

LEOPOLVILLE  
24 June 1961

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EV-254 O'BRIEN NWOKEDI FROM LINNER

TSHOMBE LEFT LEO AT 1230Z FOR EVILLE WITH COLONEL NOJOKU AND  
NINE A.N.C. OFFICERS. MOBUTU, ADOULA AND ILEO SAW HIM OFF.



LEOPOLDVILLE  
22 JUNE 1961

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To : DURIEN MWOKEDI, E\*VILLE - EV 252  
MICUTA GARDINER, STANLEYVILLE - SV 396  
GILPIN, LULUABOURG - LJ 149  
ENGLUND, COQUILHATVILLE - CV-142  
CUPCRUS, BUKAVU - BU 238

FROM LINER

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

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

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

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



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To : NWOKEOI, E'VILLE

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From : LINNER, LEOPOLVILLE

Date : 22 June 1961

No : EV- 251

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EV-250 For O'BRIEN from LINER

Following is text of communique issued on 19 June 1961:

" Les deux Délégations congolaises, après des contacts et entretiens fraternels qu'elles ont eus du 12 au 19 juin 1961 ont recouvré la concorde, l'entente. Elles ont été unanimes à constater que de part et d'autre l'objectif poursuivi était le même - c'est-à-dire l'unité nationale, le respect de la légalité, de l'intégrité et de l'indépendance nationale.

Les deux délégations sœurs, ont décidé d'un commun accord des mesures suivantes pour revenir à la normalisation de la vie dans toute l'étendue de la République:

1. Elles ont accepté l'Université de Lovanium comme lieu de réunion du Parlement le 25 juin 1961, sur la base de l'accord intervenu entre elles, et dont un exemplaire a été remis au Représentant du Secrétaire général des Nations Unies au Congo.
2. Au cours des entretiens que ces deux délégations ont eu ensemble un accent tout particulier a été mis sur la nécessité d'éviter des influences extérieures qui ont été une des causes déterminantes de la misère de notre jeune République. Des mesures efficaces sont prévues en vue de sauvegarder la liberté d'action et l'intégrité des parlementaires pendant toute la session du Parlement.
3. Les deux délégations demandent aux autorités respectives de lever toutes les restrictions en matière de liberté de circulation, de commerce, de communications et autres, de nature à porter atteinte aux libertés fondamentales et à la vie économique du peuple congolais. Elles conjurent ces mêmes autorités de renouer dès à présent une amitié sincère avant la prochaine réunion du Parlement.

T. O. R.

BY:

Drafted by:

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S. Linner

21 June 1961

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4. Les deux Délégations sœurs lancent un appel pressant aux Autorités militaires leur demandant de s'isoler de toute action politique et de se soumettre inconditionnellement à tout Gouvernement qui sera constitué lors de la présente session du Parlement.

5. Les deux Délégations rendent un hommage tout particulier au Secrétaire général de l'ONU et à ses représentants au Congo pour l'attention et l'aide qu'ils n'ont cessé d'accorder aux diverses factions politiques congolaises afin de leur permettre de trouver une solution à leur différend par des moyens pacifiques. Elles demandent à l'ONU d'user de son influence et de ses bons offices pour persuader les Autorités de La Province du Katanga de se joindre à elles pour résoudre une fois pour toutes, le problème congolais.

Léopoldville, le 19 juin 1961 "

Alga 2684 - 100,000 - 26/10/60

T. O. R.

BY :

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Authorized : S. Linner

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EV-249 For O'BRIEN from LINNER

Following is text of agreement signed on 19 June 1961 by Leopoldville and Stanleyville delegations:

" Le lundi 19 juin 1961, un accord sur les points suivants a été convenu entre :

d'une part MM. J. Bolikango, C. Adoula et M. Lihau, représentant les Autorités de Léopoldville, et

d'autre part MM. J. Masséna, M. Kihuyu et S.P. Malago, représentant les Autorités de Stanleyville.

1. Les procès-verbaux dactylographiés des réunions des 13, 14, 15, 16 et 19 juin 1961 seront signés par les deux parties, marquant ainsi leur approbation et feront foi de documents de base pour les points ci-après.
2. Après examen des lieux par les Autorités militaires des Nations Unies les deux parties acceptent la réunion du Parlement à l'Université du Lovanium, ce lieu ayant rempli les conditions nécessaires pour assurer une sécurité totale aux parlementaires.
3. Les troupes de l'ANC et la Police se trouvant à Léopoldville et zones annexes ne circuleront pas dans la ville ou dans ces zones annexes munies de leurs armes qui devront être déposées au préalable dans des magasins placés sous la garde respective de ces forces. Il incombera aux Nations Unies de contrôler que tout soldat ou policier se trouvant en ville ou dans les zones annexes ne porte pas d'armes, et ce durant toute la session parlementaire.

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4. Tous les parlementaires seront logés durant la session au Lovanium même et n'auront aucun contact avec l'extérieur,
5. Le personnel administratif affecté aux Assemblées et pourvu d'une autorisation spéciale délivrée par les deux Bureaux des deux Chambres sera astreint à loger durant la session parlementaire au Lovanium dans les mêmes conditions que celles mentionnées au paragraphe 4 ci-dessus.
6. Les Nations Unies devront s'assurer que les Parlementaires, le personnel administratif des Assemblées ainsi que le personnel civil des Nations Unies mis à la disposition du Parlement n'auront avec eux ni armes, ni argent, ni autres titres négociables ~~quels~~ quels qu'ils soient et ce aussi bien à leur entrée au Lovanium qu'à leur sortie.
7. Toutes les lignes téléphoniques avec le Lovanium seront coupées.
8. Le libre mouvement des parlementaires à travers le Congo sera assuré par les Nations Unies à la demande écrite des intéressés.
9. Le personnel civil des Nations Unies qui sera mis à la disposition des parlementaires durant la session sera astreint à loger au siège du Parlement par période de 15 jours. Durant chaque période ce personnel ne devra avoir aucun contact avec l'extérieur et devra être soumis également aux conditions stipulées aux paragraphes 6 et 7 ci-dessus.
10. Le 25 juin est proposé par les deux Délégations comme pouvant être la date ultime pour l'ouverture du Parlement, les Nations Unies devant tout faire pour que le Parlement s'ouvre à la date convenue par les deux Délégations.
11. Les deux Délégations proposent au Parlement que le vote de confiance au Gouvernement se fasse au scrutin secret.

