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Further to our D-570, Gizenga has replied on the Samba incident as follows : "J'ai été saisi de l'incident du 25 février à Samba. Les dispositions nécessaires ont été prises afin d'assurer la sécurité des personnes sans distinction de nationalité". End.
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LEOPOLDVILLE
18 March 1961

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BU- 215 FITZGERALD from KELLY

International Red Cross requests UN to assist evacuation of
Belgian citizens Marcel Hubrecht and son who are in Bukavu.

Leopoldville

18 March 1961

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BU-214

Fitzgerald from Kelly

1. We protested to Gizenga concerning the ill-treatment of the priests and nuns at Samba, where the nuns were forced to dance naked with the ANC soldiery.
2. Gizenga has replied as follows and you may wish to inform MSF Kindu : Quote J'ai été saisi de l'incident du 25 février à Samba. Les dispositions nécessaires ont été prises afin d'assurer la sécurité des personnes sans distinction de nationalité. Unquote end.

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TO : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE
FROM : MARTIN, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 18 MARCH 1961
NO : EV-148

Un nommé Luangi nous supplie d'user/ nos bons offices
pour obtenir libération de son fils Jacques, un adolescent qui
serait innocent de tout méfait ou intention politique et qui
aurait été arrêté à Elisabethville le 16 février. Berendsen
immédiatement alerté, nous disait ne pouvoir rien faire par
lettre du 24 février 1961. Serez-vous plus heureux à la faveur
de nouvelles circonstances ?

LEOPOLDVILLE
18 March 1961

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ONUC
E'VILLE

EV-147 DUMONTET FROM ABBAS

Your ELLED 213 and 215. Secretary-General informs he
has made necessary representations.

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18 mars 1961

Monsieur,

J'ai l'honneur d'accuser réception de vos lettres du 4 mars 1961 et du message de M. Diango François les accompagnant.

Nous aimerions pouvoir vous aider, mais l'Organisation des Nations Unies au Congo n'a ni le pouvoir ni les moyens d'assurer le transport des particuliers et de leurs effets personnels. Nous ne pouvons pas non plus nous charger du recouvrement des dettes impayées, ni nous substituer aux autorités pour faire rendre justice aux particuliers qui s'estiment lésés.

Notre mission est d'aider les autorités du pays à rétablir et maintenir l'ordre public et de leur fournir de l'assistance technique. Nous n'avons pas le droit d'agir en dehors du cadre de cette mission en faveur de particuliers et notre action humanitaire ne peut s'exercer que dans les cas d'extrême-urgence (famine - catastrophes, etc..).

Je ne puis donc que vous suggérer de vous adresser aux autorités locales pour la défense de vos intérêts ainsi qu'à votre parent à Elisabethville.

Agréez, Monsieur, l'expression de mes sentiments distingués.

Jean-Pierre Martin
Adjoint du Représentant Spécial
du Secrétaire Général

Monsieur Tambwe André
chez M. Kalenda Grégoire
Camp Cotonco
B.P. 16
Kabinda
KASAI

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The Organization of the United Nations in the Congo presents its compliments to the Embassy of the Republic of China and has the honour to acknowledge receipt of its Note Verbal RC-77 dated 10 March 1961.

The Organization of the United Nations in the Congo thanks the Government of the Republic of China for its generous response to the appeal by the Secretary-General of the United Nations asking the Member States to contribute to the relief of distressed people in the Congo.

The Organization of the United Nations in the Congo will be happy to participate in a ceremony at the time the 100 tons of rice contributed by the Republic of China can be formally delivered to the United Nations. It is suggested that this ceremony be held in Leopoldville when this contribution arrives in the capital, rather than in Matadi aboard the "Ras Maersk", as Leopoldville appears most appropriate for a ceremony attended by high ranking representatives of the China Embassy, of the Congolese Authorities and of the Organization of the United Nations in the Congo. The office of Refugee Relief Coordination of the Organization of the United Nations in the Congo will establish contact by telephone with the Embassy of the Republic of China to make all necessary arrangements in due time and offer any assistance which may be requested by the Embassy of the Republic of China at the occasion.

The Organization of the United Nations in the Congo takes advantage of this opportunity to renew to the Embassy of the Republic of China the assurances of its high consideration.

Leopoldville, 18 March 1961

Embassy of the Republic
of China
Leopoldville

ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES
AU CONGO



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L'Organisation des Nations Unies au Congo présente ses compliments à l'Ambassade de la République de Chine et a l'honneur d'accuser réception de sa Note Verbale RC/81 en date du 14 mars 1961 annonçant l'arrivée à Léopoldville de Monsieur Bernard Tchen-Kao Joei et son entrée en fonction en qualité de Conseiller de l'Ambassade, et transmettant la liste du personnel de l'Ambassade.

L'Organisation des Nations Unies au Congo saisit cette occasion pour renouveler à l'Ambassade de la République de Chine les assurances de sa très haute considération.

Léopoldville, le 18 mars 1961

Ambassade de la
République de Chine
Léopoldville



LEOPOLDVILLE
18 mars 1961

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ONUC
STANLEYVILLE

SV-²⁶³ DURAN DE MARTIN

Votre Civ 311 Anne Bamuswa entrée à hopital Lovanium 19
septembre sortie 29 décembre avec maladie congenitale incurable
et fièvre thyphoide bien guérie. Adresse indiquée 151 avenue
Prince Beaudouin Léopoldville.

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To : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
From : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 18 March 1961
No. : SV- 262

Sabena Guest House Leopoldville states the eight Belgian soldiers are arriving Leopoldville today. Can you confirm.

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LEOPOLDVILLE
17 March, 1961

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ONUC
BUKAVU

BU- 213 FITZGERALD from KELLY

Your BULE 266 and BULE 287. Issue your statement with following amendments in para. 10:

- a) Delete third sentence referring to 30 million francs and substitute the following: "The Monetary Council with ONUC assistance has brought very substantial funds into the Province to alleviate financial difficulties".
- b) After fourth sentence relating to foreign currency add the following phrase "...and licenses have already been issued".
- c) In sixth sentence, the medical team consisted of five, not six, persons.



cc: Mr. S. Linner
Mr. V. Umbricht

OUTGOING CLEAR

LEOPOLDVILLE
17 March, 1961

ONUC
BUKAVU

BU- 212/ FITZGERALD from KELLY

Luxembourg Consulate has been informed that Luxembourg national, Paul GOEDERT, is being guarded as a prisoner in the Congolese internment camp at Bukavu and requests UN secure his release. Would be grateful if you would report accordingly.

