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T . A . B . REGISTRY, LEOPOLDVILLE

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DATING FROM 3 September 62 TO 24 June 1964

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ON THIS SUBJECT  
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Orig - 130/13. Alb.

*C. J. HERNY  
SAUNDERS*

UNITED NATIONS



NATIONS UNIES

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

MEMORANDUM INTERIEUR

TO:  
A:

Mr. Bibiano F. Osorio-Tafall, Chief  
Civilian Operations in the Congo, Leopoldville

DATE: 24 June 1964

REFERENCE:

THROUGH:  
S/C DE:

FROM: José Rolz-Bennett, Chef de Cabinet  
DE:

*Rolz-Bennett*

*W*

SUBJECT: Evacuation of United Nations Personnel from Albertville  
OBJET:

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1. I am enclosing a copy of the letter I am sending today to Chief Erasto A. M. Mang'enya requesting the assistance of the Government of the United Republic of Tanganyika and Zanzibar in the evacuation of United Nations and other non-Congolese personnel from Albertville.

*Esteeck*  
*Air Mail Bond*

MADE IN U.S.A.



24 June 1964

Dear Ambassador,

According to news reports, the forces that are opposing the authority of the Central Government in the Provinces of Central Kivu and North Katanga have recently seized the town of Albertville and become the de facto authorities in that town. We have received reports that a very tense situation prevails in the town. A number of non-Congolese residents of Albertville, including some of the United Nations experts and teachers have apparently already left the town for Bujumbura, although we do not have precise information as to their number or identity.

The majority of the United Nations personnel appears, however, to be still in Albertville. We have not been able to establish direct communication with them but believe that for the most part they, like their colleagues, would like to be evacuated to a safer place. Unfortunately, the airport in Albertville has been closed by the de facto authorities and the service of the ferry to Kigoma has been interrupted.

We understand that the boat Liemba of the Government of the Union of Tanganyika and Zanzibar is at present en route to the port of Kigoma from Northern Rhodesia, and the Chief of the United Nations

Chief Erasto A. M. Mang'enya  
Permanent Representative to the United Nations  
Permanent Mission of the United Republic of  
Tanganyika and Zanzibar to the United Nations  
205 East 42nd Street, Room 1300  
New York 17, New York



Civilian Operations Programme in the Congo, Mr. Bibiano Osorio-Tafall, has suggested the possibility of using that boat to bring to Tanganyika from Albertville those among the United Nations personnel and other non-Congolese residents who wish to be evacuated. Mr. Osorio-Tafall also believes that negotiations with the de facto authorities would be greatly facilitated if they could be conducted by a joint mission composed of a representative of the Government of the United Republic of Tanganyika and Zanzibar and of the office of the United Nations Resident Representative in Dar es Salaam. We concur in this view. In fact, this may be the only possible way to persuade the de facto authorities of Albertville to give their consent to the proposed evacuation.

The Secretary-General would be very grateful, therefore, if your Government would find it possible to designate a representative and to instruct the boat Liemba to proceed to Albertville at the earliest possible time to carry out this urgent humanitarian mission.

Sincerely yours,

José Rolz-Bennett  
Deputy Chef de Cabinet

cc: J. McDiarmid, TAB  
✓ B. Osorio-Tafall, Leopoldville



GRG 130/2/3. Alb.

File

OPERATION DES NATIONS UNIES  
AU CONGO



UNITED NATIONS OPERATION  
IN THE CONGO

BOITE POSTALE 7248  
LEOPOLDVILLE  
REPUBLIQUE DU CONGO  
CABLE: ONUC. LEOPOLDVILLE

ONUC/SB/\_\_\_\_\_

9p 30/vi

GAD/kp

29 June 1964

To: Chief, Purchasing and Supply Section

From: Secretary, Property Survey Board

Subject: Condemned Tires - Albertville

Reference: Albertville FAR 8-8.

1. Disposal of the 24 worn out tires, by sale and/or destruction, is granted.
2. Would you kindly issue the necessary instructions to Albertville Field Office. Copy of Destruction Certificate, if any, is to be forwarded to this office when action has been completed.
3. A case will now be prepared for consideration by the Board at its 107th meeting, to be held on 2 July, and formal confirmation will follow with the publication of the printed Survey Board Minutes.

→ cc: Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, Civilian Operations

INFO. COPY

Action To: Saunders 262

File No.



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FM AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA

TO AMEMBASSY LEOPOLDVILLE

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UNCLAS PRIORITY UMN TWENTYSIXTH.

ACTION	
CIVILIAN	MILITARY

OK 13-143 ALB

210/10 M. J. H.

Mr. Saunders 262

PLS PASS FOLLOWING MSG TO OSORIO-TAFALL AND SAUNDER,  
FROM KUNITZBERGER AND LUCAS:

"22 REYOSRTAB/345 KUNITZBERGER ARRIVED BUJUMBURA MORNING  
JUNE 25 AND CONTACTED LUCAS IMMEDIATELY. WE EXAMINED TOGETHER  
POINTS RAISED. RESULTS ARE: AAA UNESCO EXPERTS INCLUDING  
FAM LIES SEVENTEEN STILL

PRESUMED IN ELBERTVILLE AS FOLLOWS: SNERENNE, DELBECCO, EDONIS,  
NELSON AND WIFE, CAMPBELL, FALARDEAU, HASBANI, BEJJANI, KABBARA,  
FORNELLS, CANDAS AND FOULONNEAA AND WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN.

~~BBB OUTSIDE UNESCO ESTIMATING: ESTIME, LEJEUNE, VAN CAUTER~~  
WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN, PONTICELLI AND WIFE AND CASTRILLON. CCC I CONFIRM

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RPT

CCC I CONFIRM

NO REPEAT NO OPEN COMMUNICATION CHANNELS BETWEEN BUJUMBURA AND  
ALBERTVILLE AND NO SURFACE OR AIR CONNECTIONS WITH  
ALBERTVILLE. DDD NO INDICATION THAT REMAINING PERSONS IN  
ALBERTVILLE ARE DOING SO VOLUNTARILY OR NOT. EEE KUNITZBERGER  
RETURNING BUKAV.

27 28002."

ONUC LEO

AMEMBASSY-LEO





ACTION  
DIVISION MILITARY


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SSS ELISABETHVILLE 27 JUNE 1964.

ONUC

LEOPOLDVILLE -

FOR MR. OSORIO-TAFALL FROM BERNANDER. ACCORDING TO UNCONFIRMED REPORTS WHICH HAVE REACHED LOCAL RADIO NORTH KATANGA PRESIDENT JASON SENDWE, VICE-PRESIDENT KOBONGI NUMBI FORTUNAT, SENDWE'S CHEF DE CABINET ILUNGA SALOMON AND ORDNANCE OFFICER KABILA LUTHER HAVE BEEN FOUND ASSASINATED IN ALBERTVILLE STOP BODIES WERE DISCOVERED TWO DAYS AFTER DEATH AND HAVE BEEN BURIED IN ALBERTVILLE STOP ALONG WITH THESE 4 CORPSES THERE WERE AN UNSPECIFIED NUMBER OF OTHER BODIES . QUOTE PLUSIEURS FAMILLES UNQUOTE STOP REPORTS COME FROM KADANZA JEAN WESLEY DELEGUE RADIO INTERPROVINCIAL NORTH KATANGA IN KAMINA WHOSE SOURCE IS FORMER PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT MEMBER WHO HAS ARRIVED IN KAMINA

RECEIVED VIA SSB

ELI 27/6/64 - 1545Z AAL.





