTELY NO
DOUBT AS TO THE SERIOUSNESS OF THIS SITUATION AND TO OUR DETERMINA-
TION TO ENFORCE THE TERMS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION. END.

Drafted by :

Authorized : Gen Mac Boin

Date : 24 June 61

T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY :

cc: Dr Linner

LEOPOLDVILLE
22 JUNE 1961

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IMMEDIATE

To : OMBIEN NOKEDI, E'VILLE - EV 252
MICUTA GARDINER, STANLEYVILLE - BV 396
GILPIN, LULUABOURG - LU 149
ENGLUND, COQUILHATVILLE - CV-142
CUPERUS, BURAVU - BU 238

FROM LIAISON

TODAY AT 4 P.M. TSHOMBE HELD PRESS CONFERENCE IN ILED'S RESIDENCE IN PRESENCE OF CABINET MINISTERS CENTRAL GOVERNMENT AND WITH GENERAL MOBUTU SITTING NEXT TO HIM. TSHOMBE DECLARED HE HAD BEEN FREED TODAY AFTER DETENTION TWO MONTHS AND INTENDED IMMEDIATE RETURN ELISABETHVILLE. ADDED CONGO CRISIS OVER THANKS TO CLEAR UNDERSTANDING CONGOLESE PROBLEMS BY GREAT MAN MOBUTU. ADDED AS CHIEF OF STATE KATANGA WAS PREPARED COOPERATE FULLY WITH CONGOLESE LEADERS AND FELT CERTAIN ALL WOULD WORK JOINTLY FOR MAKING GREAT LAND OUT OF CONGO. TSHOMBE STATED ONE TECHNICAL PROBLEMS IMPOSSIBLE LEAVE TODAY PROBABLY DEPART TOMORROW. ADDED HE WOULD HOLD HIMSELF AVAILABLE FOR TALKS WITH KASA-VUBU CENTRAL GOVERNMENT AND BE AVAILABLE PARLIAMENTARY RECONVENING IF MET SUNDAY. ADDED DOUBTED PLANS COULD POSSIBLY BE COMPLETED BY SUNDAY FOR SUCH MEETING. TSHOMBE ALSO DECLARED HE NOT YET CONSULTED ON HIS PARTICIPATION IN FORMATION NEW CENTRAL GOVERNMENT. ADDED DECISION ONLY HIS AS CHIEF KATANGA STATE. ALSO ADDED WISH TO COOPERATE WITH ALL CONGOLESE BROTHERS. TSHOMBE STATED HIS RELEASE "SINE QUA NON" KATANGA PARTICIPATION RECONVENING PARLIAMENT AND PROCEEDED EXONERATE FULLY CENTRAL GOVERNMENT FOR HIS ARREST.

GENERAL MOBUTU CONFIRMED LIBERATION OF TSHOMBE AS OF NOON TODAY LED TIME AND LISTENED TO TSHOMBE SMILING AS TSHOMBE STATED WE WILL NO LONGER NEED UNEMPLOYED UNITED NATIONS STAFF WHO COME CONGO TO FIND WORK. TSHOMBE ADDED HE HAD DISCUSSED WITH KALONJI THIS POINT AND KALONJI AGREED WITH HIM. TSHOMBE ADDED WE DON'T NEED U.N. OR SUCH AS GARDINER AND THOSE OF OTHER NATIONALITIES WHO MIX IN CONGOLESE AFFAIRS.

MOBUTU ANNOUNCED COLONEL NDJOKU OF A.N.C. COMMANDANT IN LULUABOURG WOULD COME TO LED TODAY TO TRAVEL WITH TSHOMBE TO KATANGA AS WOULD FOUR OTHER SENIOR OFFICERS A.N.C. WHO WOULD BE TAKING OVER FULL COMMAND OF KATANGESE ARMED FORCES.