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12. Le Président de la République convoquera le Parlement à la date fixée par les deux Délégations.

13. Afin que la réunion du Parlement soit le reflet de l'expression nationale, il sera demandé aux Nations Unies d'inviter toutes les autres factions politiques du Congo à souscrire au présent accord.

14. Il sera également demandé aux Nations Unies de continuer d'accorder leurs bons offices aux parties intéressées pour la recherche d'une solution réelle et satisfaisante à la crise congolaise et pour cela elles pourront arranger tous contacts utiles entre les leaders politiques congolais.

Fait à l'Hôtel Royal de Léopoldville

Pour les Autorités de Léopoldville

MM. J. Bolikango  
C. Adoula  
M. Lihau

Pour les Autorités de Stanleyville

MM. J. Masséna  
E. Kihuyu  
S.P. Malago "

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12. Le Président de l'Assemblée générale a tenu sa sixième  
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TO : OBRIEN, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 21 JUNE 1961  
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Reference agreement of 19 June between Leopoldville and Stanleyville representatives regarding opening of Parliament, text of which is being cabled separately ; Nwokedi who arrived last week from New York to join Gardiner and Khiari will visit Elisabethville tomorrow. ETA 1200 (noon) to explain to Monungo background of agreement, especially paragraph 14, and also obtain his reactions to proposal for early meeting of principal political leaders including himself, also hope Gizenga etc..and early meeting of Parliament.

We feel every effort should be made to associate Katanga with agreement as requested in paragraph 5 of joint Communiqué issued at conclusion of discussions by Leopoldville and Stanleyville representatives, text of which is also being cabled to you. Copies of the agreement and joint Communiqué should be transmitted to Monungo.

Please inform Monungo of proposed visit and give every possible assistance. We hope he will be able to see Nwokedi as early as possible, tomorrow.

Nwokedi is accompanied by Kaufman, interpreter, and Miss Simmons, secretary. Duration of stay one or two days as necessary.



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LEOPOLDVILLE  
20 June 1961

To : ~~ONUC~~  
ELISABETHVILLE

For OBRIEN from ROSSBOROUGH

Your secret ELLEO 434 to Frasca. Frasca's return delayed  
as he visited New York. He arrives Brazzaville KLM Thursday  
morning 22nd. Have informed him we assume Van Roey <sup>CAN</sup> see him  
Thursday at Relais Hotel. Please confirm.

in Linner



ONUC LEOPOLDVILLE  
20 JUNE 1961

ONUC, ELISABETHVILLE

EV-247

OBRIEN FROM LINNER X YOUR ELLEO 427 X

THE ORIGIN OF THE FAIR IS QUESTIONABLE X KATANGA AS SUCH CANNOT ORGANIZE AN  
INTERNATIONAL FAIR X WE WILL DO WELL TO KEEP AWAY FROM IT IN ORDER TO AVOID  
CONGOLESE AND POSSIBLY INTERNATIONAL MISINTERPRETATION OF ONUC'S STAND X

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cc. Force Commander

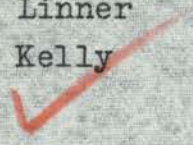


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OF 16 JUNE REFERS ONE STOP SCHOOLS AT NYUNZU HAVE  
BEEN EVACUATED BY INDIAN BATTALION SINCE 16 JUNE STOP TWO  
STOP FC HAS GIVEN HIS POLICY RE RAILWAY PROTECTION AT  
CONFERENCE AT KAMINA STOP THREE STOP MR KELLY WILL  
VISIT THE AREA REGARDING ADMINISTRATION AND ASSISTANCE  
STOP WILL INFORM YOU OF THE RESULTS STOP AND END

cc: Dr Linner  
Mr Kelly



JJ Caseley, Lt-Col  
Force Commander  
19 June 61 1515 hrs



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 WE HAVE NOW SECURED AGREEMENT FROM MOBUTU TO THE IDEA ~~OF THE~~ SET UP OF A  
 SCHOOL FOR OFFICERS AND ONE FOR NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS IN THE CONGO STOP  
 THE IDEA IS THAT INITIALLY COURSES OF BASIC INFANTRY STANDARD SHOULD BE CON-  
 DUCTED FOR THE MAJORITY OF THE OFFICERS IN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE CONGO STOP  
 IT IS INTENDED THAT APPROXIMATELY 60 OFFICERS SHOULD BE TAKEN ON THE FIRST  
 COURSE STOP THIS COURSE SHOULD COMMENCE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE STOP IT IS  
 VERY DESIRABLE THAT WE SHOULD HAVE OFFICERS FROM LEOPOLDVILLE AND GMA STANLEY-  
 VILLE AND KATANGA GENDARMERIE STOP THE SCHOOL WOULD BE ESTABLISHED AT  
 KAMINA STOP I SHOULD LIKE YOU TO DISCUSS THIS PROBLEM WITH THE KATANGESE  
 POLITICAL AND GENDARMERIE AUTHORITIES AND LET US HAVE AT THE EARLIEST THEIR  
 REACTION TO THIS IDEA STOP THE COURSE WOULD BE OF 5 TO 6 MONTHS DURATION  
 AND WILL BE VERY BASIC AND ELEMENTARY IN CHARACTER STOP IT SHOULD BE  
 POSSIBLE TO TAKE 15 TO 20 OFFICERS FROM THE KATANGESE GENDARMERIE ON THIS  
 COURSE STOP AND END

OK  
SLJUL  
17/6

cc: Dr. Linner  
 Force Commander

General

T. O. R.

BY :

T. O. D.

Drafted by : Sean Mac Eoin  
 Authorized : Force Commander  
 Date : 17.6.61 1255hrs.