→ ORG 1301/3 ALB

YC288 S NY 112/111 27 28232 P1/32/50 ;

— Mr. Saunders 262

ETAT PRIORITE

ONUC

LEO ;

2417 OSORIO-TAFALL FROM PUNKE. FOR YOUR INFORMATION FOLLOWING  
IS TEXT OF CABLE RECEIVED FROM ADU, DARESSALAM ON 27 JUNE: PARA  
QUOTE TANGANYIKA GOVERNMENT AGREES APPOINT REPRESENTATIVE TO  
PROCEED ALBERTVILLE AS REQUESTED STOP GOVERNMENT URGENTLY  
SEEKING PERSON FAMILIAR WITH ALBERTVILLE TO GUIDE THEIR  
REPRESENTATIVE AND OUR ;

P2/61 ;

REPRESENTATIVE IN VIEW LAMENTABLE LACK KNOWLEDGE OF LEADERS  
IN CONTROL ALBERTVILLE STOP GOVERNMENT WILL USE GOOD OFFICES  
TO OBTAIN SERVICES OF LIEMPA STOP LAMELY STANDING BY TO PROCEED  
AS SOON AS TANGANYIKA GOVERNMENT READY STOP AM UNABLE TO  
PARTICIPATE PERSONALLY OWING PRIOR COMMITMENTS ITALY AND  
BRITAIN LEAVING DARESSALAAM SUNDAY NIGHT STOP LAMELY HOWEVER  
FULLY BRIEFED AND COMPETENT HANDLE SITUATION. UNQUOTE Z

COL 2417 27 "





LOCATION, AS FAR AS KNOWN, OF ALBERTVILLE  
STAFF AS AT 0900 - 26.6.64

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Status</u>
Foulonneau + 4	UNESCO	Remaining Aville (Lucas cable)
Castrillon	WHO	"
Besson + 3	WHO	Evac. Bujumbura (Lucas cable)
Beynet	WHO	Evac. Bujumbura. Accompanied by "companion" not originally listed by Aville (Lucas cable).
Chalkias	WHO	Departed Bujumbura for Athenes (Lucas cable)
Estimé	WHO	Remaining Aville (Lucas cable)
Toro + 6	WHO	Evac. Bujumbura (Lucas cable)
Stanojevic	WHO	Remaining Aville (Lucas cable)
Lejeune	Social Affairs	"
Sheikh	Admin. Officer	"
Van Cauter + 2	Public Works	PRESUMED remaining Albertville. No confirmation.
Ponticelli	Customs	"

Note : There are 19 UNESCO Teachers listed for Albertville. Of which two are known to have left for repatriation before the present disorders. This leaves 17 plus two dependents on latest listings. Lucas cables that eleven teachers are remaining in Albertville. As no names were specified we do not know which he means. There are therefore six unaccounted for.



→ ORG 130/1/3

CF.281/64

22 June 1964

To : Mr. Th. de Candie, Chief Finance Officer  
From : H. Pichler, Administrative Officer, Congo Fund  
Subject : Imprest Account - Albertville

Mr. W. Schmid has been relieved from his duties as Administrative Assistant in Albertville by Mr. Iftikhar Sheikh effective 18 June 1964.

It will be appreciated if you would make the necessary arrangements for Mr. Sheikh to take over the imprest account in Albertville, including signatory authority for the local bank.

Your urgent attention to this matter will be appreciated.

cc : Mr. K. Yassir, Finance



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HERE TFC''

YC275 SSS NY 102 20 1443Z ;

ETATPRIORITE

ONUC

LEO ;

2302 OSORIO-TAFALL FROM BUNCHE. FOR YOUR INFORMATION FOLLOWING

CABLE WAS SENT ON 19 JUNE TO TECABOARD, DARESSALAAM: PARA

QUOTE MOST IMMEDIATE 1600 ADU. WE HAVE RECEIVED VERY

DISQUIETING NEWS FROM ALDERTVILLE SHOWING CONCERN FOR THE  
SAFETY OF UNATIONS PERSONNEL STATIONED THERE. IT APPEARS ;

P2/52 ;

THAT SOME IF NOT ALL OF OUR EXPERTS AND DEPENDENTS HAVE BEEN

ABLE TO LEAVE BY FERRY FOR KOGOMA. PLEASE EXTEND TO THEM

ANY ASSISTANCE THEY MAY NEED. BELIEVE SITUATION REQUIRES

EITHER TELEPHONE OR TELEGRAM CONTACTS WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES

OR URGENT VISIT ONE OF YOUR STAFF TO KIGOMA ;

MCDIARMID/BUNCHE UNQUOTE "

COL 2302 19 160 "

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CY309 SSS LEOPOLDVILLE 122 20 1753Z;

ETATPRIORITE

UNATIONS

NEWYORK;

D-504 BUNCHE FROM OSORIO-TAFALL

1. MUCH APPRECIATE YOUR 2302. WILL KEEP YOU ADVISED IF ANY INFORMATION SHOULD REACH ME DIRECT FROM DARESSALAAM OR KIGOMA.
2. SUGGEST YOU INFORM ADU, DARESSALAAM, THAT IST APPEARS NO REPEAT NO UN PERSONNEL FROM ALBERTVILLE;

P2;

HAVE BEEN EVACUATED TO KIGOMA BUT SOME TO BUJUMBURA.

3. HOWEVER, AS THERE ARE ABOUT 40 EXPERTS AND DEPENDANTS IN ALBERTVILLE WHO MUST BE EVACUATED, SUGGEST YOU ASK ADU TO REQUEST TANGANYIKA GOVERNMENT TO INSTRUCT KIGOMA TO SEND FERRY TO ALBERTVILLE TO COLLECT REMAINING UNATIONS PERSONNEL.;

P3/22;

4. GRATEFUL YOU INFORM US OF ACTION TAKEN. PLEASE NOTE WE HAVE NO REPEAT NO DIRECT TELECOM LINK WITH DARESSALAAM"

COL 504 1 2302 2 3 40 4 "



INDICATE  
PRIORITY

L T F	S V C Service	F F F F F Routine	S S S S S Priority	P R I O R I T E N A T I O N S
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Priorité Nations traffic  
is strictly limited.

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(Address es)

LUCAS BUJUMBURA (Via American Embassy Leopoldville )

1964 JUN 20 AM 10:35  
O. N. U. C.

(TEXT &amp; SIGNATURE)

insert prefix &amp;/or number as required

USE DOUBLE SPACING

TAB/328

FROM OSORIO-TAFALL. SARENA LEOPOLDVILLE REPORTS ARRIVAL USUMBURA  
19 JUNE BY BOAT FROM ALBERTVILLE SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER FOREIGNERS  
INCLUDING UNATIONS STAFF. PLEASE CABLE CONFIRMATION OR OTHERWISE  
OF THIS REPORT WITH NAMES EACH UN AND AGENCY EXPERT AND UNESCO  
TEACHER PLUS DEPENDANTS.

cc: Mr. Osorio-Tafall  
Mr. Gilpin  
Mr. Gorgé  
Mr. Cacouris/Mr. Wood

CONFIRMATION  
COPY

C2

T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY:

JS/jc

Drafted by :

Authorized :

Date :

J. Saunders

J. Saunders

20.6.1964



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(Address es)

To: LUCAS  
TAB - Usumbura

(BY COURTESY OF THE US EMBASSY)

(TEXT &amp; SIGNATURE)

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USE DOUBLE SPACING.

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ALBERTVILLE REPORTS THAT A FERRY WITH 53  
EUROPEANS LEFT FOR KIGOMA AT NOON TODAY. TAB DAR-ES-SALAAM  
INFORMED. GRATEFUL IF YOU COULD FIND OUT HOW MANY UN  
PERSONNEL INCLUDED AND RENDER ANY HELP THAT MAY BE NEEDED.  
PLEASE CABLE ME REPORT ON YOUR ACTION.

OSORIO-TAFALL

T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY:

Drafted by :

Authorized : B.F. Osorio-Tafall

Date : 19 June 1964



ag 130/1 Aville:

INDICATE  
PRIORITY

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(Address es)

ONUC - ELISABETHVILLE

(TEXT & SIGNATURE)

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TAB/324

NASHASHIBI FROM OSORIO-TAFALL. REFERENCE YOUR UNNUMBERED CABLE  
17 JUNE. PLEASE TRANSMIT FOLLOWING TO SHEIKH QUOTE IN REPLY  
SCHMID CABLE WE TRYING URGENTLY SECURE DELIVERY RADIO BEFORE  
END JUNE UNQUOTE.

1250 x 100 - 11 - 63

T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY:

JS/jc

Drafted by :

Authorized :

Date :

J. Saunders

J. Saunders

19.6.1964



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C.O.F.S.	✓	C.F.L.		S.W.O.O.
C.A.O.		PUB. WK.		PAILOPS.
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ELILEO 77 S ELISABETHVILLE 39/37 17 1430Z.