TSHOMBE ALSO ADDED PRIOR TO FINALIZING PRESS CONFERENCE THAT HE HAD REACHED TOTAL MILITARY AGREEMENT WITH MOBUTU AND THAT MOBUTU WOULD BE THE SUPREME COMMANDER OF ALL ARMED FORCES IN THE WHOLE OF THE CONGO. ENDALE

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OPS 1034 STOP MOVE OF VEHICLES FOR INDIAN BRIGADE FROM LEO TO KATANGA BEING PLANNED BY BARGE CMA ROAD AND RAIL STOP BEFORE MOVE CAN BE IMPLEMENTED CMA LEO REQUIRES FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM STAN CLN (A) FEASIBILITY OF MOVE BY BARGE TO STANLEYVILLE (B) FEASIBILITY OF MOVE BY TRAIN FROM STAN TO PONTIHERVILLE (C) FEASIBILITY OF MOVE FROM PONTIHERVILLE TO KINDU BY BARGE (D) FEASIBILITY OF MOVE FROM KINDU TO KASONGO BY TRAIN (E) FEASIBILITY OF MOVE FROM SAMBA TO ALBERTVILLE BY ROAD VIA SENTERY/KABALO STOP WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR VIEWS ALSO ON SECURITY ASPECTS OF ABOVE MOVES STOP DO YOU CONSIDER THAT ESCORTS WILL BE REQUIRED OVER ALL OR PART OF THIS ROUTE STOP PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST STOP

cc: Dr. Lennes ✓



T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY :

Drafted by : Lt Col POULIN

Authorized : Chief Mil. Ops

Date : 16.6.61

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BU-257 CUPERUS FROM LINNER

Following is text of Note Verbale dated 5 June which was given full
publicity by us in local press briefing:

Quote Quote

T. O. R.

BY:

Drafted by : Raja

Authorized : V. Fabry

Date : 14.6.61

T. O. D.

Le Chargé de mission des Nations Unies au Congo présente ses compliments au Ministère des Affaires étrangères et a l'honneur de l'informer de ce qui suit :

A la suite de différends politiques au sein du Gouvernement provincial du Kivu (Gouvernement Adrien Ozari) qui ont donné lieu à l'arrestation des deux ministres provinciaux et de plusieurs autres personnalités politiques, une certaine inquiétude s'est manifestée parmi la population de la région de Bukavu.

Le 26 mai une patrouille de l'ANC s'est rendue dans le village de Nyangesi, situé au sud de Bukavu, pour y procéder à l'arrestation d'un chef de la tribu Bashi. Les villageois se sont opposés à cette arrestation et dans l'acrobchage qui s'ensuivit, deux soldats de l'ANC furent tués. En représailles, l'ANC a incendié le village et causé la mort d'environ soixante habitants. Quatre villageois, propriétaires d'une maison dans laquelle furent trouvés les corps des deux soldats ANC tués, furent ramené à Bukavu et exécutés sur l'ordre du Président provincial Ozari.

Dès que les représentants des Nations Unies à Bukavu apprirent ces événements, ils prirent immédiatement des mesures pour faire cesser les sévices et rétablir l'ordre. Le commandant territorial de Bukavu, le Major Bangala, alors absent, fut rappelé d'urgence de Goma pour qu'il puisse rétablir en coopération avec les forces de l'ONU la discipline parmi les soldats de l'ANC. Des patrouilles renforcées de l'ONU assurèrent la surveillance dans la ville de Bukavu, et en coopération avec le Major Bangala, d'autres patrouilles furent envoyées dans la région de Nyangesi pour assurer la retraite des troupes de l'ANC et les empêcher de continuer leurs menaces à la population.

Un couvre-feu fut instauré dans la ville de Bukavu qui s'appliquait non seulement à la population mais aussi aux soldats de l'ANC sauf à ceux qui accompagnaient les patrouilles de l'ONU. Des mesures furent prises pour faire cesser les émissions radiophoniques incendiaires de Radio Bukavu. Finalement, la surveillance de la frontière entre le Kivu et le Ruanda-Urundi fut renforcée pour prévenir toute incursion de l'étranger dans les affaires congolaises.

Ministère des Affaires étrangères
Léopoldville

En même temps que les unités malaises et nigériennes servant dans la Force des Nations Unies prenaient ces mesures pour rétablir la sécurité, des démarches furent entreprises pour obtenir la libération des personnalités politiques emprisonnées, mettre un terme à la violation des principes fondamentaux des droits de l'homme et rétablir la légalité. A la suite de ces démarches, une délégation fut envoyée de Stanleyville pour appuyer les dispositions prises par les Nations Unies. Les ministres et députés provinciaux ainsi que d'autres personnalités politiques furent libérés, et des enquêtes furent entreprises pour établir, avec l'assistance technique d'un fonctionnaire des Nations Unies, la preuve des actes criminels qui pourraient être imputés à toute autre personne se trouvant emprisonnée à Bukavu, afin de pouvoir déterminer si les inculpations dont elle a fait l'objet sont d'une gravité suffisante pour justifier, en vertu du Code pénal, sa détention en attendant comparution devant un tribunal compétent.