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TO : BRZAK, ALBERTVILLE
FROM : MARTIN, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 17 MARCH 1961
NO : AV-43

Sendwe nous a téléphoné de Bruxelles en nous priant transmettre message suivant à Mwamba: "Suis encore en Europe avec Shabani et les autres mais ^{nous} allons rentrer. Tout va bien. Nous nous reverrons bientôt. Soyez tranquilles. Sendwe."

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ONUC LEOCOQ 11 FOR CO ETHIOPIAN BN AND AZZAM STOP WILL RETURN
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BY :

T. O. D.

Drafted by : Van der Goot

Authorized : Ahmed

Date : 17.3.61

Leopoldville
16 March 1961

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ONUC
BUKAVU

BU-211

FITZGERALD FROM KELLY

Your Bule 2181/61.

1. Please see our Bu-74 of 19 January in which Miller was requested to transmit the note to Kashamura.
2. Since the document has been issued as a SECCO Document, you may transmit all or part of it as a public document to any one you choose.

Leopoldville
16 March 1961

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ONUC
LULUABOURG

LU-92

VEILLET-LAVALLEE FROM KELLY

1. Greek Consul General requests information concerning Jean Provataris, Manager of "Soplataris" plantation at Lomami, North West of Lomela. He also requests information concerning Deputy Manager Tavares (Portuguese). Nothing has been heard of them for over a month.
2. However, it is known that the plantation does not now have cash to pay the workers and that serious trouble would arise in the area if they are not paid. If you should be able to send a patrol to Lomami, the firm would appreciate it if the patrol could take with it the funds to pay the workers there. You may be approached by their Luluabourg agent, Silva of Vahe, Nogueira & Cie in this connection, and, if the patrol is in a position to escort the funds to Lomami, we would be in favour.

Leopoldville
16 March 1961

OUTGOING CLEAR

ONUC
LULUABOURG

LU- 9/ VEILLET-LAVALLEE FROM KELLY

Your 383-A and BDE 1136-G

1. Hitherto whenever Red Cross personnel have been ill-treated in any way, we have lodged a formal protest with the authorities responsible for the area of such incidents. Please send us as soon as possible a report on the Luiza incident, giving all the facts, with a view to enabling us to prepare such a protest.
2. International Red Cross asks us for information on situation and present whereabouts of Schneideman of New Zealand Red Cross

Le 16 mars 1961

Cher Monsieur Mendes,

Me référant à notre conversation du 14 courant au sujet de trois ressortissants portugais portés manquants au Kasai pendant un mois, l'ONU à Luluabourg vient de m'informer que MM. Lovrenco et Antonio Martins sont à présent en sécurité à Luluabourg et que M. Oliveira se trouve à Yalomoto.

Agréez, Cher Monsieur Mendes, mes salutations distinguées.

J. KELLY
Adjoint au Représentant
spécial

Monsieur ANTONIO MENDES
Restaurant La Paillote
Léopoldville

16 March 1961

Dear Mr. Rinaldi,

I have been asked to pass to you the following message from De Rubeis Guido, who was evacuated from Lodja (Kasai) by UN :

"Frego comunicare mia moglie tilde De Rubeis via G Carini 41 Roma che sono bene arrivato a Luluabourg ieri da Lodja aereo ONU".

Yours sincerely,

J. KELLY

Assistant to the Special Representative

Mr. P. RINALDI
First Secretary
Italian Embassy
Leopoldville

LEOPOLOVILLE
15 March 1961

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EV-146 DUMONTET FROM ABBAS

Your ELLEO 217 will be grateful for despatch of texts.

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Leopoldville

15 March 1961

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LULUABOURG

LU-20

VEILLET-LAVALLEE FROM KELLY

Your 372-A.

Please inform us of total number of priests and sisters concerned also their nationalities and the religious orders to which they belong. This information is necessary before we can approach French Embassy and Apostolic Delegate in order to secure repatriation of the priests and nuns.

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LEOPOLDVILLE
15 March 1961

ONUC
COQUILHATVILLE

CV- 54 AZAM from AHMED

Reyour ADM 114. No taxes payable on any goods procured by UN and if such taxes indirectly included in sales price we have right for their refund. However this exemption does not apply to purchases made outside of UN procurement channels or to goods bought for personal consumption by individuals or units to supplement UN rations or items available through PX.

Leopoldville
14 MARCH 1961

OUTGOING CLEAR

ONUC

LULUABOURG

LAVALLEE

LU-88 VEILLET-/ FROM KELLY

1. We have been asked for information regarding three Portuguese nationals who have been missing since 15 February. They are Mr. Lovrence Martins Naialemos of Ikela, Mr. Oliveira of village Yalokoto near Ikela, Mr. Antonio Martins Danaia Lemos of Lomela.
2. It has been suggested that when the Stanleyville ANC withdrew from Kasai, they may have taken the three Portuguese with them to Orientale. Alternatively, the three Portuguese may have fled in front of the invading Stanleyville ANC and be now somewhere in Kasai.
3. We would be grateful to receive any information regarding these persons.

Leopoldville
14 MARCH 1961

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ONUC
STANLEYVILLE

SV-261

DURAN FROM KELLY

1. We have been asked for information regarding three Portuguese nationals who have been missing since 15 February. They are Mr. Lovrenco Martins Naialemos of Ikela, Mr. Oliveira at village Yalokoto near Ikela, Mr. Antonio Martins Danaia Lemos of Lomela.
2. It has been suggested that when the Stanleyville ANC withdrew from Kasai, they may have taken the three Portuguese with them to Orientale. Alternatively, the three Portuguese may have fled in front of the invading Stanleyville ANC and be now somewhere in Kasai.
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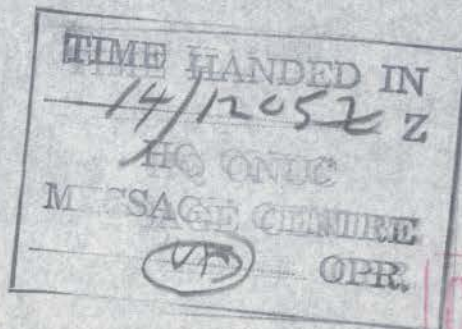
Leopoldville
14 march 1961

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ONUC
STANLEYVILLE

SV-260 DURAN FROM KELLY

1. Please deliver following message from Charpentier to Honnerat : quote Confirmation du même message envoyé par voie postale : Dès réception de ce message, je vous serais obligé de venir à Léopoldville me rendre compte de l'organisation de votre poste. Vous voudrez bien préciser aux autorités locales que votre absence n'excèdera pas dix jours. Unquote.
2. By letter of 4 March to Swedish Consulate, Norwegian Baptist missionary Sommer of Bondo states that Norwegian missionary Moen requests UN evacuate himself (Moen) wife and two children to Bangassou. The Moen family is at Manga near Bondo. Would be glad if you would make suitable arrangements.
3. Sommer also states ⁱⁿ his letter of 4 March that the Bondo mission includes 9 children and that flour and milk are very scarce. He also states that the Belgian shop keeper of Bondo has been arrested and is still under arrest.