ETATPRIORITY

ONUC

LEOPOLDVILLE;

OSORIO-TAFALL FROM NASHASHIBI

BELGIAN CONSULATE HAS JUST RECEIVED, 1605 HRS LT, THE  
FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM AVILLE:

QUOTE OSORIO-AFALL DE SCHMID. INSTRUCTION RECUES 16 JUIN.  
REDEMANDE DURGENCE POSTE RADIO. UNQUOTE;

COL ELLEO 166, 1605, 16

SECOND LINE OF TEXT

BELGINAN CONSULATE

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File

ROUTING SLIP

TO

Mr. Saunders

APPROVAL

SEE ME, PLEASE

YOUR SIGNATURE

NOTE AND FILE

NOTE AND RETURN

YOUR COMMENTS

YOUR INFORMATION

FOR ACTION

Attached are copies of  
notes left in the  
office at Albionville  
by Mr. Schmid for  
Mr. Sheikh regarding  
the admin. matters

DATE

FROM

22 June

*[Signature]*



F. L. ALB  
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Note à mon successeur

1. Envoi des deux jupes No. 2096 et 134 à S'ville selon instructions contenues dans FAI 7 de Leo.
2. Vente de pièces de rechange en surplus selon instructions contenues dans FAI 7 de Leo.
3. Ci-inclus trois copies du contrat GIVUWA/AL/T pour la location de la villa occupée par les bureaux ONUC. Approbation finale de Leo exigée. Stat des lieux sera établi avant mon départ. Vérifier si copie reçue par ONUC Albertville.
4. Pouches No. 35 et 40 de Leo non reçues. Voir mon télégramme du 13 juin 1964.
5. GNL d'accord de fournir mobilier supplémentaire en cas de besoin. Contacter Monsieur Cy de Besen.
6. Contacter Garage Gompalves pour réparations, entretien ext. des véhicules ONUC. Stock de pièces de rechange et pneus ONUC tenus par le garage.

Fait à Albertville, le 16 juin 1964.

W. Schmid  
Administrateur ONUC  
ALBERTVILLE



Note à mon successeur (suite)

7. Les carnets de chèques suivants ont été déposés à la Banque du Congo:

- 1 Carnet contenant chèques No. 396.195 à 396.200
- 1 Carnet contenant chèques No. 396.201 à 396.250
- 1 Carnet contenant chèques No. 736.961 à 737.000

8. Les deux chauffeurs de l'UNESCO, Minkaba Samuel et Kasadi Emile, devraient être mis en congé sans solde pendant la période des vacances des enseignants. (Juillet/août).

9. 4375 fûts d'essence aviation 100/130 et 2225 fûts d'essence aviation 115/145, ainsi qu'un lot d'environ 700 fûts en oculage, appartenant à l'ONUC, sont situés à l'aéroport d'Albertville. Ils seront vendus à la Petrocongo, Elisabethville par l'entremise de Transco, Albertville (Monsieur P. Orban). Référence correspondance FARA. Demander reçu de Transco avant l'enlèvement.

10. "Receivables from Albertville merchants" - voir mémorandum FIE-160 du 9 avril et mon rapport du 17 juin 1964. Poursuivre.



BUREAUX ONUC - 4, AVENUE DELCOMBIE

Instructions de bureau après mon départ

1. Heures de bureau :
- |       |   |       |
|-------|---|-------|
| 08.00 | à | 12.00 |
| 14.00 | à | 17.00 |

En dehors de ces heures la maison est à la disposition entière des deux professeurs de l'UNESCO qui y habitent encore.

2. Installation des bureaux :

Les bureaux sont installés provisoirement dans le living et dans la petite chambre à côté (chambre à provision). L'accès aux autres chambres de la maison par le personnel ONUC est interdit jusqu'après le départ des professeurs.

3. Divers :

Le boy de maison est à la disposition unique des professeurs et ne peut être demandé de rendre des services par le personnel ONUC. L'accès à la maison lui sera interdit après le départ des professeurs.

Le personnel congolais ONUC est responsable de la propreté dans le living, dans la chambre à provisions et autour de la maison. Cette responsabilité s'étendra sur toute la villa après le départ des professeurs.

Fait le 16 juin 1964, à Albertville.

W. Schmid  
Administrateur ONUC  
ALBERTVILLE



BUREAUX CEUC - 4, AVENUE BELCONMINE

Fonctionnement des bureaux après mon départ

En l'absence d'un autre dirigeant, M. Alfred MULOGE assumera la responsabilité pour le fonctionnement des bureaux CEUC. Les tâches suivantes lui incomberont:

1. Distribution de bons d'essence

Le système des bons d'essence doit être maintenu pour des raisons de comptabilité.

2. Entretien des véhicules

Préparer et distribuer les bons d'entretien.

3. Service Postal

Le service postal continue de la façon établie, c'est-à-dire:

- Envoi du pouce:

jeudi sur Leopoldville - fermeture mercredi soir.

Les jours des envois de courrier sur Elisabethville n'est pas fixe et dépend du nombre de lettres à transmettre.

- Réception du pouce:

Le courrier de Leopoldville et d'Elisabethville arrive d'habitude le samedi après-midi, et est distribué le lundi matin.

- R.F. 10 :

La clef se trouvera dans les bureaux. La boîte sera vidée une ou deux fois par jour.

- Télégrammes:

Les télégrammes pourront être envoyés directement par les experts eux-mêmes ou par M. Muloge. Pour le moment, les frais d'envoi devront être portés par les experts. Le remboursement se fera contre reçu de la poste, après l'arrivée de mon remplaçant.

4. Paiements

Etablissement du payroll et centralisation de factures à payer. Le comptable passera à Albertville à la fin du mois.



3. Divers

Les experts peuvent exiger de M. Muloge certains services divers, dans la limite de ses fonctions.

M. Muloge sera assisté par le planton dans l'exécution de ses tâches.

Fait à Albertville, le 16 juin 1964.

W. Schmid  
Administrateur ONUC  
ALBERTVILLE



Albertville

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Note à son successeur

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4. Pouches No. 38 et 40 de Leo non reçues. Voir mon télégramme du 13 juin 1964.
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- Envoi du pouq:

jeudi sur Leopoldville - fermeture mercredi soir.

Les jours des envois de courrier sur Elisabethville n'ont pas fixe et dépend du nombre de lettres à transmettre.

- Réception du pouq:

Le courrier de Leopoldville et d'Elisabethville arrive d'habitude le samedi après-midi, et est distribué le lundi matin.

- B.P. 10 :

La clef se trouvera dans les bureaux. La boîte sera vidée une ou deux fois par jour.

- Télégrammes:

Les télégrammes pourront être envoyés directement par les experts eux-mêmes ou par M. Muloge. Pour le moment, les frais d'envoi devront être portés par les experts. Le remboursement se fera contre reçu de la poste, après l'arrivée de mon remplaçant.

4. Paiements

Etablissement du payroll et centralisation de factures à payer. Le comptable passera à Albertville à la fin du mois.



5. Divers

Les experts peuvent exiger de M. Muloge certains services divers, dans la limite de ses fonctions.

M. Muloge sera assisté par le planton dans l'exécution de ses tâches.

Fait à Albertville, le 16 juin 1964.

W. Schmid  
Administrateur GEUC  
ALBERTVILLE

CF.277/64

16 June 1964

To : Mr. Th. de Candia, Chief Finance Officer  
 From : H. Fichler, Administrative Officer, Congo Fund  
 Subject : CFL - Statement of Accounts

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1. We are enclosing herewith copy of memorandum received from Mr. Schmid, Administrative Assistant Albertville, together with statement of accounts of invoices not yet settled to CFL.
2. I should be grateful if you would check the reasons for not having kept pending these invoices for such a long time.
3. The invoices concurring the expenses incurred for the food transport by Mr. Lejeune will be paid when certification has been received from Mr. Schmid. We are rather puzzled about Mr. Lejeune's loan from CFL in the amount of CF. 100.000. - By copy of this memorandum we request clarification from our Administrative Assistant in Albertville.

cc : Mr. Grigg  
 Mr. Schmid, Albertville



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BOITE POSTALE 7248  
LEOPOLDVILLE  
REPUBLIQUE DU CONGO  
CABLE: ONUC. LEOPOLDVILLE

*in Pickler - action*  
*in Bogovis - info*  
*9*  
*15/11*

4 June 1964

To : Mr. J. Saunders, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer,  
(Civilian Operations)  
From : W. Schmid, Administrative Assistant, Albertville  
Subject : CFL - Statment of Account

- ...
1. I wish to draw your attention to the attached statment of account which CFL transmitted to me some days ago. The statment is detailed into different sections, namely miscellaneous services and furnishings, accommodation claims, rental of furniture, special claims and transportation. The total amounts to roughly 9 millions francs.
  2. I am more than astonished that bills for miscellaneous services and furnishings should have remained unpaid for years. Accommodation claims resulted in 1962 should have been settled by now. I cannot help but feel that the lagging manner with which ONUC settles its claims is disgusting.
  3. Unfortunately, the pertinent files relating to the claims in question have apparently been shipped to Leopoldville. I wonder if anybody took the care of receiving and classifying them upon arrival there. I regret that, as a consequence, I am unable to assist in any practical way the settlement of such claims.
  4. Any assistance you may provide to clear our account with CFL, as well as in regard to the many unsettled accommodation claims which I have recalled in my previous FARs, is highly appreciated here.