# OUTGOING CODE

TO : BRAZAK, RAJA, ALBERTVILLE AV-58  
 AZZAM, RICH, COQUILHATVILLE CV-140  
 O'BRIEN, IYASSU, ELISABETHVILLE EV-243  
 GILPIN, MICHEL, LULUABOURG LU-143  
 TICKNER, TESHOME, STANLEYVILLE SV-378  
 FROM : LINER, MACEOIN, LEDPOLOVILLE  
 DATE : 17 June 1961

1. RECENTLY AN AGREEMENT DRAWN UP AS A LOCAL ARRANGEMENT FOR REGULATING MOVEMENT OF ONUC PERSONNEL AND SUPPLIES WAS CONCLUDED AND SIGNED WITH AUTHORITIES OUTSIDE OF THE CONGO WITHOUT PRIOR REFERENCE TO ONUC HEADQUARTERS. THIS HAS RESULTED IN THE AGREEMENT BEING INCONSISTENT WITH THE CONVENTION ON THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS.
2. THE SECRETARY-GENERAL HAS INSTRUCTED THAT NO LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS WITH AUTHORITIES OUTSIDE OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO BE SIGNED BY ONUC MILITARY OR CIVILIAN STAFF WITHOUT FIRST CONSULTING ONUC HEADQUARTERS. THIS MAY PLEASE BE BROUGHT TO THE NOTICE OF ALL CONCERNED.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : O'BRIEN, ELISABETHVILLE

FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLVILLE

DATE : 16 JUNE 1961

NO : EV-242

1. YOUR 421 AGREED.

2. MEUR 422 AND 426. SUGGESTION ABOUT CLEMENS' RETURN FOR EXAMINATIONS CONVEYED TO SECGEN.

3. COURRIER D'AFRIQUE TODAY PROMINENTLY CARRIED YOUR ALLEGED STATEMENT THAT EVILLE REPRESENTATIVE HAS SPECIAL STATUS AND THAT YOU REPORT DIRECTLY TO SECGEN.



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S E C R E T

TO: O'BRIEN, ELISABETHVILLE

FROM: LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE

DATE: 16 JUNE, 1961

NO: EV- 241

REUR ELLEO 410 . RED CROSS VISITED

THESE PEOPLE. FOUND THEM WELL.



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FC/302 ONUC LEO IYASSU FROM MAC BOIN STOP OPS 015 FROM COS REFERS  
 STOP INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE ISSUED THAT FORMATION OF BATTALION OF  
 NATIONAL GUARD WILL BE TERMINATED FORTHWITH STOPKH WHEN EGGS  
 MISSION HAS MADE A COMPLETE REPORT ON OVERALL SITUATION REGARDING  
 GENDARMERIE THE QUESTION OF THE NEED FOR ESTABLISHING A NATIONAL  
 GUARD BATTALION WILL BE DISCUSSED WITH EVILLE AUTHORITIES STOP AND END

cc: Dr. Linner ✓  
 Chief Mil Ops  
 Chief Mil Info

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 16/6

Lt Col

T. O. R.

T. O. D.

BY :

Drafted by : J.J. CASELEY

Authorized : Force Commander

Date : 16.6.61 1205 hrs



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TO: BRACKENBURY, ELISABETHVILLE

FROM: GARDINER, LEOPOLDVILLE

DATE: 15 June 1961

NO. EV-240

YOUR ELLEO-422 AND 413 X KATANGA REQUESTS BEING EXAMINED WILL COMMUNICATE  
LEO AUTHORITIES REACTIONS LATER X I DO NOT WISH TO PREJUDGE RESPONSE OF LEO  
BUT WOULD LIKE TO OBSERVE THAT THE SITUATION WOULD BE MUCH EASIER IF SOME OTHER  
REPRESENTATIVES WERE CONSIDERED X GRATEFUL YOUR COOPERATION X



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To: Brackenbury, ONUC, Elisabethville  
From: Linner, MacEoin  
Date: 14 June 1961  
No.: EV-239

Secretary-General agreed with some hesitation to extension of Weber evacuation until 18 June on understanding that Clemens will be repatriated at same time.



OUTGOING CODE

TO: O'BRIEN, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM: LINNEN, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE: 14 June 1961  
NO. EV-238

FOLLOWING EXTRACT FROM SECGEN'S CABLE REFERRED FOR YOUR ATTENTION AND  
NECESSARY ACTION CLN

QUOTE IT IS URGENT AND ESSENTIAL THAT FULL PRECISION BE GIVEN TO THE  
STATEMENT OF MUNONGO AS CONTAINED IN YOUR CABLE OF 9 JUNE THAT QUOTE 100  
BELGIAN ADVISERS AND TECHNICIANS WILL BE GOING IN ONE WEEKS TIME UNQUOTE  
WILL YOU PLEASE SECURE AN IMMEDIATE RESPONSE FROM MUNONGO STOP YOU WILL  
BE AWARE THAT A MAJOR STEP FORWARD CMA ALSO AS REGARDS CERTAIN QUESTIONS OF  
PRINCIPLE RE BRUSSELS CMA WOULD HAVE BEEN TAKEN IF MUNONGO WOULD SPEEDILY  
IMPLEMENT THIS PROMISE STOP HE SHOULD PROVIDE US WITH LISTS OF NAMES AS WELL  
AS THE DATE OF THE TERMINATION OF THEIR CONTRACTS STOP UNQUOTE END



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LEOELI 97 BRACKENBURY FROM ~~REYNIER~~ STOP YOUR ELLEO 410 STOP  
TSHOMBE AND MEMBERS OF HIS SUITE WILL BE VISITED BY DOCTOR  
ICRC THIS WEEK STOP WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED

Imp. Satisf 10095

T. O. R.

BY :

T. O. D.

Drafted by : J. de Reynier

Authorized :

Date : 13 June 1961



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TOP SECRET

To : BRACKENBURY, EGGE, ELISABETHVILLE  
From : LINNER, MACEOIN, LEOPOLDVILLE  
Date : 13 June 1961  
No. : EV-237

YOUR ELLEO 417 WAS TRANSMITTED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL FOR INSTRUCTIONS WITH FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATION:

" PLEASE LET US KNOW WHETHER YOU AGREE TO EXTENSION. IF YES, WE WOULD INSTRUCT EGGE TO MAKE APPROVAL OF EXTENSION FOR WEBER CONDITION ON SIMULTANEOUS DEPARTURE OF CLEMENS ALSO ON 18 JUNE. PLEASE CONFIRM. "



TO: BRACKENBURY, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM: GARDINER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE: 11 June 1961  
NO. EV-236

YOUR SECRET UNNUMBERED STOP STANLEYVILLE REPRESENTATIVES WHOSE NAMES HAVE BEEN COMMUNICATED TO US TODAY WILL ARRIVE LEO TOMORROW MONDAY STOP IF ELISABETHVILLE REPRESENTATIVES UNABLE ARRIVE BEFORE MIDWEEK THEY COULD HAVE SIMILAR DISCUSSIONS LATER SEPARATELY WITH LEO AUTHORITIES STOP WE CAN ONLY DO OUR BEST TO PREVENT OR MITIGATE PUBLICITY STOP



Leopoldville

11 June 1961

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ELISABETHVILLE

EV-235

BRACKENBURY FROM KELLY

Would be grateful if you would inquire through governmental, military, missionary etc.. channels if any refugees have entered Katanga from Angola, and let me know.