Finalement, les représentants des Nations Unies ont mis tout en œuvre pour que l'Assemblée provinciale soit convoquée et puisse examiner, en toute sécurité et indépendance, les problèmes politiques de la Province du Kivu qui relèvent constitutionnellement de sa compétence. Toutes mesures utiles ont été prises pour assurer la protection de l'Assemblée et de ses membres. L'Assemblée provinciale s'est réunie en effet le 1er juin, mais en raison du court délai de convocation, elle n'a pas pu réunir ce jour-là le quorum requis. Les Nations Unies ont alors fourni leur aide et leurs moyens de transport pour faciliter le voyage d'autres parlementaires de leur lieu de résidence à Bukavu. Le 2 juin l'Assemblée, ayant atteint son quorum, a refusé, par un vote de 13 voix pour et 26 contre avec quelques abstentions, de donner sa confiance au Gouvernement Adrien Omasi et a décidé de procéder à l'élection d'un nouveau Gouvernement le 4 juin.

Le Chargé de mission des Nations Unies au Congo saisit cette occasion pour renouveler au Ministère des Affaires étrangères les assurances de sa haute considération.

Léopoldville, le 5 juin 1961

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, FABRY, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 14 June 1961
No. : BU-256

REUR BUKA 104.

EN PRINCIPE AUCUNE INTERVENTION NE DEVRAIT ETRE FAITE POUR FACILITER
CONTACTS ENTRE PERSONNES RESIDANT AU CONGO ET COMMISSION POUR RUANDA-URUNDI.
TOUTEFOIS, SI VOUS RECEVEZ DES COMMUNICATIONS COMME CELLE DE KABANGUKA
DESTINEES A LA COMMISSION, VOUS POUVEZ LES LUI RETRANSMETTRE AVEC UNE
INDICATION DE DESINTERESSEMENT DE VOTRE PART.

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 12 June 1961
No. : BU- 255

REUR BUKA 101 AND 102.

1. REFERENCE PARA TWO OF YOUR BUKA 102, YOU MAY TELL UNCUMBI THAT ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE TOOK NECESSARY STEPS TO COUNTERACT EXAGGERATED NEWS REPORTS ABOUT KIVU SITUATION. WE ARE CABLING YOU EN CLAIR TEXT OF NOTE VERBALE GIVEN BY US FULL PUBLICITY IN LOCAL PRESS BRIEFING AFTER WE HEARD THE HORROR STORIES SPREAD FROM OTHER SOURCES. WE MUST OF COURSE RELY ON YOUR OWN IMPARTIAL REPORTS; YOU WOULD TAKE INTO ACCOUNT PERTINENT INFORMATION WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES MIGHT WISH TO GIVE TO YOU, PROVIDED IT IS TRUE.
2. RE PARAGRAPH 3 WE ARE ASKING GORDON TO EXPEDITE SENDING OF REQUESTED INFORMATION MATERIAL.
3. ~~RE YOUR BUKA 101, WE WOULD PREFER IF EITHER YOU OR CABALLERO REMAIN HOLDING THE FORT AT BUKAVU AND DO NOT LEAVE BOTH AT THE SAME TIME. COULD EITHER OF YOU ARRIVE ON 15 JUNE OR IN THE MORNING OF 16 JUNE AT THE LATEST ?~~

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 12 June 1961
No : BU-254

Your 101. Most welcome as suggested.

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TO : CUPERUS, CABALLERO, BUKAWU
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 11 June 1961
No. : BU-253

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REUR BUKA 98 . AM PERTURBED BY DISAPPOINTING NEWS . WOULD LIKE CABALLERO TO PREPARE SOONEST AN OVERALL ASSESSMENT OF THE KIWU SITUATION FROM BOTH POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC VIEWPOINTS . AFTER DISCUSSING SECURITY SITUATION WITH ~~XANKE~~ HAMID PLEASE PREPARE TENTATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE WHICH ~~XOM~~ UN COULD OFFER IN INSURING THAT NEW GOVERNMENT CAN FUNCTION IN A MORE NORMAL WAY . I WOULD LIKE YOUR COMMENTS ON FOLLOWING POINTS :

~~PARAGRAPHS~~ A . LEGAL POSITION OF NEW GOVERNMENT IN LIGHT OF CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS EXPLAINED IN FABRY'S BRIEFING TO CABALLERO .