Enclosure



# COMPAGNIE DES CHEMINS DE FER DU CONGO SUPERIEUR AUX GRANDS LACS AFRICAINS

SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME

ADRESSE TÉLÉGR. : GRANDLACS

Siège social : 24, avenue de l'Astronomie, Bruxelles

ANNEXE

07567

REGISTRE DU COMMERCE DE BRUXELLES N° 3902

A RAPPELER DANS LA RÉPONSE

No CC/0.21/255/

..:OM/JK:..

SERVICE COMPTABILITE CENTRALE.

Albertville, LE 23 Mai 1964

Monsieur le Représentant

" O. N. U. C. "

ALBERTVILLE.

Monsieur,

Suite à votre demande, veuillez trouver en annexe le relevé des sommes dues par l'O.N.U.C..

Nous vous en souhaitons bonne réception et vous prions d'agréer, Monsieur, l'assurance de notre considération distinguée..

LE CHEF DU SERVICE  
DE LA COMPTABILITE,



O. MELOTTE..

LE SECRETAIRE GENERAL,



F. GRANDJEAN..



ANNEXE A NOTRE LETTRE CC/0.21/255.

RELEVÉ DE COMPTE O.N.U.C.

<u>Factures</u> <u>diverses.</u>	<u>Date.</u>	<u>O b j e t.</u>	
N°			
30800	Mai 1961	Bois chauffage Kabal.	5.300
30802	" "	" " Kongol.	1.200
D/2385	15.11.61	Location wagon log. troupes	19.050
4MC/1026	4. "	1 Pneu	3.200
D/4077	2. 2. 62	Fourniture Eau Nyunzu	14.843
D/4097	8. "	Frais mise sur wagon	2.250
D/1890	2. 6. "	Réparation draisines	40.802
D/1813	29. 3. "	Tickets passagers (Shs 1872)	13.104
CR/9020	11.10. "	Utilisation Grue Hyster	3.900
D/ 876	28. 6. 63	Photocopies	2.000
D/8053	26. 9. "	Immobilisation wagons	188.300
C/1369	Avril 64		2.100
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			296.049,-
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D é g â t s.

D/4145	7. 3. 62	Remise état 15	Quart. Mission	18.300
D/4144	" "	" " 13	" "	20.600
D/4146	" "	" " 14	" "	19.350
D/4255	14. 4. "	" " 16	" "	17.750
D/1903	13. 6. "	" " 18	" "	27.270
D/1893	4. 6. "	" " 11	" "	20.780
D. 4	4. 7. "	" " 12	" Kindu	23.480
D. 6	" "	" " 22	" Mission	6.640
D. 7	" "	" " 18	" Kindu	22.820
D. 9	" "	" " 3	" Mission	22.690
D. 10	" "	" " 20/21	" "	49.350
D. 8	" "	" " 3	" Kindu	26.560
D/1978	20. 6. 62	" " Bureau Gare		35.310
D. 668	12. 3. 63	" " Instal. portuaires		15.547
D. 747	1. 4. "	" " Wagon 1616		5.100
D. 875	28. 6. "	" " Locaux Gare		24.000
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				355.547,-
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M o b i l i e r.

D. 38	10. 7. 62	Location mobilier	Juillet	197.315
D/340	30. 8. "	"	" Août-Sept.	32.424
D/404	1.10. "	"	" Mess. Malais	
			- 31.12.1962	5.500
D/412	1.10. 62	"	" Octobre	27.930
D/479	22.11. "	"	" Nov-Déc. 62	40.210
D/819	23. 4. 63	"	" Malais	
			31.3.1963	4.500
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				307. 879,-
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Factures  
diverses      Date      Objet.

Dossier Spécial.

D/1417      11. 4.61      Burlet coulé à Kabalo      F.B. 6.750.000  
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Transports.

CR/10029	22.11.62	Réquisitoire	309	13.272.
" 10028	"	"	308	15.219.
" 10031	"	"	310	1.553.
" 11046	"	"	318	174.961.
" 11009	27. "	"	313	264.
" 11011	28. "	"	312	41.
" 11012	"	"	311	250.
" 11013	"	"	315	39.978.
" 11014	"	"	316	11.481.
" 11015	"	"	317	198.
M.1015	Janvier 1964			5.314
M.3003	Mars "			7.050

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269.581  
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LE JEUNE.

M.1005	Janvier 1964	22.099
M.1004	" "	61.389
M.1003	" "	9.902
M.1002	" "	4.139
NC. M.1145	" "	<u>2.257</u>
M.1001	" "	30.181
Prêt à Lejeune (solde)		100.000
M.2087	Février 1964	63.551
M.3028	Mars "	177.357

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466.493,-  
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Devis introduits pour dégâts à Léopoldville.

- Remise état maison n° 2 Quart. Kindu Nov.63	F.C.	52.400
" " " " 3 " " "	"	53.300
" " " " 25 " " "	"	39.600
" " " " 30 " " "	"	87.500
-Vol Port Moba Décembre 1963	"	38.660
-Frig. Lorent disparu	Réclamé en nature	
-Remplacement de 6 maisons metall. volées.	Dollars	6.000
-Armoire frigorifique	( Dollars	700
	( F.C.	15.000
-Frigo et cuisinière MARIEN	"	47.000
-Frig. De PAUW	"	4.000
-Frig. STEVENS	"	50.000
-Mobilier	Reclamé en nature	

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F.C. 387.460  
Dollars 6.700  
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*Registry*  
ROUTING SLIP

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TO Procurement Section

Attn: Mr. Nevrodis

*Mr. Pichler*

APPROVAL	NOTE AND RETURN
SEE ME, PLEASE	YOUR COMMENTS
YOUR SIGNATURE	YOUR INFORMATION
NOTE AND FILE	FOR ACTION

Reference the attached letters,  
Mr. Cremlis says he has no  
record of this transaction.

If this matter concerns Pro-  
curement, please take appro-  
priate action. Otherwise,  
please forward these letters  
to Mr. Pichler's office.

*action is not for  
procurement.*

DATE

June 23, '64

FROM

*Rey Browne*  
Rey Browne  
Finance Registry



Sam Georges G

B. P. 5042

KINDU P. E

MANIEMA

16/6/64

ONUC - Accounts &  
Cash Department

JUN 22 1964

ACTION

(3429)

Sir

I am writing to remind you

concerning my payment which was effected by madam Augustine SAM at Albertville. I want to know if this payment of 62000frs sixty two thousand francs under receipt N<sup>o</sup> 64/7 of 14/1/64 at Albertville has been remitted to your department or not?

I wrote on the 5<sup>th</sup> of this current but sorry no acknowledgement. Please I am waiting for an urgent reply as there is a dispute about this very amount. Thanks most sincerely in advance.

I remain  
Faithfully Yours  
Sam Georges G  
16/6/64



Account Dept  
O N U C  
Leopoldville

Sam

George Gabriel  
B. P. 5042 Kindu  
Port Empain Maniema  
5<sup>th</sup> June 1964

Sir

I most submissively beg to inquire if payment of 62,000 frs equivalent to 150 dollars being payment of transport of small fish (ndakalla) from Albertville to Lutuabourg Receipt No 64/7 of 14/1/64 being effected by Augustine Sam on my behalf have been transferred or remitted to Leopoldville.

On the other hand I want to know if there<sup>is</sup> any amount still owing against transport of ndakala (small fish) from Albertville to Lutuabourg.

I beg to remain

Faithfully Yours

Sam George Gabriel

18/6/64

JUN 18 1964

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CIVOPS-1174/64

16 June 1964

Mr. D. Najman, Senior Consultative and  
UNESCO Representative  
Dr. Bellerive, Senior WHO Representative  
John M. Saunders, D.C.A.O., Civilian Operations  
Evacuation of Albertville

....  
Attached is a copy of a memorandum from Mr. Nashashibi  
in connection with a request from a number of experts of your  
agency for their evacuation from Albertville.

Your comments and recommendations in this connection would  
be appreciated.



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BOITE POSTALE 307 B  
ELISABETHVILLE  
CABLE: ONUC, ELISABETHVILLE

JUN 10 1964  
ACTION

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TO: *Saunders* 6 June 1964. - 262

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4 - Acknowledged  
5 - No Acknowledged  
INITIALS *[Signature]*

To Mr. B. Osorio-Tafall, Acting Officer-in-Charge, ONUC, Leopoldville.  
From A. Nashashibi, Chief UN Representative in Elisabethville.  
Subject Evacuation of Albertville.