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LEOPOLDVILLE
13 March 1961

ONUC
LULUABOURG

LU- 88 VEILLET-LAVALLEE from KELLY

1. Fédération des Entreprises congolaises informs us a Belgian, De Beule, a Portuguese, Rebocho and two missionary priests left Bena-Dibele by car on 20 February proceeding towards either Lodja or Kole. Since 20 February no word has been heard of this group.
2. We would be grateful to receive any information concerning them.

13 mars 1961

Excellence,

Me référant à notre conversation de ce matin et aux recherches qui ont été entreprises pour retrouver le lieutenant Demassi, je tiens à vous communiquer l'information suivante dont M. Martin a déjà fait part à M. Kasongo par téléphone cet après-midi.

Un marchand afghan et un commerçant belge auraient vu, vers le 10 mars, le lieutenant Demassi en train de manger avec des officiers de l'ANC à un poste se trouvant sur la route à Kasangulu.

Le commandement des forces de l'ONUC a transmis cette information au Chef adjoint de la Sûreté, M. Matuba, lequel a promis qu'une patrouille serait envoyée à Kasangulu demain pour voir ce qu'il en est.

J'espère que les efforts qui pourront être déployés sous votre autorité aboutiront au retour du lieutenant Demassi à son unité.

Agrées, Excellence, l'expression de ma haute considération.

Mekki Abbas
Représentant spécial du
Secrétaire général a.i.

Son Excellence
M. Justin Bomboko
Ministre des Affaires étrangères
Léopoldville

Le 13 mars 1961

Monsieur le Secrétaire Général,

Je vous retourne ci-inclus une note de service du Ministère des Affaires étrangères No.12/1013/4, portant votre signature, qui m'est arrivée ce matin par le courrier.

La teneur de cette note me donne à penser que c'est une communication intérieure qui nous a été adressée par erreur.

Agréez, Monsieur le Secrétaire Général, l'assurance de ma haute considération.

Jean-Pierre Martin
Adjoint du Représentant spécial

Monsieur S. KINI
Secrétaire Général,
Ministère des Affaires Etrangères
Léopoldville



MINISTRE DES
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NOTE DE SERVICE AUX DIRECTIONS
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Dans le but de faciliter nos prises de positions tant à l'ONU qu'ici et pour nous permettre de nous faire une idée sur les positions respectives des divers pays à notre égard, je vous saurez gré de bien vouloir éplucher rapidement les comptes-rendus des débats qui ont eu lieu tant au conseil de Sécurité qu'à l'assemblée générale sur l'accréditation de notre délégation.

A la suite de cela, vous classerez les pays en 3 catégories:

- 1) Ceux qui nous soutiennent
- 2) Ceux qui nous combattent
- 3) Ceux qui sont neutres ou indécis.

Le Secrétaire Général,

S. K I N I.

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Jack R. Kelly

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To : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
From : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 13 March 1961
No. : SV- 257

Your CIV ADM 110.

1. Arrest of Alexander and refusal by Stanleyville authorities to let him leave Stanleyville are most disturbing. Scott, who has not heard from Alexander for some two weeks, did not know he was intending to return to Leopoldville on 13 March nor did we know he was coming on a UN plane. Charpentier wonders if Honnerat is also affected.
2. Please inform us of the whole background to this affair, and also use your good offices to ensure that Alexander is permitted to leave Stanleyville.

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LEOPOLDVILLE
13 March 1961

ONUC
KAMINA

KA- 66 WRIGHT from KELLY

Your Kalee 483. Your request to send the thirty nuns to Elisabethville by air on Tuesday's UN flight is approved by the Force Commander. Movement Control order follows separately.

LEOPOLDVILLE
12 MARCH 1961

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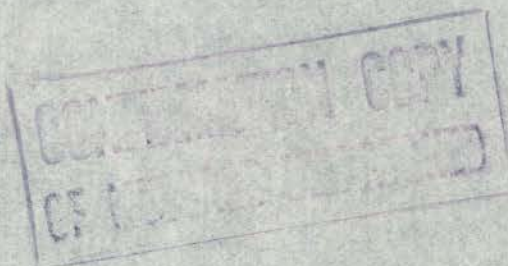
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BU- 210 FITZGERALD FROM ABBAS

Have received early this morning following from Secretary-
General CLN QUOTE (cable 1739) UNQUOTE

Please let me have a most immediate comment for transmission
to the Secretary-General.



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To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 12 March 1961
No : EV-145

Secretary-General has made representations to the Government of the United Kingdom regarding South African nationals and regarding Captain "Brown". He also asked me to instruct you in the following terms:

"Please instruct our representative in Eville that he should immediately approach the responsible Katangese authorities, firstly, to request that the Secgen be immediately informed what action the Katangese authorities have taken pursuant to the message which was addressed to Mr. Tshombe by the Special Representative of the Secgen on 2 March 1961. In this regard, he should emphasize the urgency of an immediate reply, particularly in view of the fact that in the course of the next few days negotiations for the evacuation of Belgian nationals will be undertaken in Brussels between the UN and the Belgian Government. It will of course be noted that the Belgian Government has accepted a representative of the Secgen for the purpose of such negotiations. Secondly, our representative should also state, on behalf of the Secgen, that he is shocked to be informed that instead of having received information from Mr. Tshombe to the effect that he would be complying with the Secco resolution which requested the evacuation of Belgian and other military and paramilitary personnel and mercenaries, the Katangese authorities are not only wilfully ignoring this injunction but have in recent days continued recruitment abroad. The Secgen is now taking urgent steps with governments whose nationals are involved."

Please send immediate reply.

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TO : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 12 March 1961
No. : SV- 257

1. Pilot on yesterday's Air Congo plane reported to French Embassy that Champagne and his wife were removed by ANC from a UN aircraft at Stanleyville airport and imprisoned.
2. Please inform us regarding actual situation and also possibilities of evacuating M. and Mme Champagne.

OUTGOING CLEAR - FLASH .