B . POSSIBILITY OF GIVING TO NEWLY ELECTED MINISTERS UN PROTECTION NECESSARY TO PERMIT THEM TO ASSUME THEIR FUNCTION AND TO PREVENT DISMISSED MINISTERS FROM HINDERING THEM TO TAKE OVER THEIR DUTIES .

C . IMPLEMENTATION OF MASENA'S PROPOSAL FOR SCREENING OF ALL PRISONERS AND RELEASE OF THOSE AGAINST WHOM NO PRIMA FACIE PROOF OF COMMON LAW CRIMES CAN BE ESTABLISHED .

D . POSSIBILITY OF TAKING EMERGENCY MEASURES SUCH AS THOSE DISCUSSED BETWEEN CABALLERO AND FABRY FOR SIDE STEPPING SHORTAGE OF BANKNOTES .

E . ATTITUDE OF NEW GOVERNMENT TOWARDS LIBERALIZING TRADE .

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TO : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLVILLE
DATE : 8 June 1961
NO : BU-252

BUKA-94

YOUR BUKA-94 THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR ASKS ME TO CONVEY TO
YOU HIS GREAT APPRECIATION OF YOUR ACTION RE CLARKE.

7 June 1961

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BU-251

CUPERUS FROM KELLY

ONUC

STANLEYVILLE

SV-358

MICUTA FROM KELLY

REFERENCE CIV-664 FROM STANLEYVILLE.

AGREE THAT DC3 MAY STOP GOMA AND BRING MASSENA AND HIS PARTY TO
STANLEYVILLE.

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To : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 6 June 1961
No. : BU-250

CABALLERO'S MISSION IS TO PROVIDE YOU WITH GUIDANCE AND ASSISTANCE IN HANDLING THE POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF THE TASKS WITH WHICH YOU ARE NOW CONFRONTED. YOU SHOULD KEEP HIM INFORMED OF YOUR PLANS AND ACTIONS AND CARRY OUT YOUR DUTIES IN CONSULTATION WITH HIM. CABALLERO IS HOWEVER NOT REPEAT NOT SUPERSEDING YOU IN YOUR JOB AND THE FINAL RESPONSIBILITY REMAINS WITH YOU REPEAT YOU. I TRUST THAT YOU WILL COOPERATE SMOOTHLY AND THAT YOU WILL FIND HIS ADVICE AND GUIDANCE USEFUL. PLEASE CONVEY THESE INSTRUCTIONS IN APPROPRIATE FORM ALSO TO YOUR ~~XXXXXX~~ MILITARY COLLEAGUES.

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CUPERUS FROM FABRY

CABALLERO ARRIVING USUMBURA 12.30 HOURS BY AIR CONGO FLIGHT SN 424
ON 7 JUNE. AIR OPS WILL FLY HIM OVER TO BUKAVU. PLEASE ARRANGE
RECEPTION AND ACCOMMODATION.

T. O. R.

BY :

Drafted by :

Authorized :

Date :

8 June 1961

T. O. D.

LEOPOLDVILLE
6 JUNE 1961

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BU-248 CUPERUS FROM LINNEN

WISH TO CONGRATULATE YOU ON THE FINE JOB YOU ARE DOING
AND ON YOUR EXCELLENT REPORTING.

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TO: CUPERUS, BUKAVU
FROM: GARDINER, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE: 6 June 1961
NO. BU- 247

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CENTRAL GOVERNMENT ANXIOUS TO KNOW IF ANC SOLDIERS IN BUKAVU HAVE
BEEN PAID X PLEASE ADVISE X

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TO : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 5.JUNE 1961
NO : BU-246

REYOUR BULE 631, PARA 2.

1. TRY TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH MASSENA AND PRESIDENT OF PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY FOR BANNING ALL LIVE POLITICAL BROADCAST AND REQUIRING THAT ALL BROADCAST OF A POLITICAL NATURE BE PLAYED BACK FROM A TAPE. YOU COULD THEN ASSIST MASSENA AND ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT ^{DECIDING} WHICH BROADCAST SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS BEING OF AN INFLAMMATORY NATURE OR INCONSISTENT WITH CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS. ANY SUCH BROADCASTS COULD THEN BE PROHIBITED BY THESE TWO AUTHORITIES AS PREJUDICIAL TO MAINTENANCE OF LAW AND ORDER AND UN COULD ASSIST IN ENFORCING THE BAN PROVIDED YOU OBTAIN WRITTEN REQUEST FROM THEM TO THAT EFFECT.
2. WE ARE SENDING CABALLERO TO ASSIST YOU IN HANDLING THE TOUGH AND DELICATE JOB WHICH YOU HAVE. HE WILL LEAVE AS SOON AS AIR TRANSPORT CAN BE ARRANGED. ARRIVAL DETAILS WILL BE FLASHED TO YOU EN CLAIR.