I have received today a memo dated 4 June 1964 from Mr. W. Schmid, Administrative Assistant in Albertville, with which was enclosed a petition signed by eight members of UNESCO and WHO and one non-UN person in Albertville requesting to be evacuated together with their families in view of the unstable situation there.

I am sending you the said memo and Petition for your consideration.



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BOITE POSTALE 7248  
LEOPOLDVILLE  
REPUBLIQUE DU CONGO  
CABLE: ONUC. LEOPOLDVILLE

4 June 1964

To : Mr. Nashashibi, ONUC, Elisabethville  
From : W.Schmid, Administrative Assistant, Albertville  
Subject : Request for Evacuation

- ... 1. Enclosed, please find a list of petitioners requesting evacuation from Albertville. I kindly ask you to relay this request to HQ Leopoldville or to take other dispositions as appropriate.
2. The Minister of the Interior has issued a note to the public with which he forbids Europeans to leave Albertville at this time. However, it is expected that this order will be revoked within the next few days.
3. I am forwarding following details to complete enclosed list:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Dependents</u>	<u>Total</u>
A. Rodriguez, Mr.	UNESCO	5	6
J. Fognells, Miss	UNESCO	-	1
G. Besson, Mr.	WHO	2	3
T. Candas, Miss	UNESCO	-	1
G. Tzevelekakis, Mr.	no connection with UN	3	4
P. Cockinos, Mr.	UNESCO	1	2
G. Foulonneau, Mr.	UNESCO	4	5
S. Stanojević, Dr.	WHO	-	1
J. Campbell, Mr.	UNESCO	-	1
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Enclosure



Albertville, 3 juin 1964

Monsieur W. Schmid  
Administrateur ONUC  
ALBERTVILLE

Monsieur,

N<sup>o</sup> Vu la situation incertaine à Albertville, nous désirons être évacués  
le plus tôt possible. Nous vous prions de bien vouloir faire le nécessaire.

- 1 - Mr. Rodriguez Carrasco, épouse et 4 enfants
  - 2 - Mme. Rodriguez, Avela
  - 3 - M<sup>lle</sup> LUISA RODRIGUEZ 9 ans
  - 4 - ANGEL " 7 ans
  - 5 - ISABEL 6 ans " et Fabrice RODRIGUEZ 5 ans
  - 6 - FORNELLS-BADDA, Joaquina
  - 7 - ~~Joquina Fornells Bada~~
  - 8 - BESSON GUY
  - 9 - RANDAS M<sup>lle</sup> Teresa
  - 10 - TZEVELEKAKIS G.
  - 11 - M<sup>lle</sup> TZEVELEKAKIS M.
  - 12 - Sophie TZEVELEKAKIS 16 mois
  - 13 - Emmanuel TZEVELEKAKIS 4 mois
  - 14 - COCHINOS P
  - 15 - M<sup>lle</sup> COCHINOS
  - 16 - Foulonneau Gilbert
  - 17 - Foulonneau Richeline
  - 18 - Foulonneau Michel
  - 19-20 - Foulonneau Jean et Gilles
  - 21 - Dr Slavoljub Stanojevic
  - 22 - CAMPBELL JEAN-YVES
- Handwritten notes and signatures:*  
- "adele Santalla" written above item 1.  
- "Angel Rodriguez Carrasco" written across items 2-5.  
- "Joquina Fornells Bada" written across item 6.  
- "M<sup>lle</sup> TZEVELEKAKIS M." written across item 11.  
- "HOTEL DU LAC" written twice on the right side.  
- "HOTEL DU LAC" written on the right side next to item 12.  
- "HOTEL DU LAC" written on the right side next to item 15.  
- "HOTEL DU LAC" written on the right side next to item 19-20.  
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- "HOTEL DU LAC" written on the right side next to item 22.  
- "HOTEL DU LAC" written on the right side next to item 23.




Albertville, 3 juin 1964

Monsieur W.Schmid  
Administrateur ONUC  
ALBERTVILLE

Monsieur,

Vu la situation incertaine à Albertville, je viens vous demander de bien vouloir faire évacuer ma femme et mon enfant de 4 ans le plus tôt possible. Ma femme de plus est malade.

  
G.Besson  
Technicien Sanitaire  
Albertville



ORR 130613 A'ville

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IMMEDIATE AND CONFIDENTIAL. BULE 448. MEHIRSI DE HAKIM A BUKAVU  
AU RECU EN DATE DE CE JOUR DU JUGE PRESIDENT TRIBUNAL ALBERTVILLE  
COPIE TELEGRAMME SUIVANT ADRESSEE PRESIDENCE BUKAVU.  
QUOTE VOUS SIGNALE SITUTATIONS POLITIQUES ETRE TRAGIQUES ALBERTVILLE  
DEPUIS 27 MAI PLUSIEURS MORTS ET BLESSEES.

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JEUNESSES ALBERTVILLE PRETENDUES MULELISTES TROUBLENT REGION  
ET ELARGISSENT TOUS DETENUS PRISON CENTRALE. CES MEMES DETENUS  
COLLABORENT DEJA AVEC CES BANDITS. IL Y A LIEU PREVOIR DANGER  
CORPS JUDICIAIRE MANQUANT SECURITE PERSONNELLE. CROYEZ-MOI  
SOLLICITE PAR CONSEQUENT MON CONGE STATUTAIRE ANNULÉ DE 1959  
A CE JOUR POUR

P3/31

ME RENDRE KINDU MALGRE MANQUE REMPLACANT. VIE PRIME TRAVAIL  
INSISTE VU URGENCEE UNQUOTE. POUR EVITER PAREIL ETAT PRISON CENTRALE  
BUKAVU AI DEMANDE AUTORITES MILITAIRES RENFORCEMENT GARDE PRISON.

JUN 15 1964

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copy sent to Mr. Sherry & Mr. L. L. L.  
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*in Gauthier*

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*15/ju* JUN 15 1964  
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ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE

SAUNDERS GAUVREAU DE FOULONNEAU AVILLE PRIERE CONFIRMER 30 KGS  
BAGAGES PAR PERSONNE PLUS 20 KGS PERSONNELS CAR AGENCE AIRCONGO  
REFUSE DEPASSER 20 KGS PAR PES PERSONNE DEMANDE REPONSE UG URGENTE  
SUR COVERSION BAGAGES SURFACE EN BAGAGES AIR

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ALBERTVILLE  
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OUTGOING CLEAR

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ONUC ELISABETHVILLE FOR NASHASIBI

LUCAS BUJUMBURA (VIA AMERICAN EMBASSY)

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FROM OSORIO TAFALL

1. FOLLOWING CABLE RECEIVED FROM SCHMID OUR REGIONAL OFFICER IN ALBERTVILLE VIA BANQUE DU CONGO IN BUJUMBURA AND BRUSSELS: QUOTE OSORIO TAFALL FROM SCHMID INFORMING YOU OF RIOT COMBAT ACTIVITY VICINITY BENDERA LAST NIGHT STOP ADVISABLE RECEIVE YOUR INSTRUCTIONS WITHOUT DELAY. UNQUOTE.

2. PLEASE URGENTLY FORWARD SCHMID ALBERTVILLE FOLLOWING MESSAGE QUOTE SCHMID IN REPLY TO YOUR CABLE SENT VIA BANQUE DU CONGO REGARDING SITUATION AT BANDERA HEREWITH MY INSTRUCTIONS: PROTECTION OF UN PERSONNEL IS RESPONSIBILITY OF ANC AND GENDARMERIE ACCORDING TO UN AGREEMENTS WITH GOVERNMENT. HOWEVER IF THERE ARE UN EXPERTS AND DEPENDENTS IN BENDERA AREA AND IF YOU CONSIDER THAT LOCAL CONDITIONS ARE DANGEROUS FOR THEM AND ANC UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO PROVIDE THE PROTECTION NEEDED YOU SHOULD USE YOUR JUDGMENT FOR THE TIMING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF AN EVACUATION SCHEME. EVACUATION COULD BE EITHER TO ALBERTVILLE OR TO APPROPRIATE POINT IN BURUNDI. NEW SUBJECT. EYE SHALL BE WRITING REGARDING SECURITY AND EVACUATION ARRANGEMENTS IN GENERAL FOR UN EXPERTS AND DEPENDANTS IN WHOLE AREA FOR WHICH YOUR OFFICE HAS RESPONSIBILITIES. MEANWHILE PLEASE BEAR IN MIND THAT ANY EVACUATION SHOULD ONLY BE MADE AFTER

T.O.R.