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To : BRACKENBURY, EGGE, E'VILLE

MOST IMMEDIATE - FLASH

From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE

Date : 11 JUNE 1961

No : EV-234

N.Y. 4131  
4132

Spaak has promised that Weber will be recalled Monday 12th and is certain he will obey. As to Clemens he has refused to obey his Government's recall order. A new order will be given to him Monday but Spaak is doubtful as to result. If Clemens has not left the Congo for repatriation to Belgium on Monday 12th at the very latest, you shall take necessary measures to expel him. The fact that Spaak knows all this should be kept secret. I mentioned to Bomboko last night that we were on the point of expelling Weber and Clemens. He backs us to the hilt and says that he is prepared personally to sign an expulsion order Monday if that would help us. Adoula also informed.

cc. Gen. MacEoin



Leopoldville  
10 June 1961

*John R. Kelly*

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ALBERTVILLE

AV-57 BRZAK FROM LINNER

ONUC

ELISABETHVILLE

EV-233 BRACKENBURY FROM LINNER

1. The re-establishment of local civil administration after its collapse in North Katanga is of the greatest importance since the continued absence of local administration will cause aggravation of the already bad economic and social situation there. UN must initiate a plan for insuring essential services in those areas from which the previous administration has fled, is not functioning, or should be replaced, since failure to do so would cause severe distress to the population in addition to subjecting UN to serious criticism.

2. The issue has already arisen at Kabalo, Monongo having requested UN agreement to re-establishing civil administration there. He has suggested the Chef coutumier at present in Albertville return to Kabalo, and that he send there a detachment of civil police (not repeat not gendarmerie), to reestablish orderly local government.

3. We have requested Brackenbury for information on the origins of the suggested police detachment and on the likely reaction of Kabalo local population to their arrival and to the return of the Chef coutumier and other officials, since we do not wish UN to have to protect them. We also intend sending Kelly to Kabalo in about a week to see whether a new administration could be found from the present local population.

4. In the meantime, Brzak should go to Kabalo as soon as possible in order to make a preliminary survey on the question and report back.



LEOPOLDVILLE  
10 JUNE 1961

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*U.Y. 4076*

EV-232 BRACKENBURY FROM LINNER

YOUR REPLACEMENT MR O'BRIEN ARRIVING LEO EARLY MORNING

11 JUNE.



Leopoldville

9 June 1961

*John A. Kelly*

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EV-231

BRACKENBURY FROM LINNER AND MAC EOIN

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ALBERTVILLE

AV-56

BRZAK FROM LINNER AND MAC EOIN

Your ELLEO 391 and ELIAL 153.

1. We have no objection to re-opening Kabalo Airfield to commercial flights, provided UN Forces controlling the airfield inspect cargoes and personnel arriving there on non-UN aircraft.

2. While we cannot guarantee the safety of Sabena aircraft, we can advise them whether a landing at Kabalo appears safe or not. The responsibility must remain with Sabena. The advice given will depend on the local situation which is for the local UN Commanders to judge.



Leopoldville

9 June 1961

*John M. Kelly*

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ELISABETHVILLE

EV-230

BRACKENBURY FROM KELLY

Reference CIV 270 of 16 May from Stanleyville concerning family of Kitenge.

Please inform us present situation his family and whether Elisabethville authorities would grant them permission to go to Kindu.



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To : BRACKENBURY, ELISABETHVILLE  
From : LINNER and MACEDIN, LEOPOLDVILLE  
Date : 8 JUNE 1961  
No : EV-229

Your ELLED-402.

1. WE SHARE WISH TO RE-ESTABLISH CIVIL ADMINISTRATION IN KABALO. HOWEVER, WE DO NOT WISH TO HAVE TO PROTECT ADMINISTRATORS AND POLICE FROM LOCAL POPULATION. THEREFORE PLEASE FIRSTLY INFORM US OF COMPOSITION AND ORIGIN OF PROPOSED POLICE FORCE AND OF LIKELY REACTION OF LOCAL POPULATION KABALO TO THEM AND TO RETURN OF CHEF COUTUMIER AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL REFERRED TO IN YOUR CABLE.
2. AS THIS QUESTION IS LIKELY ALSO TO ARISE IN OTHER CENTERS, KELLY WILL FLY TO KABALO TO INVESTIGATE POSITION ON THE SPOT, AND SEE WHETHER A NEW ADMINISTRATION AND POLICE COULD NOT BE FORMED FROM THE PRESENT LOCAL POPULATION.



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TO: BRACKENBURY, Elisabethville

FROM: LINNER, Leopoldville

DATE: 8 June 1961

NO. EV-228

YOUR ELLEO 403 X

WE ARE NOT AWARE OF ANY SUCH UNDERSTANDING X THEREFORE THE CLAIM OF THE  
BELGIAN CONSUL GENERAL SHOULD NOT BE ENTERTAINED X YOU HAVE OUR FULL SUPPORT  
FOR ANY PRESSURE YOU CAN BRING TO BEAR TO OBTAIN SPEEDY RESULTS X



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To : TOMBELAINE, ELISABETHVILLE  
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
Date : 6 June 1961  
No. : EV- *227*

REYOUR ELISO 396.

1. DO NOT REPEAT NOT CONFIRM APPOINTMENT <sup>y</sup> ~~TASSU~~ AS COMMANDER AS HIS  
APPOINTMENT NOT YET <sup>FINALLY</sup> DECIDED UPON.

2. KATANGA STATEMENT SHOULD BE CLARIFY <sup>ED</sup> AS FOLLOWS:

(a) ESTABLISHMENT OF A UNIFIED COMMAND PURELY A MATTER OF MILITARY  
CONVENIENCE AND HAS NO REPEAT NO POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS.

(b) EXTENT OF TERRITORIAL CONTROL EXERCISED BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES  
WITHIN THE CONGO IS A PURELY INTERNAL MATTER AND THEREFORE NO  
INTENTIONS IN THAT REGARD CAN BE IMPLIED IN UK ACTION. UN RECOGNIZES  
ONLY THE SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF THE REPUBLIC OF  
THE CONGO (CAPITAL LEOPOLDVILLE).