Leopoldville
5 June 1961

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BU-245 CUPERUS FROM KELLY

Madame DuPanat leaving Leopoldville on Wednesday
7 June for Usumbura where she will await her luggage from
Goma.

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OUTGOING CODE

TO : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 4 JUNE 1961
NO : BU- 244

WE ARE VERY MUCH CONCERNED ABOUT THE DEVELOPMENTS IN BUKAVU BECAUSE OF THE IMPLICATIONS WHICH THEY MAY HAVE ON THE OVERALL POLITICAL SITUATION IN THE CONGO AND ON THE SOLUTION OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CRISIS, AND ARE THEREFORE ANXIOUS THAT YOU DO ALL YOU CAN TO ENABLE THE PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM^S BY MEANS PROVIDED IN ~~THE~~ LOI FONDAMENTALE. I DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO ITS ARTICLE 123 AND 124 WHICH STIPULATE THE PROCEDURES FOR ELECTIONS OF MEMBERS OF GOVERNMENT AND PROVIDE THAT AN ABSOLUTE MAJORITY (THAT IS 41 DEPUTIES) MUST GIVE THEIR AFFIRMATIVE VOTE FOR ELECTING THE GOVERNMENT. IT APPEARS THEREFORE ESSENTIAL TO SECURE THE ATTENDANCE OF AS MANY DEPUTIES AS POSSIBLE BEFORE PROCEEDING TO THE VOTE. THERE MAY ALSO BE SOME DOUBT AS TO THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE VOTE TAKEN ON 2 JUNE. IT COULD NOT BE CONSIDERED AS A "MOTION DE CENSURE" AS THAT WOULD REQUIRE A TWO THIRD MAJORITY OF ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY (ARTICLE 170) AND NOT ONLY OF THE DEPUTIES PRESENT AND WORKING. AS HOWEVER THE OMARI GOVERNMENT HAS NEVER BEEN ELECTED BY THE ASSEMBLY, WE MAY PERHAPS CONSIDER THE VOTE AS CONCERNING OMARI'S CONFIRMATION RATHER THAN DISMISSAL. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER ^{THIS} INTERPRETATION IS CORRECT AND IS NOT INCONSISTENT WITH THE FACTS.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION, THE KIVU SITUATION HAS BEEN RAISED WITH THE SECRETARY GENERAL BY PRESIDENT KASA-VUBU AND IS BEING CONSIDERED AS A TEST CASE OF UN POLICY WITH REGARD TO "RETOUR A LA LEGALITE".

Jah A. Kelly

OUTGOING CODE

TO : CUPERUS, BUKAVU
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 4 JUNE 1961
NO : BU-243

YOUR BUKA 90.

1. HAVE PASSED CONTENTS OF YOUR CABLE TO MICUTA.
HOWEVER, IN VIEW YOUR ADVICE THAT MASSENA HAS INCORRECTLY
EVALUATED THE POSITION, HAVE TOLD MICUTA NOT REPEAT NOT
TO PASS ON THE MESSAGE NOW.
2. PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED IF SITUATION CHANGES.

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To : HAMID, CUPERUS, BUKAVU

From : LINNER, LEOPOLVILLE

Date : 1 JUNE 1961

No : BU-242

Reur BULE 622.

YOUR NEWS DISAPPOINTING BUT WE STILL HOPE FOR THE BEST.
RE PARA 'C' BRUN INFORMED. RE PARA 'D' YOU SHOULD GIVE ALL POSSIBLE
ASSISTANCE IN ASSURING SECURITY OF PROVINCIAL DEPUTIES AND PROVINCIAL
ASSEMBLY MEETINGS, EVEN IF THE METHODS OF CONVENING THEM ARE SOMEWHAT
IRREGULAR. YOU SHOULD IN THE MEANWHILE TRY TO IMPRESS AUTHORITIES TO
REMEDY SHORTCOMINGS AND TO ENSURE THAT DEMOCRATIC PROCESSES CAN BE
MAINTAINED.

cc. Tom MacEvin