BY:

Drafted by :

J. Saunders

T.O.D.

Authorized

B. Osorio Tafall

Date :

14 June 1964

C. 81471



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CLEARANCE WITH ME AND THEN NORMALLY IN THREE STAGES: FIRST, WOMEN AND CHILDREN. SECOND, EXPERTS WHO REQUEST TO BE EVACUATED OR WHO CAN NOT REPEAT NOT PERFORM THEIR FUNCTIONS APPROPRIATELY. THIRD, THE REST OF PERSONNEL. NEVERTHELESS AS A PRESENCE OF UNATIONS MUST BE ESTABLISHED THIS CAN BE DONE THROUGH UN EXPERTS WILLING TO REMAIN IN ALBERTVILLE WHATEVER MIGHT HAPPEN AND SUCH INTERNATIONAL PERSONNEL OF YOUR OFFICE AS VOLUNTEER TO STAY. OSORIO TAFALL. UNQUOTE.

3. PLEASE CABLE ME CONFIRMATION THAT INSTRUCTIONS HAVE REACHED ADDRESSEE.

C. 51471

T. O. R.

BY:

Drafted by :

T. O. D.

Authorized

Date :



TE/DP/LA

BANQUE DU CONGO

LEOPOLDVILLE, le 12/6/1964

*URGENT*

TELEGRAMME RECU de B.C. USUMBURA via BRUXELLES

le 2.6

*in Ossio - Tafall*  
*JP*  
*14/vi*  
" COPIE D'EXECUTION "

TRANSMISSION DE BC USUMBURA

NO 1412 N° 14

TRANSMETTEZ ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE DE LA PART DE ONUC

ALBERTVILLE QUOTE

*OR*  
*CH*  
OSSIO TAFALL FROM ~~SMITH~~ INFORMING YOU OF RIOT

COMBAT ACTIVITY VICINITY BENDERA LAST NIGHT STOP

ADVISABLE/ ~~RECEIVE~~ YOUR INSTRUCTIONS WITHOUT

DELAY UNQUOTE.

NATIONS UNIES.

Vous aurez récupéré



15 JUN 15 1973  
O.N.U.C.



→ ORG 1307/13 Aville

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ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE

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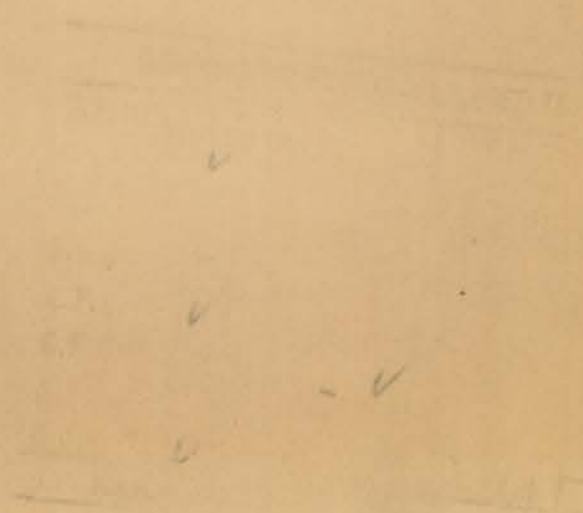
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FROM ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE  
TO ONUC ALBERTVILLE

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SCHMID FROM BAKER. REUR CLAIM ALB-16 . AS COMPENSATION  
FOR SETTLEMENT OF PALACE HOTEL INVOLVES CONSIDERABLE AMOUNTS IT IS IMPERATIVE  
THAT AN ETAT DE LIEUX BE ESTABLISHED NOW. REQUEST YOU PROCEED TO THIS  
IMMEDIATELY AND FORWARD RESULTS TO THIS OFFICE.

*B-515*  
*D/CHO CIN-ops*

cc: Mr. J. Saunders  
Deputy ~~Adm~~ Chief Adm. Officer

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Action To.....

File No. ....

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*D. Baker*

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OR 130/1/3 *Mr. Saunders*  
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ONUC  
Albertville

10 June 1964

To : Mr. J. Saunders, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer,  
(Civilian Operations)  
From : W. Schmid, Administrative Assistant, Albertville  
Subject : Field Administrative Report No. 7

*W. Schmid*

I. ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

1. Receipt of your FAR No. 6 with enclosures is acknowledged herewith.

II. PERSONNEL

2. Movement of Personnel assigned to Albertville

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>from</u>	<u>to</u>	<u>Purpose</u>
12/5	S.Castrillon	A'ville	E'ville	trip requested and paid for by Government
14/5	S.Tapinos	A'ville	E'ville	repatriation
15/5	S.Castrillon	E'ville	A'ville	return
15/5	G.Besson	E'ville	A'ville	return from hospitalisation
19/5	Dr. Caziras	A'ville	E'ville	transfer to Kolwezi
14/5	Dr. Nandi	Kaniama	Jadotville	transfer
7/5	Dr. De Lucia	-	Kaniama	transfer
22/5	Dr.Stanojević	A'ville	Leo	medical examination
30/5	E.Lejeune	E'ville	A'ville	duty
4 /6	Dr.Stanojević	Leo	A'ville	return
8 /6	Dr.Beynet	A'ville	Kabalo	duty
10/6	Dr.Beynet	Kabalo	A'ville	return

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III. PX AND COMMISSARY

3. Despatch of special orders - Mr. S. Castrillon  
Reference your FAR No. 6, item III/3. Special orders Nos. 23390 and 23391, contrary to your statement, were not included in pouch sent to Albertville on 21 May 1964, nor were they received up to this date. Please investigate and advise.
4. Visit of ONUC PX Service Field Supervisor  
With reference to your FAR No. 6, item III/4 please be advised that no stock of PX and Commissary items is kept in Albertville. The visit of Mr. Constantinides, therefore, is not necessary.

IV. GENERAL SERVICES

5. Extension of Congolese Visa - Mr. L. Ponticelli  
... Mr. L. Ponticelli's Laissez-Passer No. 23978 is forwarded herewith for extension of Congolese visa.
6. Mail Operations  
Please be advised that pouch No. 38 from Leopoldville has not been received up to this date; however, pouch No. 39 is in our possession.  
  
On the other hand, receipt has not been acknowledged by you of our pouch No. 27. Please investigate and advise.
7. Rental of Station Wagon "Volvo"  
... Please refer to Mr. G. Hoesli's letter No. A - 5251/64 dated 5 June 1964 herewith enclosed. Kindly advise Mr. Hoesli on the result of his claim.

V. ACCOMMODATION

8. Claim G. Tsirepas - AL/A/9  
... Please refer to Mr. Hoesli's letter No. A - 5250/64 dated 5 June 1964 which I am forwarding to you together with contract file AL/A/9 concerning rental of two apartments. Early action is appreciated.

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VI. FINANCE

9. Travel Claim Dr. S. Stanojević  
... Herewith enclosed, duly certified. Please process.

VII. MISCELLANEOUS

10. Public Works  
... Letter No. 63/0664/64 is forwarded for your action together  
with AMSAR Invoice No. 4.

ENCLOSURES

Laissez - Passer No. 23978  
Letter No. A - 5251/64  
Contract file AL/A/9  
Travel Claim Dr. Stanojević  
Letter No. 63/0664/64 with invoice AMSAR No. 4  
Travel Claim Dr. Beynet (not mentioned in FAR)



CF.250/64

HP/cm

8 June 1964

To : Mr. P.C. Martin, Chief, Audit and Inspection Service

From : H. Pichler, Administrative Officer, Congo Fund

Subject : Audit and Inspection Report No 125 - Civilian Operations  
Administration - Albertville

Pursuant to your request, we are pleased to provide you the following replies to your queries contained in your report.

9. Recommendations

- a) An Administrative Assistant, M. W. Schmid, has been appointed beginning April 1964, taking charge of the administration at Albertville.
- b) The imprest account has been withdrawn from the locally employed Congolese clerk and handed over to the Administrative Assistant (ref. FIN/410, dated 8 May 1964, establishing level of imprest at CF : 2 100 000).
- c) The Chief Finance Officer issued instructions to remove Messrs Beitsma + Albania as signatories of the Bank Account ref. FIN/126, 20 April 1964.
- d) The Administrative Assistant has been authorized to effect recurring payments like vehicle repairs, MSA, local salaries, rental for office premises, etc.. without prior submittance of invoices to HQs Leopoldville or Elisabethville. In addition, payments of Public Works payroll and Community Development bills will be settled locally after certification by the Albertville Expert concerned.
- e) Claims for double accommodation, travel, etc.. should also be settled in Albertville after duly verification.
- f) Payment Vouchers established by the Albertville office and supporting documents in triplicate will be sent to HQs Leo, once monthly by FAR, one copy of Voucher and supporting documents will be kept at the field office. The Voucher will be accompanied by a monthly statement of accounts.