(c) LOCATIONS OF ANY SUBORDINATE MILITARY COMMAND SUCH AS IN KATANGA  
IS SUBJECT TO MILITARY REQUIREMENTS ONLY AND NO OTHER IMPLICATIONS CAN  
BE READ INTO IT.

*- copy to Dr. Fabry*



TO: ONUC, Elisabethville  
FROM: ONUC, Leopoldville  
DATE: 5 June 1961  
NO. EV-226

FOR BRACKENBURY FROM GARDINER.

Following is the report which I have submitted to New York. I call particular attention to paragraph 7.:

- "1. Brackenbury and I met Munongo, Kiwele and Tignée after General MacBain had had a discussion with them. Before the meeting I was informed by Brackenbury that a list of some 150 people who were to be withdrawn from the Katanga civil service was being prepared and would be submitted to Mr. Brackenbury with indication of dates of departure soon. General MacBain had already discussed military aspects of the problem and so I proceeded to explore the chances of Katanga participation in the reconvened parliament.
2. Mr. Munongo stated that three conditions should be fulfilled before any discussion of Katanga's participation:
  - a. the release of Tshombe;
  - b. the meeting of parliament outside the Congo; and
  - c. with full UN guarantees and under UN auspices.
3. In the course of the discussion he modified his stand and stated that Katanga would participate in a meeting of parliament held in any part of the Congo under UN auspices and with the necessary guarantees. The only outstanding condition, therefore, was the release of Mr. Tshombe.
4. I informed the meeting that Mr. Gizenga had already requested preliminary discussions with the Leopoldville authorities to examine conditions to be fulfilled before the meeting of Parliament. If Mr. Munongo and his colleagues wished we could start similar arrangements for Katanga representatives to meet Leopoldville authorities to explore the possibilities of removing obstacles in the way of their attending the meeting. I further observed that the meeting of parliament was to be regarded as the beginning of normal political life in the Congo. Whatever conditions were put forward and eventually agreed should



be considered as not merely connected with the proposed meeting of Parliament but rather as the beginning of Katangese full cooperation with the rest of the Congo.

5. At a previous meeting Mr. Munongo had referred to the chaotic conditions in Kivu. I took the opportunity to inform the meeting of the successful efforts which UN forces had made to restore order in Kivu and to allow the provincial assembly to meet. If Kivu decided to attend parliament and Gizenga's negotiations proved successful, Katanga would find itself isolated from the rest of the Congo and liable to be accused of obstructing the solution of the political problems of the country and standing in the way of regaining the territorial integrity of the country.

6. Mr. Munongo invited me to return to Elisabethville for further talks and, if possible, make arrangements for discussions with the Leopoldville authorities along the lines suggested by Mr. Gizenga. He and his colleagues would be prepared to examine all possibilities of removing the one obstacle now preventing them from joining the rest of the Congo in an attempt to resolve their political problems. He added that the conditions under which Tshombe was arrested were contrary to all African sense of decency and he was confident that if the Congolese handled the question among themselves with the help of UN, agreement could be reached. I suggested, and Mr. Munongo and his colleagues accepted the idea, that no publicity should be given to these preliminary talks concerning the reconvening of parliament.

7. My impression of the new set up in Katanga is that Mr. Munongo is more cunning and ruthless than Tshombe. He and his adviser Mr. Tignée hope to be able to delay the implementation of the resolution of 21 February as much as possible. They also intend to create the impression that Katanga is being given the same consideration and treatment as Leopoldville. This will have the double disadvantage of discrediting us in the eyes of Kasa Vubu and his team and fostering the false impression that the independence of Katanga is recognized by the UN.



8. The departure of Mr. Dumontet has cost us a week of no progress whilst Mr. Brackenbury is familiarizing himself with the problems of Katanga. I propose that Mr. Brackenbury and his successor should be required to submit weekly progress reports on withdrawals and evacuations in order to maintain constant pressure on the Katangese authorities."



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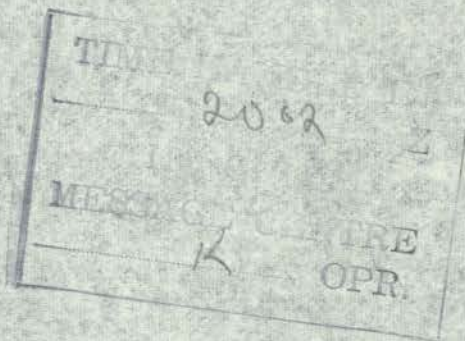
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EV- 225

FROM GARDINER FOR BRACKENBURY X

GARDINER CMA SCHWARZ CMA FAURA CMA MISS SIMMONDS AND MISS LEFEVRE ARRIVING

ELISABETHVILLE AFTERNOON JUNE 3 X RETURNING VIA LULUABOURG SUNDAY 4 JUNE X



Alga 5684 - 100.000 - 26/10/60

T. O. R.

BY :

T. O. D.

Drafted by Wiener

Authorized J. Roujoulat

Date 2 June 61



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MOST IMMEDIATE

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To : BRACKENBURY, E'VILLE

From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE

Date : 2 JUNE 1961

No : EV-224

REUR ELLED-383 WILL NOT VISIT E'VILLE SATURDAY.



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TO : BRACKENBURY, KJELLGREN, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM : LINNEN, MACEOIN, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 2 June 1961  
No. : EV- 223

Re your Elleo 384. AGREE YOU DELAY ACTION ON BROWN  
UNTIL MONDAY NIGHT IF HE HAS NOT ALREADY LEFT BY THEN.

*concur*  
*OK [signature]*



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ELLED-379  
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TO : BRACKENBURY, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM : LINNER, McEOIN, LEOPOLVILLE  
DATE : 1 June 1961  
NO. : EV- 222

RE YOUR ELLED-<sup>379</sup>~~254~~. AGREE YOU DELAY ACTION AS PER PARAGRAPH 2 OF  
EV-220 UNTIL SATURDAY IF BROWNE HAS NOT LEFT BY THEN.



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TO : BRACKENBURY, E\*VILLE  
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 1 JUNE 1961  
NO : EV-221

Thanks for your ELLED-380.

PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY CABLES HAVING A BEARING ON MILITARY  
MATTERS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED JOINTLY TO THE FORCE COMMANDER AND MYSELF,  
AS, FOR INSTANCE, WHAT YOU MENTIONED ABOUT BRIGADIER RAJA.