TO : LULUABOURG
FROM : LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 11 MARCH 1961

- LU - 87 . VEILET LAVALLE FROM ABBAS . REUR BDE 1028G .
1. AS YOU KNOW UN NETWORK CANNOT BE USED FOR TRANSMITTING MESSAGES OTHER THAN UN OFFICIAL BUSINESS . NO UN TELECOMMUNICATION FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO TANANARIVE IN ANY EVENT .
 2. OUR ATTEMPTS TO COMMUNICATE MESSAGES TO GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES HERE FOR RETRANSMITTAL UNSUCCESSFUL SO FAR . SUGGEST YOU ADVISE ORIGINATORS OF MESSAGES TO REPEAT THEM THROUGH REGULAR COMMERCIAL CHANNELS

Leopoldville
11 March 1961

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ONUC
LULUABOURG

LU- 86

VEILLET-LAVALLEE FROM ABBAS

Text which should have been repeated to you in LU-83 is following : "SV-254 DURAN FROM MARTIN. Your CIV-281. We are informed that Joseph Kabasole is not in jail or deportation but working for the Ministry of Information in Leo in the Cultural Affairs Section.

Le 11 mars 1961.

Le Représentant spécial du Secrétaire général présente ses compliments à son Excellence l'Ambassadeur du Soudan, et a l'honneur d'accuser réception de la note du 11 mars. Il sera heureux de rencontrer lundi le Brigadier Mohamed Idris Abdallah, et de l'assister par tous les moyens en son pouvoir.

Le Représentant spécial du Secrétaire général saisit cette occasion de présenter à Son Excellence l'Ambassadeur du Soudan les assurances renouvelées de sa très haute considération.

A Son Excellence
L'Ambassadeur du Soudan
Léopoldville

41 March 1961

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KAMINA

KA- 65

WRIGHT FROM KELLY

Your Kaleo 476.

Please inform us where these 30 nuns come from,
under what conditions, and what special circumstances
necessitate their travel by UN plane.

cc : Mr. Ahmed.

LEOPOLDVILLE
10 MARCH 1961

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BUKAVU

BU-208 FITZGERALD FROM KELLY

1. Fédération des Entreprises Congolaises requests a list of all foreigners in Kindu. I would be grateful if you would secure this list and send it to me.
2. Further paragraph 6 your Bule 219 and Bule 204. Please inform us whether time and conditions are now suitable for sending UIT technicians to Bukavu.

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To : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE
From : DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 10 March 1961
No. : EV-144

Seegen wants you to tell authorities that Seegen must insist on Trinquier's immediate departure short of which other appropriate measures will have to be taken regarding him in order to achieve purpose of Secco resolution, contravention of which assumes special significance in view of fact that it takes place when stand of Secco is well known to authorities.

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LEOPOLDVILLE
10 March 1961

FLASH

ONUC
LULUABOURG

LJ- 85 VEILLET-LAVALLÉE from MARTIN

Unité médicale suisse nous prie retirer pour leur compte à Air Congo Luluabourg une caisse médicaments envoyée le 24 novembre 1960 sous le numéro 082 tiret 3104821 à Madame OPONGO Pauline qui depuis a quitté Luluabourg. Si possible retirez cette caisse immédiatement et remettez-la à ONUC Movement Control qui la chargera sur avion rentrant ce soir à Léo. Sinon vous enverrai avec lettre Unité Médicale suisse le rapport daté 4 février 1961 et signé par M. Bwabwa Simon Service Fret-Air Congo, Luluabourg signalant que le colis est en souffrance.

10 March 1961

Dear Mr. Ambassador,

I would like to ask for your assistance in the following matter:

We are bringing the motor transport of the Malayan Special Force from Leopoldville to Kindu by air, in order to provide for the protection of the European population in the region, and also to prepare for the evacuation of those who, with the agreement of the authorities, will be able to depart. The light motor transport is being airlifted in our own aircraft; however, there are twenty-four 3-ton trucks, a recovery wagon and a mobile workshop which are too large for the aircraft at our disposal. I am informed that Air France has "Bréguet-Deux-Ponts" aircraft which are suitable for the transport of those vehicles. The Commander of the UN Forces would like to use these aircraft on short term charter in order to complete the move of the MSF motor transport to Kindu.

However, the local agent of Air France has informed us that instructions from their headquarters in Paris would be necessary to bring these aircraft to Leopoldville, and furthermore, that it would be advisable that your Government should support our request, since all these aircraft are in constant operation elsewhere.

The matter has already been discussed in detail between our Military Command and Air France in Leopoldville, but I would be grateful if you would, as a matter of urgency, request your Government to use its good offices in order to secure the use of the aircraft by ONUC as soon as possible.

Please accept, Mr. Ambassador, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Rajeshwar Dayal
Special Representative
of the Secretary-General

His Excellency
Pierre Charpentier
French Ambassador
French Embassy
Leopoldville

Leopoldville

9 March 1961

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ONUC

BUKAVU

BU- 208 FITZGERALD FROM MARTIN

Mr. Gaetan Sebudandi, who had given letters to Miller for his family, which has fled Ruanda Urundi and is now in Bukavu, would like to know whether the letters have been delivered and whether the family is safe. The person to contact is M. Dikamba, Departement des finances, Gouvernement provincial, Bukavu.

Jah R Keor

OUTGOING CODE

TO : FITZGERALD, BUKAVU
FROM: KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE: 9 March 1961
No. : BU- 206

Your Bule 250/61.

1. Our cable numbers must have become garbled in transmission.
2. Our BU-201 referred to the Belgian instruction on entry to Ruanda by UN troops contained in your Bule 241. The matter was referred to the Secretary-General.
3. Our BU-202 then authorized you to visit Usumbura to discuss the matter there.

cc Mr. Dayal

OUTGOING CLEAR

LEOPOLDVILLE

9 March 1961

ONUC

BUKAVU

BU- 205 FITZGERALD, IRONSI FROM KELLY

The Belgian Government has sent Secretary General a note, the substantive part of which follows, on which your comments are requested:

"Les 23 et 26 février, des incursions de troupes de l'Armée nationale congolaise ont eu lieu dans la zone neutre de la vallée de la Ruzizi, établie par commun accord entre les forces belges au Ruanda Urundi et les forces de l'ONU de la région de Goma. Deux maisons se trouvant en territoire ruandais, en bordure de la frontière, ont été pillées et la voiture d'un colon, M. Dumont, a été volée. Ces faits se sont passés à côté d'un poste de garde des forces nigériennes de l'ONU qui occupaient la maison voisine, sur la route dite "des Poids Lourds" allant de Kisenyi à Goma. D'autre part, le 27 février à 1 heure du matin, les troupes belges stationnées au pont Bugarama, sur la grand-route Uvira-Bukavu, ont arrêté un véhicule de l'Armée nationale congolaise. Il s'agissait d'une camionnette réquisitionnée chez un colon belge et dont le chauffeur et le passager étaient des membres de l'Armée nationale congolaise. Les deux hommes sont internés actuellement. Ils étaient porteurs d'un pli du chef de peloton de la région Fizi demandant des mortiers pour la Balubakat. Ces divers incidents peuvent entraîner d'autres plus graves. Les troupes belges ont en effet reçu l'ordre d'éviter à tout prix des incidents avec les troupes de l'ONU mais la responsabilité du Gouvernement belge est d'assurer la sécurité des frontières entre le Congo et le Ruanda Urundi. Dans ces conditions, les troupes belges peuvent être amenées à ouvrir le feu sur des éléments de l'Armée nationale congolaise qui franchiraient à nouveau la frontière ruandaise.