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- g) The Administrative Assistant has requested the retention of the surplus office equipment in Albertville.
- h) The Administrative Assistant confirms that instructions have been issued to the effect that the U.N. vehicles should only be used by U.N. personnel. Control of POL issues has been implemented by Mr. Foulonneau UNESCO Expert, prior to the arrival of the Administrative Assistant.
- i) All civilian garages in Albertville were informed by registered letter dated 1 May 1964 that no bills will be accepted in future without Purchase Order. Experts have also been advised.
- j) In view of the small number of cars and the fairly good garage facilities, the idea of establishing a U.N. repair shop was dropped.
- l) m) n) o)

The investigation on the disposal of ONUC surplus food is being carried out. Satisfactory results have been obtained (ref. FAR 3/III).

- q) The warehouse for surplus food had been released in accordance with our instructions (ref. FAR 2/II/4 from Albertville). The "état des lieux" will be established shortly.

cc : Mr. Th. de Candia  
Mr. Schmid



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BOITE POSTALE 7248  
LEOPOLDVILLE  
REPUBLIQUE DU CONGO  
CABLE: ONUC. LEOPOLDVILLE

Elisabethville 3 June 1964

Dear Mr Cacouris,

It is a pity that you were in E'ville and that I could not see you. As you are aware, I am almost 11 kilometers out of town doing a job which is enormous making me sick with pounds of dust in my stomach everyday and <sup>there</sup> I could not make it to catch you before you proceeded for North Katanga.

Leaving aside the fact that favourable consideration should be given for revising my salary, as after all we should rather be paid for what we put in, I am really fed up in E'ville. Due to various reasons I am seeking your help to arrange my transfer to Leopoldville even for whatever short period I am with ONUC. This dust and cold weather are making me really bad. I could have written an official letter for transfer but that would mean routing it through Mr Halbert who, although very busy lately, by nature too would keep it for at least a few weeks before he forwards it to Leo. I should therefore be grateful if you could please drop me a line if this is possible and when I could be transferred.

I must state again that I felt it very much that I just could not see and entertain you.

Hope to receive a very early reply,

Yours sincerely,

Iftikhar Sheikh



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FROM

*HR. 742*





BOITE POSTALE 7248  
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CABLE ONUC. LEOPOLDVILLE

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JUN 8 - 1964

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To : Mr. J. Saunders, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer,  
Civilian Operations  
From : W. Schmid, Administrative Assistant, Albertville  
Subject : Stationing of Administrative Personnel in Albertville

1. Please authorize my and my wife's return to Leopoldville via Air Congo on Thursday, 18 June 1964 and subsequent departure from the Congo on 23 June, as per my confidential letter to Mr. Schoellkopf dated 7 May 1964. Kindly reserve accommodation.

2. Despite the trifling number of experts stationed in Albertville, the continued presence of an Administrative Officer is recommendable. The administrative work should not consume much time in future, but the Administrative Officer is constantly called upon for duties of various nature ( representation, economical and political affairs, etc. ) and as there has to be somebody for the operation of the radio which will undoubtedly be stationed here before long, I believe that his presence is fully justified.

3. The assignment of another Administrative Officer to Albertville, on the other hand, should be subject to political considerations. Recent events confirm the unstability of the situation in Northern Katanga, and further unrest is very likely to occur. Evacuation of UN and UNESCO personnel from Albertville and province would prove to be an almost impossible thing in the absence of UN troops. As you know, the conditions created by political unrest oppose and seriously impede the efficiency of any working program, and Technical Assistance is of very little help to anybody during these times. The question whether the gains outweigh the constant insecurity of the staff having to work under such conditions must be confronted and dispositions have to be taken accordingly.



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3.6.1964



TELEGRAMME **REÇU** de B.C. USUMBURA via BRUXELLES.-le 1.6 à heures et traduit  
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Tel M. Hammer le 2/6/64



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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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26 May 1964

TO: Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, Civilian Operations  
FROM: Chief, Purchasing and Supply Section  
SUBJECT: Water-Trailer -ALBERTVILLE

Your memo No. CIVOPS-990/64, dated 22 May 1964  
refers.

1. Please see A/R No. 5-3/21 to Albertville.

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22 May 1964

Mr. A.W. Cooper, Chief Purchasing & Supply Section

J.M. Saunders, Dep. Chief Admin. Officer, Civops

Water trailer - Albertville

I would appreciate your comments in regard to  
item 24 of Administrative Report No.2 of 30 April 1964, from  
Albertville, on the subject.

cc: Mr. D. Wyatt-John  
Mr. K. Mortensen



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*M. Saunders*

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17 May 1964

To : Mr. J.Saunders, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer  
(Civilian Operations)  
From : W.Schmid, Administrative Assistant, Albertville  
Subject : Mr. G.Foulonneau - Transport

1. Reference your FAR No. 4, II/2. It seems appropriate to give some explanations on the subject of transportation to Mr. Foulonneau.
2. Mr. Foulonneau, without previously discussing his problem with me, mailed his memorandum dated 29 April 1964, copy of which you have received. For obvious reasons, I did not react to his request. Still, I was sure to see to it that Station Wagon No. 10 was available to him the day he requested it. Mr. Foulonneau, however, failed to show up.
3. For his inspection trip on 4 May, Mr. Foulonneau used his assigned Volkswagon No. 1581. He reached his destination and returned safely without having to cross water (owing to the fact that the construction of the bypass had been completed several days ahead of his scheduled inspection trip, of which I could have informed him had he asked me.)
4. The starter of Mr. Foulonneau's Volkswagon had been repaired, to my knowledge, even before he wrote his memorandum. Anyway, he used his vehicle practically every day and I saw him personally driving it across flooded roads in town.
5. When I was given the opportunity of discussing Mr. Foulonneau's transport problem with him, we came to a satisfactory agreement in no time. I conceded to assigning Station Wagon No. 10 to Mr. Foulonneau whenever he felt he needed it - moreover, I offered this vehicle to him full time. This he did not want.
6. At the same time, however, I made it very clear to Mr. Foulonneau that I did not appreciate his sending correspondence all over the Congo on matters for which no single reason to write existed. I also

.../...



told him that I was at his entire disposal to help him in solving any administrative problem, but that I was in no case his servant...

7. It is strange to note that Mr. Foulonneau, up to this date, never requested Station Wagon No. 10 or any other vehicle from the pool, although in his memorandum he states that he would need it several mornings a week.

8. It is equally strange that Mr. Foulonneau did not bring his Volkswagon for repair after I handed him the Bendix which was requested urgently by cable from Leopoldville, and which arrived a week ago.

9. Mr. Foulonneau is the only one of the experts in Albertville who deems it superfluous to come to my office from time to time to discuss matters of mutual interest.

10. I leave it up to you to draw any conclusion you deem appropriate. In any case, I feel that we have lost a lot of time on this subject which could have - and has - been dealt with in a matter of minutes.



ORg 130/1/3 + ville

CIVOPS-926/64

15 May 1964

Dear Mr. Schmid,

Audit Report

Enclosed is a copy of the Audit Report No. 135 made by Mr. Soussou after his recent visit. I should appreciate it if you would let me have your early observations on the recommendations in the last paragraph, and if there are any which you believe you cannot put into effect promptly, please give the reasons.

I am sorry that there is only one spare copy, but these reports are intended only for you, and not for general distribution, so I hope you can manage.

Yours sincerely,

John M. Saunders  
Deputy Chief Administrative Officer  
Civilian Operations

Mr. W. Schmid  
Administrative Assistant  
ALBANYVILLE

cc: Mr. Cacouris



RAPPORT DE MISSION A ALBERTVILLE  
DU 8 AU 11 MAI 1964

*cf. dossier ORG 130/1/37 ville*

A - OBJET DE LA MISSION - (Réf. ordre de mission O.N.U.C.  
n° PW/4132/102 du 2 mai 1964)

Examen sur place des graves problèmes que pose la crue exceptionnelle du lac Tanganyika.

B - COMPOSITION DE LA MISSION -

Monsieur J. YULA, directeur Chef du Service des  
Voies Navigables

Monsieur F.J. WARNIMONT, expert O.N.U.C. et conseiller  
principal aux Voies Navigables

Monsieur ANHOURI, expert O.N.U.C.