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EV-219 TOMBELAINE FROM LINNER

BRACKENBURY ARRIVING TOMORROW 30 MAY IN E'VILLE BY U.N.  
FLIGHT. PLEASE MAKE APPOINTMENT FOR HIM TO MEET MUNONGO, IF POSSIBLE  
ON WEDNESDAY 31 MAY. BRACKENBURY IS REPLACING DUMONTET. RIKHYE LEFT  
FOR NEWYORK ON 26 MAY.

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INFO: HQ ONUC NORTH KATANGA, ALBERTVILLE

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EV-218  
OPS 891 STOP FOR DUMONTET AND KJELLGREN FROM LINNER AND MACEOIN  
STOP MERCENARY CAPTAIN BROWNE REPORTED TO HAVE RETURNED TO  
ELISABETHVILLE STOP DUMONTET WILL APPROACH MINISTER OF INTERIOR  
MUNONGO AT ONCE WITH A VIEW TO EXPEL BROWNE FROM KATANGA STOP  
IF BROWNE IS NOT EXPELLED BY KATANGESE AUTHORITIES CMA YOU ARE  
DIRECTED TO ARREST AND DESPATCH HIM IMMEDIATELY TO LEO STOP  
NORTH KATANGA HQ HAS BEEN GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS TO ARREST BROWNE  
IF HE APPEARS IN NORTH KATANGA COMMAND AREA STOP PLEASE INFORM  
FORCE COMMANDER AND CHIEF MILITARY INFORMATION OF DEVELOPMENTS  
STOP AND END

→ cc: Dr. Linner

Force Commander

Military Information

T. O. R.

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T. O. D.

BY :

Drafted by: LT COL B EGGE

Authorized: FORCE COMDR

Date: 25 MAY 61



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To : DUMONTET, SOUTH KATANGA

From : LINNER

Date : 25 MAY 1961

Number : ~~1613~~11/1346 EV-217

1. Please report urgently present whereabouts Colonel Huyghe, Captain Gatt (Glatt), Mr. Allaert and Dr. Pieter.
2. Do not divulge request to Katanga authorities.



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TO : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 25 May 1961  
NO. : ~~EX~~ 216

1. Poujoulat at Coq has been given a letter, reference 12/50/CAB/Coq dated 18 May and addressed by Minister of Foreign Affairs to Secgen as follows:

"Situation des ressortissants de la province du Kasai à Elisabethville  
Monsieur le Représentant spécial,

Les populations congolaises de la province du Kasai nous ont fait parvenir un télégramme dans lequel elles nous expriment leur crainte quant à la situation des ressortissants de cette province résidant à Elisabethville.

Selon ce télégramme, tous ceux originaires de la province du Kasai, et notamment les Atetela, sont l'objet des arrestations arbitraires de la part de Monsieur Munongo, Ministre de l'Intérieur de la province du Katanga. Il y en a qui auraient exécutées.

Le Président de la République me charge de vous demander de bien vouloir ouvrir une enquête à ce sujet et empêcher que des citoyens congolais qui, au Katanga, se trouvent chez eux, soient l'objet des vexations et arrestations arbitraires. Ces mesures sont dictées par le souci d'éviter une guerre civile au Congo, souci que nous partageons avec les responsables des Nations Unies.

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur le Représentant spécial, l'assurance de ma très haute considération."

Secgen requests me to obtain your comments, so that I can reply to Ministry of Foreign Affairs on basis of those remarks.

2. Your Elleco-360. Your time schedule approved. Another new candidate for replacement under consideration, <sup>g</sup>and will cable you name and place and time for your meeting. *with him.*



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TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 25 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-215

YOUR ELLEO-364.

PRESIDENT KASAVUBU HAS TODAY GIVEN US A SIGNED REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS ASSISTANCE TO TSHOMBE. DR. DE CHASTENAY, CHIEF OF THE I.C.R.C. MISSION IN THE CONGO AND ANOTHER SWISS DOCTOR DEVILLE ARE ALREADY IN COQ. THE SECRETARY-GENERAL HAS GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS THAT THIS QUESTION SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS AN I.C.R.C. MATTER.



Leopoldville  
25 May 1961

*John R. Kelly*

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LU-123 GILPIN FROM KELLY

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ELISABETHVILLE

EV-214 DUMONTET FROM KELLY

1. Reference letter of 18 May from Kapongo, President of Kasai Assembly with copy to you concerning persons of Kasai origin residing in Katanga.

2. Please inform Kapongo on our behalf that ONUC is endeavouring to maintain law and order all over the Congo including both Katanga and Kasai. The recent events, particularly those in Kasai, have forced ONUC to concentrate its forces everywhere and it is not possible, for lack of transport etc.. to carry out the suggested vast operation of collecting and repatriating the Kasaiens dispersed all over Katanga. ONUC will however bring to the notice of the authorities in Katanga the urgent necessity for preventing molestations and arbitrary arrests of all persons there.



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TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 22 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-213

MOST IMMEDIATE - FLASH

THANKS YOUR ELLEO-358. WE HAVE STILL NO NEWS HERE ABOUT THE  
DATE OF ARRIVAL OF YOUR REPLACEMENT WHO WILL NOT BE OSORIO-TAFALL.  
I HAVE CABLED NEW YORK FOR CLARIFICATION BUT WOULD IN THE MEANTIME BE  
HAPPY TO BE ABLE TO COUNT ON YOU NOT LEAVING THE CONGO BEFORE THE 29TH  
AND NOT LEAVING E'VILLE BEFORE THE 27TH MAY. I FURTHERMORE PERSONALLY  
FEEL THAT YOUR SUCCESSOR SHOULD BE INTRODUCED LOCALLY BY YOURSELF.



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IMMEDIATE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
Date : 20 MAY 1961  
No : EV-212

MR. ABBAS RETURNED TODAY TO HIS REGULAR ASSIGNMENT. I HAVE  
TAKEN OVER TEMPORARILY AS OFFICER IN CHARGE. ROSSBOROUGH ACTS AS  
CHIEF CIVILIAN OPERATIONS.



OUTGOING CODE

To : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE

From : LINNER, LEOPOLDOVILLE

Date : 20 MAY 1961

No : EV-211

1. SHOULD DEVELOPMENTS IN KATANGA RESULT IN THE WITHDRAWAL OF SUBSTANTIAL NUMBERS OF BELGIAN OR OTHER EUROPEAN PERSONNEL OCCUPYING KEY POSTS IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT ONUC MIGHT BE CALLED UPON TO SEND CIVILIAN OPERATIONS STAFF TO FILL THE MOST URGENT VACANCIES WHERE CONGOLESE ARE NOT IN A POSITION TO DO SO.