Il existe donc un risque que des contingents de l'ONU se trouvent pris dans ce feu. Aussi le Gouvernement belge attacherait-il le plus grand prix à ce que les autorités de l'ONU au Congo accordent toute leur coopération pour assurer la stricte neutralité de la zone de la vallée de la Ruzizi dont il a été fait mention plus haut.

J. H. A. Kelly

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BU- 204 FITZGERALD FROM KELLY

International Red Cross has passed to us a request to evacuate from Kasongo 4 nuns originally from Kisangula, said to have been very badly treated.

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SV- 255 DURAN, OTU, FROM KELLY

The following has been received from Fitzgerald, Bukavu, which you may wish to take up with Lundula:

"Archbishop Bukavu has received letter dated 6 March stating that thirty priests and nuns are imprisoned in the White Fathers mission in Kasongo, South Maniema. They are without food. I have asked MSF Kindu to intervene with ANC Commander Benesette for evacuation or at least feeding. If this intervention fails, please instruct MSF Kindu directly what action to take, informing us also."

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ONUC LBOKIT 19 NACHAAT FROM AHMED REUR KITLEO 237 BELGIAN
ACTION IN HANDING OVER OF EQUIPMENT AT BASE TO UNATIONS CONGOLESE
WORKERS IS CLEARLY ABSURD AND WAS NEVER RAISED WITH ME BY
LODOMEZ IN HIS DISCUSSIONS HERE STOP WE ENTIRELY AGREE WITH
YOUR VIEWS ON BELGIAN INTENTIONS IN TAKING THIS ACTION AND
REQUEST THAT YOU INFORM DEPRENNE IF STILL AT KITONA IN WHIGING
THAT CONGOLESE WORKERS IN THEIR POSITION AS UNATIONS EMPLOYEES
CANNOT ACCEPT ANY RESPONSIBILITY AT BASE OTHER THAN THAT
ASSIGNED TO THEM BY UNATIONS STOP CONGOLESE WORKERS SHOULD ALSO
BE WARNED AGAINST THEIR ACCEPTING ANY RESPONSIBILITY WHICH WILL
VIOLATE THEIR CONTRACTUAL RELATIONS WITH UNATIONS.

cc: ✓ Mr. R. Dayal
Mr. C. Brackenbury

Alga 5654 - 100.000 - 26/10/60

T. O. R.

BY :

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FROM: AMBASSADOR DAYAL, ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE

I am In receipt of your cable concerning Mr. Milutin Milenkovic. I wish to express deep regret for attack on your correspondent in Leopoldville by unidentified thugs. ONUC is conscious of and much concerned about lawlessness in the Congo which has not spared its own personnel. I wish also to assure you that every effort is made by us, within limits of our mandate and resources, to contribute effectively to reestablishment of law and order. Although unable to guarantee personal safety of individuals, we are doing our utmost to check violence against civil population and particularly foreigners in present trying circumstances.

T. O. R.

BY:

Drafted by :

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T. O. D.

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TO : NACHAAT, KITONA, REPEAT TO VEILLET-LAVALLÉE
FROM : DAYAL, LEOP
DATE : 8 MARCH 1961
NO : KI- 32

LULUABOURG
LU-63

Your Kitleo 232. Dr. Hamaoui should be dealt with according to our general policy of granting protection to any person as long as he or she is genuinely afraid of an imminent danger against own life or liberty. Dr. Bellerive will see Minister Vangu and ask him to use whatever influence and authority he has to ask that protection be given to Dr. HAMAOUÏ in Moanda.

cc : Dr. Bellerive OMS.

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Leopoldville
8 March 1961

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KITONA

KI-33

NACHAAT FROM NWOKEDI

YOUR KITEO 229 and 240 X FOR TRANSMISSION TO MARIO BIASETTI
FROM BLAIN LITTEL AIRBOUSSE PLANE ARRIVING MOANDA 1000 HOURS
TOMORROW THURSDAY STOP THIS EARLIEST AIRBOUSSE PLANE AVAILABLE
STOP IF THIS IS NOT SATISFACTORY PUT THEM ON FIRST UN PLANE IF
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8 February 1961

ONUC
KAMINA

KA-41 WRIGHT FROM BERTHOUD

Re your Kaleo 279 UN administers Kamina in pursuance of Security Council Resolutions concerning Congo. Legal position embodied in various statements, reports and correspondence but is not repeat not result of any agreement whatsoever with Congolese or for that matter Belgian Government nor of any special formal resolution of Security Council. First report of 5 December by Ahmed offers useful background for practical administrative problems which you may encounter at Kamina. Any questions of principle must be referred to higher authority.

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BUKAVU

BU-263 FITZGERALD FROM KELLY

Your Bule 245/61.

1. Your part 1 has been referred to civil operations.
2. Your part 2. Please keep us informed regarding Swiss electrical engineers.
3. Your part 3, and BU/Stan 9. Brigadier Otu is flying to Stanleyville 9 March regarding the 5 ill missionaries at Kindu. We will keep you informed as to progress with Lundula. For protection and evacuation generally, see my BU-194 which remains unchanged pending the completion of the negotiations in Stanleyville and of the build up of the MSF motor transport.
4. Your part 4. See my BU-201.

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TO : FITZGERALD, BUKAVU
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 8 MARCH 1961
NO : BU- 202

Further to our BU-201 and your BULE 241.

You are authorized to visit Usumbura to discuss
the matter and it will also be taken up with Belgian
Representative New York.

John A. Kelly

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TO : FITZGERALD, BUKAVU
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
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To : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE
From : DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 8 March 1961
No. : EV-142

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SG calls our attention to a Reuters dispatch of 7 March reporting that "20-1 South Africans, mostly ex-service men, flew to Elisabethville from Johannesburg yesterday to serve in the Katanga Province "armed forces". One of them is said to have told reporters "We volunteered. We are an advance party and other volunteers will follow". Please send us immediately any information you may obtain about any such arrivals.

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TO : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 8 MARCH 1961
NO : SV- 253

1. It is rumoured here to-day that in a Coup d'état at Stanleyville, Gizenga has been displaced by Lundula and Kivu President Miruho; also that Gizenga is in Cairo. It is suggested that the arrest of 200 Congolese on Monday was connected with this.
2. Kivu reports a rumour that Kashamura is released from prison and is again Information Minister in Stanleyville Central Government.
3. Please comment on these rumours.