C - ITINERAIRE ET PROGRAMME SUCCINCT -

Vendredi 8 mai 1964 : Départ de Léopoldville à 5h.30'  
par avion Air-Congo.

Arrivée à Albertville à 12h.15'

- Visite du pont de la Lûbuyé et  
de la route de l'aéroport longeant  
le lac.
- Visite du pont de l'ancienne route,  
vers le village de Moni.

Samedi 9 mai 1964

- Visite de la Lukuga avec le bateau-  
baliseur MTOA et examen des dégâts  
et destructions occasionnés aux  
rives depuis la Lukuga jusqu'au vil-  
lage des pêcheurs.
- Visite de courtoisie à la direction  
C.F.L. et examen de diverses ques-  
tions.
- Visite en compagnie de l'entrepreneur  
Monsieur VERTICCHIO et de l'ingénieur  
O.N.U.C. TAPINOS, des travaux de  
protection de la station de pompage  
de la Régidsee.  
Examen du devis des travaux restant  
à exécuter.

Dimanche 10 mai 1964

- Visite des travaux du port exécutés  
par Auxeltra-béton.
- Descente de la Lukuga en canot à  
moteur (hors bord) pour examen de  
l'évolution du lit de la rivière,  
suite aux travaux exécutés par  
A.M.S.A.R.



Lundi 11 mai 1964 : - Examen de divers problèmes administratifs.  
- 13h.00 départ vers Léopoldville par avion Air-Congo.  
- 18h.00 arrivée à Léopoldville.

D - DETAIL DU PROGRAMME :

1° Situation générale :-

Pendant la durée de notre séjour à Albertville, la cote du lac était 776.96, soit plus de 2,50 m. au dessus du niveau des hautes eaux normales. Il est probable qu'il a atteint actuellement sa hauteur maximum pour cette année, la décrue devant d'ailleurs s'amorcer en fin de mois.

Les conséquences de cette crue sont catastrophiques pour Albertville et les environs et on y observe notamment ce qui suit :

- le port, la cale sèche et les ateliers C.F.L. sont recouverts par près d'un mètre d'eau;
- la gare est également inondée et le camp des travailleurs, comprenant un dispensaire, situé en bordure du lac est envahi par celui-ci et partiellement détruit;
- la route du bas de la ville reliant le port, par l'avenue Sterna, (quartier commercial) au pont de la Lukuga est coupée en quatre endroits et inondée sur près de deux kilomètres. De nombreuses maisons de commerce et d'habitation ont dû évacuer. La route elle-même est très dégradée;
- au sud d'Albertville, le village des pêcheurs est totalement détruit et la route vers Katibili et Rutuku est emportée sur plus de cinq kilomètres;
- au nord d'Albertville, la route longeant le lac jusqu'à l'aéroport est totalement détruite sur environ 200 mètres, un pont (de la rivière Lubuye) est endommagé et impraticable et le dernier tronçon de cette route est, sur environ 1,5 km., menacé par le lac.

Dans l'ensemble, la situation est extrêmement déplaisante. L'économie de la région en est partiellement paralysée, le ravitaillement devient plus difficile et le coût des marchandises s'en ressent. Il y a d'autre part, risque d'épidémies graves et on parle d'ailleurs déjà d'une recrudescence de la malaria. La population est lasse et déçue de la carence des services publics qui indifférents, ne réagissent pas et parlent ni plus ni moins d'émigrer à Kamina.

La Société de transports locale, la Compagnie des Grands Lacs, a réalisé des miracles, mais ne prévoyait cependant pas une crue de cette ampleur. Avec des difficultés de plus en plus grandes, non seulement à Albertville mais également sur son réseau ferré et fluvial intérieur, elle a poursuivi ses activités. Malheureusement les "East African Railways" du Tanganyika viennent de faire savoir que, suite aux inondations sur une partie de leur réseau, ils n'acceptent plus jusque fin juin, de marchandises en



transit à destination ou en provenance de Dar-es-Salaam.

2° - Mesures destinées à faire face à cette situation :-

a/- Protection de l'infrastructure portuaire :

Le mur extérieur du môle, qui avait été endommagé au cours des hautes eaux de 1962, a été surélevé à la cote 777.50, un muret a en outre été construit à l'intérieur du port. Ce dispositif s'est révélé très utile et protège efficacement le port contre la houle et les vagues destructives formées par les vents prédominants du Sud-est. Il en est de même du muret destiné à protéger la voie ferrée à proximité du camp des travailleurs C.F.L. Ces travaux, dont le coût s'est chiffré à près de 20.000.000 Rs. congolais, ont été comme on sait, financés par l'O.N.U.C.

b/- Curage de la Lukuga :-

Cette rivière étant l'unique exutoire du lac Tanganyika, sa capacité d'écoulement constitue le seul facteur susceptible d'influencer le niveau du lac. Aussi, des travaux de curage de ses rives furent entrepris dès septembre 1963. Près de 450.000 m<sup>3</sup> de rive furent désherbées, 33.980 m<sup>3</sup> draguées et 22.500 m<sup>3</sup> d'alluvions enlevées. Le débit actuel de l'exutoire étant de 730 m<sup>3</sup>/sec., il est permis de croire que ces travaux ont eu une efficacité non négligeable. Financés également par l'intermédiaire de l'O.N.U.C. ils ont coûté environ 50.000.000.- Rs. C.

c/- Protection de la station de pompage de la Régidase :-

Très exposée à la houle du lac, cette station a fait l'objet d'importants travaux de protection, encore en cours d'exécution d'ailleurs et qui se chiffraient au 30 avril à près de 8.000.000.- Rs. Au cours d'entretien avec l'entrepreneur il fut calculé qu'un crédit supplémentaire minimum de 1.288.000.- Rs. est nécessaire pour leur achèvement. C'est encore l'O.N.U.C. qui assure le financement de cet ouvrage, dont le coût total atteindra environ 9.200.000.- R.C.

d/- Aménagement et rehaussement de la route des inflammables :-

La route d'accès au port de la Lukuga ayant été coupée par l'inondation, c'est le rehaussement d'un tronçon d'environ une centaine de mètres de la route desservant le parc à inflammables qui a permis de rétablir et de maintenir la communication avec la rive de la Lukuga, vers Filitisaf et l'aérodrome. Ce travail qui présentait un caractère de particulière urgence a coûté environ 750.000 Rs. avancés par la Chambre de Commerce d'Albertville et que l'O.N.U.C. a été sollicité de rembourser.

Il ne fait aucun doute que ces travaux, entrepris à l'initiative de l'O.N.U.C. ont eu des résultats très favorables pour la protection d'installations vitales pour l'économie du nord-Katanga. Ils sont toutefois encore insuffisants et c'est sur la rive droite de la Lukuga que doivent maintenant porter les efforts en vue de préserver la route, récemment construite à grands frais, qui dessert l'aéroport.



Ces travaux qui offrent un caractère d'extrême urgence, ont fait l'objet des offres et devis estimatifs ci-après, par l'Association momentanée AUXELTRA-BERTICCHIO :

1° - Réfection provisoire du pont de la rivière Labaye	Rs. 1.161.200.-
2° - Construction d'une bretelle de détournement par la route contournant l'usine Piltisaf	Rs. 730.000.-
3° - Fixation de la rive sur environ 200 mètres à l'endroit où la route a été emportée (digue en enrochements)	Rs. 750.000.-
4° - Protection par un cavalier d'enrochement, des derniers 1500 mètres de la route récemment bâtonnée de la route de l'aéroport	Rs. 5.625.000.-
soit au total	Rs. 8.266.200.-

3° - Travaux à envisager dès la décrue :-

Il est d'ores et déjà certain que d'importants travaux seront indispensables pour la remise en état de l'infrastructure portuaire et des voies de communications endommagées par l'inondation et l'effet destructeur des vagues. Je citerai notamment :

- la reconstruction de la route intérieure du port, d'environ 1 k/m.;
- la mise à niveau et la réparation de l'avenue du port et de l'avenue Stornas, sur une distance de l'ordre de 3 k/m.;
- la reconstruction de la partie emportée de la route de l'aéroport;
- la construction et le ravalement des digues de protection du port pétrolier et des rives du lac aux installations C.F.L. et le long de la route vers l'aérodrome.

Un premier crédit de 50.000.000.- Rs. serait à prévoir afin de permettre d'entamer ces travaux dès le début de la décrue./-

Léopoldville, le 13 mai 1964