2. WHILE APPRECIATING THAT SUCH A <sup>EUROPEAN</sup> ~~BELGIAN~~ WITHDRAWAL MAY NOT OCCUR WE ARE NEVERTHELESS ANXIOUS TO GIVE SOME ADVANCE CONSIDERATION TO THIS EVENTUALITY. WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO LET ME HAVE SOME GENERAL IDEA AS TO THE NUMBERS OF EUROPEANS IN KEY REPEAT KEY POSITIONS IN ESSENTIAL PUBLIC SERVICES IN KATANGA WHOSE REPLACEMENT WOULD BE URGENTLY NECESSARY (PRIMO) POSTS FROM WHICH BELGIANS MIGHT BE WITHDRAWN IN IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESOLUTION OF 21 FEBRUARY (SECUNDO) POSTS VACATED BY BELGIANS NOT ENVISAGED UNDER THE RESOLUTION WHO MIGHT LEAVE OF THEIR OWN ACCORD IF A RADICAL CHANGE IN THE POLITICAL SITUATION OR IN THE GENERAL ATTITUDE TO BELGIANS WERE TO OCCUR. NOT ALL EUROPEANS COULD BE REPLACED NOR WOULD THIS BE DESIRABLE. OUR PERSONNEL RESOURCES ARE SLENDER AND WE COULD NOT HOPE TO PROVIDE MORE THAN A SKELETON STAFF TO KEEP THE MOST ESSENTIAL SERVICES FROM BREAKING DOWN.

3. PLEASE LET ME HAVE YOUR VIEWS. I APPRECIATE THE EXTREME DIFFICULTY OF MAKING SUCH AN ASSESSMENT AS YOU WILL APPRECIATE OUR OBLIGATION TO MAKE IT.

4. UTMOST DISCRETION IS OBVIOUSLY NECESSARY AND IT IS NOT POSSIBLE AT THIS POINT TO MAKE ANY PROMISES AS TO THE NUMBERS OF STAFF WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO SUPPLY. MUCH WOULD DEPEND ON THE ADVANCE WARNING WE RECEIVED, IN VIEW OF THE TIME NEEDED TO RECRUIT APPROPRIATE PEOPLE.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 17 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-210

IMMEDIATE

REFERENCE YOUR ELLEO-346, PLEASE ANSWER IN FOLLOWING TERMS CLN

FIRSTLY, THERE WAS NO WITHDRAWAL OF UN TROOPS FROM SOUTH KASAI. ALL THAT HAPPENED IS THAT THE U.N. TROOPS HAVE BEEN REGROUPED IN SUCH A WAY WHICH WILL ENABLE THEM TO ACT MORE EFFECTIVELY IN STOPPING CIVIL WAR.

SECONDLY, SINCE THE KATANGESE AUTHORITIES HAVE CHOSEN TO DECIDE ON CONSIDERABLE TROOP MOVEMENTS IN NORTH AND SOUTH KATANGA, SINCE THEY HAVE ENGAGED IN EMPLOYING CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF MERCENARIES, AND SINCE ALSO THEY ARE EMPLOYING A BIG NUMBER OF MILITARY AND PARAMILITARY FOREIGN PERSONNEL AND POLITICAL ADVISERS AND ALSO INDULGING IN THE IMPORTATION OF ARMS AND AMMUNITION — MATTERS WHICH ALL GO AGAINST THE RESOLUTION OF 21 FEBRUARY WHICH HAS BEEN ACCEPTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE STATE, THE U.N. HAS EVERY RIGHT TO TAKE TROOPS INTO NORTH AND SOUTH KATANGA IN ORDER TO SEE THAT THE RESOLUTION IS IMPLEMENTED, PARTICULARLY BECAUSE THE KATANGESE AUTHORITIES NEVER HEEDED TO THE ADVICE AND WARNINGS WHICH WE HAVE GIVEN THEM.

THIRDLY, YOU SHOULD INDICATE THAT BY THE TERMS OF THE GOOD FAITH AGREEMENT SIGNED BY THE U.N. AND THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO ON 27 JULY 1960, U.N. TROOPS ARE ALLOWED FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT AND FREE USE OF AIRFIELDS.

FOURTHLY, IT IS NOT POSSIBLE FOR THE ACTING SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO GO TO KATANGA TO DISCUSS THESE MATTERS WITH THEM BECAUSE ANY DISCUSSION SHOULD TAKE PLACE WITH THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC.



OUTGOING CODE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLDVILLE  
Date : 17 MAY 1961  
No : EV-209

IMMEDIATE

N.Y. 3486

PLEASE TRANSMIT URGENTLY A LIST OF NAMES OF BELGIAN POLITICAL ADVISERS AND OTHER BELGIANS WHO MAY BE REGARDED AS FALLING UNDER A-2 OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION OF 21 FEBRUARY. SECRETARY-GENERAL WANTS ME TO SEND HIM THIS LIST URGENTLY FOR USE BY HIS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE IN BRUSSELS IN HIS NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT. THE LIST SHOULD BE AS DETAILED AS POSSIBLE AND IT SHOULD CONTAIN THOSE BELGIANS ABOUT WHOM YOU HAVE KNOWLEDGE, BUT YOU ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO TRANSMIT SUBSEQUENTLY ADDITIONAL NAMES AS THEY BECOME KNOWN TO YOU. IF MUNONGO WOULD CO-OPERATE WITH YOU IN THIS REGARD, IT WOULD BE ALL TO THE GOOD BUT YOU SHOULD PRIMARILY ACT ON YOUR OWN PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF THE SITUATION.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM : KELLY, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 16 MAY 1961  
NO : EV- 208

1. Have received information concerning political prisoners in Kasapa prison, Elisabethville and Buluo prison in Jadotville indicating severe over-crowding in both prisons but particularly in Kasapa. Capacity both prisons said to be 600 each but Kasapa presently houses 1500 prisoners of whom 1100 are political prisoners, while Buluo houses 750 prisoners of whom 550 are political prisoners.
2. In view of this severe over-crowding, request you intervene to secure relieving of these conditions.