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8 March 1961

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SV- 252 DURAN from KELLY

1. Carlucci of US Embassy is arriving Stanleyville Thursday 9 March on regular Air Congo flight at 1130 hrs. He intends to discuss with the authorities:

- a) the situation of American missionaries;
- b) the economic situation in Orientale, and the possibility of sending an ICA team and economic assistance to Orientale.

2. Swedish Embassy informs us of a report from Bangassou, Central African Republic that there is trouble in Monga, where one missionary is said to have been arrested and another to have fled into the bush. Molestation of Christians is also said to have taken place at Bongo.

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TO : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
FROM : DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 8 MARCH 1961
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Your UC-142

Flying Gizenga and party and Kamitatu and Kasongo to Conakry for preliminary pow-wow is beyond our possibilities. You must no doubt have yourself told Gizenga this.

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To : MICUTA, STANLEYVILLE

From : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE

Date : 8 March 1961

No. : SV- 250

Your CIV-ADM-88. Thank you for the information, but we badly need to know whether you can confirm or deny that the three Luxembourg nuns from Yaleka were raped,

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To : MICUTA, STANLEYVILLE
From : MARTIN, LEOPOLDVILLE
Date : 8 March 1961
No. : SV- 249

Your O 11330Z. Jean Bolingoli is in UN protected area
with his five children.

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LU- *el* *MICHEL* VEILLET LAVALLEE FROM DAYAL

Thank you for your letter of 3 March. Everybody here is proud
of the good work you have all done during the last fortnight.

Your 325 A. We cannot give any UN transport to Coq to your
Bakongo and Bangola refugees.

Alga 5654 - 160.000 - 10/60

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BY :

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TO : FITZGERALD, BUKAVU.
FROM : DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 7 MARCH 1961
NO. : BU-201

Your BULE-241.

The matter has been referred to Secretary-General
and you should take no action until further notice.

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Your husband was rescued at Bolondo by UN Ethiopian patrol and brought to Stanleyville where he now is awaiting exit permit in order to return to Belgium. He is in perfect health.

Kelly, Unations

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7 March 1961

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NACHAAT FROM NWOKEDI

Cannot understand your KITLEO-224 ASKING WHETHER PERSONS CONCERNED
should be allowed to remain on base. My KI-30 states clearly the position.
No unauthorized persons can be allowed on the base.

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7 March, 1961

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SEGGEN FROM DAYAL

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I herewith submit a further report on the civil war situation covering the period 1 to 6 March:

1. While the Congolese soldiery was engaged in hostile action against United Nations personnel and troops in the Province of Leopoldville, the civil war situation in the other Provinces, although still tense and volatile, has, as a result of persistent UN efforts, been prevented from erupting into open hostilities.

A. EQUATEUR-ORIENTALE

2. During his visit to Stanleyville, following his earlier visit to General Mobutu at Gemena, the ONUC Force Commander, General MacEoin, obtained from General Lundula an undertaking to stop the movements of his troops beyond their present positions. General Lundula further agreed to the withdrawal of those units which had penetrated into Equateur Province, provided his detachment, which had advanced to Ikela, was to be replaced by ONUC troops. Arrangements are in hand to carry out this agreement, which should have the effect of stabilizing the situation in the area.

3. In Coquilhatville only 25 gendarmes and 40 ANC are left to protect the town since 4 March and the camps are lying empty without guards. Civilian officials fear the return of the two battalions of General Mobutu's troops which were sent to Boende, in case they were to compete violently with the civilian population for the scarce available supplies. On 5 March, the population cheered the incoming ONUC Ethiopian troops, ONUC forces guard strategic points and installations, and continue to patrol the town regularly day and night.

4. No word has come from General Mobutu, who is still believed to be

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in the Lisala-Bumba area.

B. KASAI

5. Life in Luluabourg has gradually returned to normal after last week's frenzy, although soldiers still appear afraid of civilians. A Belgian officer of Mr. Kalonji's troops, who had come from Bakwanga on 4 February for an undisclosed purpose, was arrested and later released. The ANC also released a number of civilians and some 120 policemen who had been arrested on the ground that one of them had fired at soldiers during the recent clashes. ONUC civilian and military representatives have re-established cordial relations with both the civilian population and the ANC. The Provincial Government has held several meetings and expressed its gratitude for ONUC intervention during the disturbances which followed the appearance of Stanleyville ANC on the outskirts of the town a week earlier. The Provincial President requested ONUC to prevent arrests and to exercise its good offices to secure the release of Kasaians detained in Leopoldville and Elisabethville, and for their return to Kasai under ONUC protection. Roadblocks are still in place along the accesses to the African town, and a number of weapons such as bicycle chains, bows and arrows, have been seized from civilians at these checkpoints. Some 300 persons are still under ONUC protection, including people from the Bakongo and Bangala tribes who consider themselves threatened by the Lulus.

6. In the rest of the Province, the situation has been generally calm, except for the Port-Francqui-Mweka area, where tribal fighting broke out again on 1 March. On 5 March, skirmishes between Lulus and Balubas were still continuing in the bush. Railway officials are under ONUC protection and railroad gangs work with ONUC escorts. Tension is enhanced by the ^{growing} ~~strong~~ discontent of the ANC and police who have not been paid since January.

7. A ONUC patrol has been sent to Dibaya following rumours of an attack there by Kalonjist troops. Close liaison is reported

to exist between those troops and the 300-strong ANC para-commando battalion from Leopoldville which is still in Lusambo.

8. On 3 and 4 March, President Mukenge and Mr. Kalonji departed from Luluabourg and Bakwanga respectively, to participate in the Tananarive conference. The former requested, and was provided with, UN air transport to carry his party to EVILLE on the first stage of their journey.

C. KATANGA

Although there have been no open military engagements during the period under report, there were certain military movements which could have produced clashes. To prevent a recrudescence of hostilities, ONUC military representatives, as a result of negotiations with the Belgian Commander of the Tshombe gendarmerie, secured assurances that his force positioned in Mulundu would not push further north and would stop all military operations for a week. Concurrently, ONUC also persuaded the North Katanga ANC Commander not to place troops in a village near Piana where UN forces have concentrated in a perimeter and patrol the vicinity.

10. In Kanono, a ceremony, attended by people from outlying villages, was held on 4 March to nominate the new "Lualaba" authorities. On the following day there was considerable movement of youth groups but without disorder.

11. In Luena, Baluba from the Mukulakulu-Luena-Bukama area, who had fled into the bush during earlier gendarmerie action, have expressed their desire to return to their homes and resume their normal life under ONUC protection. ONUC forces, however, are not in a position to guarantee their resettlement in conditions of security.

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TO: WRIGHT, KAMINA
FROM: NWOKEDI, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE: 6 March 1961
NO. KA-63

YOUR KALEO 38. WHAT IS PRESENT POSITION .

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John H. Kelly

TO : FITZGERALD, BUKAVU
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 6 March 1961
No/ : BU- 200

1. Your Bule 222. Referring Dr. Bechmann West German Red Cross. Demand restitution of flag carrying his emblem and his name which was taken away when arrested. Medicaments carried Ruanda Urundi were property of German Red Cross and Dr. Bechmann could dispose of them as he wished.
2. Your Bule 234/61 paragraph 3. It is confirmed that Lundula has agreed to the immediate evacuation of the 3 nuns and 2 priests in the mission at Kindu. Please arrange their evacuation soonest.
3. Lundula has promised to go himself to Kindu in a few days to look into the position there. A UN senior military officer will be sent there from Leopoldville at the same time. Meanwhile we would be grateful for your opinion as to the advisability of sending Duncan-Smith to Kindu as the temporary civilian officer.
4. Cable MSF/TAC/R/80 of 2 March. Indian Embassy has requested that you protect Indian nationals in Kindu district and also that you circulate information to them that Embassy has so requested ONUC. Embassy would be grateful for details on situation of Indians in the area, with a view to a representative of the Embassy visiting Kindu, should the situation warrant it. Please include Pakistanees nationals too.

cc Mr. Dayal

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To : UMBRIGHT, GOMA
From : DAYAL/LINNER
Date : 6 March 1961
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Your BUKA 31 we rely fully on your judgment as to advisability of transfer of 30 million francs from Usumbura to Bukavu. We also leave question as to your itinerary to be decided by yourself.

cc: Mr. R. Dayal

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To: DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE

From: DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE

Date: 6 March 1961

No. EV-141

Your Elleo 197. Assume that Mukenge is hitchhiking it with Kasa-Vubu. Please keep us informed of movements towards Tananarive. Any assistance on our part could only be transport of bona fide participants to nearest convenient international airport.

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TO : VEILLET-LAVALLÉE, LULUABOURGH
FROM : DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 6 March 1961
No. : LU- 80

Please comment on the following information given to us by a Mr. Tedin, a Swedish press correspondent:

On March 5, he travelled from Elisabethville towards Leopoldville in a Lufthansa DC 4 piloted by a team of four Germans wearing Lufthansa uniforms with UN insignia and armbands. They landed at Luluabourg since the pilot wanted extra fuel. The fuel was refused by the Congolese who further requested that the plane leave immediately. The captain of the aircraft saw a large number of ANC's with "heavy weapons" and he promptly complied with the request to leave. Asked whether Cana troops intervened, the correspondent replied that there were three Canaians near the aircraft and that they actually prevented one armed Congolese soldier from entering the plane; none the less, the correspondent is under the impression that the Congolese units control the airport.

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TO : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
FROM : DAYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 6 MARCH 1961
NO : SV-247

for Gizenga

Following just received from Tananarive : "Priorité absolue nr 10.131. insiste toute urgence votre arrivée Tananarive ce jour pour ouverture conference. Sécurité assurée Tananarive. Votre présence absolument indispensable. Prière informer gouvernement Malgache votre arrivée. Consultation préalable aura lieu ici même. Tous délégués congolais présents y compris Président Kasa-Vubu attendent avec impatience votre arrivée. Réservez priorité absolue ce message. Kamitatu Tananarive vu signé Tsiranana."

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SV- 248 DURAN FROM KELLY

Further my letter of 4 March. Mrs. Lays writes again concerning her husband Hubert Lays, stating that he has managed to smuggle out a letter stating he is held prisoner on his plantation at Bolondo, 50 km. from Isangi on the Isangi-Yabaondo-Basoko road. No doubt you will make inquiries as appropriate whenever possible.

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SV-246 DURAN FROM DAYAL

Following is cable addressed to me by Ileo from Tananarive:

"Votre télégramme du 5 mars vous informe que Kamitatu a télégraphié ce jour à Gizenga insistant sur sa présence immédiate à Tananarive. Vous demande intervenir de votre côté et faciliter déplacement jusque Eville d'où il s'embarquera pour Tananarive par avion Katanga. Signé Joseph Ileo, Premier Ministre".

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TO : DURAN, STANLEYVILLE
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 6 MARCH 1961
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1. Your CIV-274. I fear there is a misunderstanding as to the attitude of Luxembourg Consul. Everybody including Luxembourg Consul is most appreciative of the extraordinary difficulty of the operation in Orientale and of the efforts being made by all concerned in carrying it out. Luxembourg Consul intervened on behalf of his nationals only with reluctance and was in no way critical of United Nations but was motivated solely by concern for the safety of Luxembourg nationals in Orientale. Furthermore, his information comes from Archbishop Kinsch and no one in Leopoldville was aware of Miss ^Cuta's discussions with Father ^{Tegels} ~~Tegels~~ or knew that he had refused evacuation from Basoko to Stanleyville.
2. Can you send us the number of nuns evacuated from Basoko to Stanleyville on 25 February and also their names and nationality. Diplomatic missions here are most anxious to reassure relatives as to safety of their nationals.
3. Finally, can you confirm or deny that three nuns of Luxembourg nationality in Yaleka have been imprisoned, beaten up and raped?

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SV-244. UPON RECEIPT YOUR 274, 273, AND 276 FOLLOWING SENT TO ILEO
 QUOTE ONUC REPRESENTANT A STANLEYVILLE SIGNALE QU'APRES LONGUES
 DISCUSSIONS GIZENGA S'EST DECLARE PRET A VENIR A TANANARIVE
 MOYENNANT DEUX CONDITIONS. PRIMO CONSULTATIONS PREALABLES AVEC
 KAMITATU ET KASONGO. SECONDO REMISE OUVERTURE CONFERENCE JUSQU'A
 ARRIVEE DE SA DELEGATION DANS LAQUELLE AUTORITES PROVINCIALES
 SERAIENT REPRESENTES. CECI DONNE A PENSER QU'IL POURRAIT ETRE
 UTILE QUE VOUS ET KAMITATU ENTRIEZ EN RAPPORT TELEGRAPHIQUE DIRECT
 AVEC GIZENGA UNQUOTE. AS FOR OUR ASSISTANCE IF AND WHEN GIZENGA'S
 DESIRES CRYSTALLIZE YOU CAN USE DCJ BEING SENT TOMORROW TO STAN
 FOR TRANSPORTING THE DELEGATION TO NEAREST CONVENIENT INTERNATIONAL
 AIRPORT.

T. O. R.

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B-627. FOLLOWING SENT TO ILEO TANANARIVE: QUOTE ONUC REPRESENTANT
A STANLEYVILLE NE SIGNALE QU'APRES LONGUES DISCUSSIONS GIZENGA
S'EST DECLARE PRET A VENIR A TANANARIVE MOYENNANT DEUX CONDITIONS.
PRIMO CONSULTATIONS PREALABLES AVEC KAMITATU ET KASONGO. SECONDO
REMISE OUVERTURE CONFERENCE JUSQU'A ARRIVEE DE SA DELEGATION DANS
LAQUELLE AUTORITES PROVINCIALES SERAIENT REPRESENTEES. CECI DONNE
A PENSER QU'IL POURRAIT ETRE UTILE QUE VOUS ET KAMITATU ENTRIEZ EN
RAPPORT TELEGRAPHIQUE DIRECT AVEC GIZENGA. UNQUOTE ENDALL

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TO : FITZGERALD, BUKAVU
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE
DATE : 5 March 1961
No. : BU-199

THE FOLLOWING HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM DURAN QUOTE MICUTA
LEARNED TODAY THROUGH CONFIDENTIAL SOURCES THAT TEN IMPORTANT
PRISONERS HAD BEEN RELEASED YESTERDAY FROM CAMP OSIO NEAR STANLEYVILLE
STOP AFTER SOME RESEARCH MICUTA FOUND THESE PEOPLE IN A COMFORTABLE
PRIVATE HOUSE IN ONE OF THE EUROPEAN QUARTERS OF THE CITY AT 1615.
THEY TURNED OUT TO BE MIRUHO THE PRESIDENT OF THE GOVERNMENT OF
KIVU AND 4 MEMBERS OF HIS GOVERNMENT; THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER
OF GOMA, 2 SENIOR ADMINISTRATORS OF THE PROVINCE AND 2 NATIONAL
DEPUTIES. THEY SEEMED TO BE IN GOOD HEALTH. THEY WERE GLAD TO
SEE MICUTA BUT POLITELY DECLINED HIS OFFER OF MEDICAL AND OTHER
ASSISTANCE. THEY TOLD HIM THEY HAD BEEN DETAINED FOR THE LAST
2 MONTHS IN CAMP OSIO AND WERE RELEASED YESTERDAY BUT WERE NOT IN
A POSITION TO TELL ABOUT THEIR PLANS FOR THE NEAR FUTURE. THERE
WERE 2 OR 3 OFFICIALS FROM GIZENGAS GOVERNMENT PRESENT AT THE
DISCUSSION. THIS EVIDENTLY MADE THE CONVERSATION UNEASY. SOME
OF THE KIVU PEOPLE PROMISED MICUTA TO VISIT HIM SOON AT UN
HEADQUARTERS UNQUOTE

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~~SV~~ DURAN FROM DAYAL

PARTS ONE AND TWO OF YOUR CIV 271 RELAYED TO ILEO WHO WIRED FROM TANANARIVE ASKING US TO CONFIRM WHETHER GIZENGA AND PARTY ARE ON THEIR WAY. YOU MAY INFORM GIZENGA STRESSING ILEO'S EAGERNESS TO HAVE HIM PARTICIPATE. REGARDING TRANSPORT WE SHALL WIRE AS SOON AS AIR OPERATIONS CAN DO SOMETHING.

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 HAVE NOT REPEAT NOT BEEN AUTHORIZED TO VISIT BASE AND SHOULD
 THEREFORE NOT REPEAT NOT BE ALLOWED TO INSPECT THE BASE OR
 TAKE PHOTOGRAPHS STOP STANDING INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING VISITS
 TO BASE STILL OPERATIVE

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A : JOSEPH ILEO, CONFERENCE CONGO, TANANARIVE

DE : AMBASSADEUR DAYAL, ONUC, LEOPOLDVILLE

Date: 5 Mars 1961

No. : *10129*

REFERENCE VOTRE 10129. ONUC REPRESENTANT STANLEYVILLE NOUS
INFORME QUE MANZIKALA A DECIDE ALLER A TANANARIVE A LA TETE
DELEGATION DE 23 AUTORITES PROVINCIALES ET DEMANDE AUX AUTRES
PARTICIPANTS DE RETARDER OUVERTURE DE LA CONFERENCE JUSQU'A
MERCREDI. ONUC AIDERA TRANSPORT DANS LIMITES SES POSSIBILITES.
AUX DERNIERES NOUVELLES GIZENGA VOULAIT ADDIS-ABEBA OU TUNIS AU
LIEU DE TANANARIVE ET INSISTAIT SUR PRESENCE MEMBRES DE
COMMISSION CONCILIATION ONU. VOTRE MESSAGE 10129 RELAYE
A NOTRE REPRESENTANT A STANLEYVILLE QUI REITERERA A GIZENGA
VOTRE DESIR D'AVOIR SA PARTICIPATION.

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D-604 SEC GEN FROM DAYAL RE YOUR 1509.

In view of recent developments, propose to add following at the end of introductory paragraph CLN

QUOTE Il va de soi, cependant, que ces efforts doivent être réciproques, les Nations Unies ne pouvant, quel que soit leur souci d'éviter des frictions, abandonner des positions ou droits qu'elles ont la responsabilité de maintenir dans l'exécution de leur mandat.
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To : FITZGERALD, IRONSI, BUKAVU

From : DXYAL, LEOPOLDVILLE

Date : 4 March 1961

No : BU-198

Your A/S.

Rumour of Lumumba alive in Ruanda Urundi seems highly fantastic. Anyhow no enquiries seem possible other than those that Minchin could discreetly attempt if you can alert him.

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BU-197 FITZERALD from DAYAL

Press report
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In press conference of 2 March 1961 Adoula said that a Mr. Bouzi, Minister of Economics in Kivu government was arrested a few days ago in Bukavu. Is this true and if so please tell us of your efforts to have him released.

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Action taken on your 280-A.

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SV-240 DURAN FROM KELLY

Our SV-216. Italian Government has requested Secgen to assist immediate transfer to Uganda under UN protection all Italian nuns residing in Orientale. British authorities said to be in agreement for their entry to Uganda at Arua. Please advise as Secgen requests to be informed on this matter.

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4 March 1961

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SV-241 DURAN FROM DAYAL

YOUR CIV 262 KASAVUBU CMA ILED AND ADDULA FORMALLY INFORMED OF
POSITIVE ATTITUDE OF STANLEYVILLE AUTHORITIES REGARDING AIR AND
RIVER TRANSPORT WITH REFERENCE TO OUR REPEATED AND UNTIL NOW
PLATONIC ~~XXXXX~~ ASSERTIONS OF UN FREEDOM TO TRANSPORT SUPPLIES TO
STANLEYVILLE BY RIVER