OUTGOING CODE

MOST IMMEDIATE

TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 16 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-207

KALED-88  
A-1237, 38  
EV-207

PLEASE SEE MUNONGO OR IF YOU THINK IT NECESSARY COLLEGE OF MINISTERS AS EARLY AS YOU CAN IN THE MORNING AND TELL THEM THAT BECAUSE WE STILL HAVE TO ASK PERMISSION TO LAND AT ALBERTVILLE, A PROCEDURE WHICH HAS BEEN CAUSING QUITE A LOT OF DIFFICULTIES AND INCONVENIENCE TO THE U.N. TROOPS, WE HAVE DECIDED TO SEND TROOPS TO ALBERTVILLE ON 17 MAY TO SECURE THE AIRFIELD WHICH IS VITAL TO THE U.N. TROOPS IN NORTH KATANGA. YOU SHOULD REMIND THEM THAT WE HAVE REPEATEDLY ASKED THEM TO GIVE US ALL FACILITIES WHICH ARE PROVIDED FOR IN THE GOOD FAITH AGREEMENT OF 27 JULY 1960 WHICH THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC SIGNED WITH THE U.N. AND THAT THEY HAVE BEEN RATHER OBSTRUCTIVE AND NEVER FULLY COOPERATIVE. YOU SHOULD TELL THEM THAT THE U.N. DOES NOT WANT TO USE FORCE UNLESS IT BECOMES NECESSARY AS A LAST RESORT AND, THEREFORE, IF ANY BLOODSHED IS CAUSED, THE FULL RESPONSIBILITY WILL REST ON THEM. YOU SHOULD IMPRESS ON THEM QUIETLY AND WITHOUT ANY THREAT THAT WE HAVE A VERY STRONG FORCE OF INDIAN, MALAYAN AND ETHIOPIAN TROOPS IN NORTH KATANGA AND THAT IF THE GENDARMERIE EVER DECIDE TO FIGHT, THEY WILL NEVER HAVE A CHANCE OF SUCCESS. MUNONGO AND THE OTHERS HAVE ALWAYS SAID TO YOU THAT THEY WOULD COOPERATE WITH THE U.N. TELL THEM FOR ME THAT THIS IS THEIR CHANCE.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 13 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-206

N.Y. 3415

REGRET TO INFORM YOU THAT CORDIER CABLED TO SAY THAT HE  
FINDS IT NECESSARY TO POSTPONE DEPARTURE OSORIO-TAFALL OVER WEEKEND.



OUTGOING CODE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLVILLE  
Date : 12 May 1961  
No : EV-205

N.Y. 3357

I have news that your successor Osorio-Tefall arrives Leo Sunday. After consultation with Linner and myself he will proceed to E'ville. This will mean that you will have sufficient time to hand over to him and to brief him, and that you could leave fairly close to your original date.



OUTGOING CODE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLVILLE  
Date : 10 May 1961  
No : EV-204

Your ELLED-334. We cannot even discuss with the Katangese authorities the return of advisers who were found by us to come under A-2, namely, Belina-Podgaetsky, Henry and Antoine. With regard to the other three, that is, Droulans, Pirerd and Mikolajczak, you should reply that the President of the Republic consider<sup>ed</sup> them under A-2 and instructed that they should be deported. This was followed by their "voluntary" repatriation. Considering this decision by the President, good faith on our part requires that we must resist the return of these persons. The Secretary-General would regard it as breach of understanding reached with Belgian authorities if the Belgian authorities were to allow their return to Katanga, even temporarily.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LEOPOLVILLE  
DATE : 9 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-203

REUR ELLED-333.

I HAVE CABLED YOUR PLANS TO CORDIER AND WILL INFORM YOU  
OF HIS REACTION SOONEST.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LEOPOLVILLE  
DATE : 9 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-202

YOUR ELLEO-328.

NAZRUDDIN CARRIED HIS ORDER AT NYUNZU AND ARRESTED SEVEN  
MERCENARIES WITHOUT FIGHTING. THE REST ESCAPED.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, ELISABETHVILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LINNER, LEOPOLDVILLE  
DATE : 6 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-201

YOUR ELLED 327 MATTER UNDER IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION.  
WILL INFORM YOU SOONEST.



OUTGOING CODE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLVILLE  
Date : 5 MAY 1961  
No : EV-199

YOUR ELLED 323.

If Bartlett IS HANDED OVER TO YOU OR IF HE SEEKS PROTECTION, YOU SHOULD HAND HIM OVER TO KJELLGREN FOR CUSTODY IN HIS CAMP PENDING HIS TRANSFER TO LED BY THE FIRST AVAILABLE UN PLANE UNDER GUARD. WE WILL NATURALLY HAVE TO FOLLOW WITH HIM THE SAME PROCEDURE FOLLOWED WITH THE OTHER MERCENARIES. YOU SHOULD FOLLOW THE SAME PROCEDURE WITH ANY OTHER MERCENARIES OR POLITICAL ADVISERS OR OTHER PERSONNEL COMING UNDER A-2 WHO ARE HANDED TO YOU OR WHOM YOU GET HOLD OF IN FUTURE.



OUTGOING CODE

IMMEDIATE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLDOVILLE  
Date : 4 MAY 1961  
No : EV-198

With reference to the letter handed over to you by the three Ministers about their co-operation in the implementation of resolution of 21 February 1961, the Secretary-General sent the following cable which should be your guide in answering the Ministers and for your future dealings with them. I would like to associate myself with the Secretary-General when he says that you are handling yourself correctly CLN

QUOTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED PRACTICE, WE CANNOT OF COURSE ACKNOWLEDGE THE MESSAGE SENT BY KIBWE, MUNONGO AND KIWELE. HOWEVER I FEEL THAT THE SITUATION IN KATANGA IS DEVELOPING IN SUCH A WAY THAT WE SHOULD KEEP A REASONABLE RELATIONSHIP WITH POLITICAL LEADERS THERE AND ENCOURAGE THEM ALONG THE RIGHT PATH. I AM CONVINCED THAT DUMONTET IS HANDLING HIMSELF CORRECTLY.

IN SUITABLE FORM, DUMONTET SHOULD DRAW THE ATTENTION OF THOSE OFFICIALS WITH WHOM HE COMES IN CONTACT TO THE FOLLOWING FACTS :

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH WELL ESTABLISHED PRACTICES AND PRINCIPLES, THE UN HAS NOT INTERFERED AND DOES NOT INTERFERE IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF THE CONGO. WE HAVE TO UPHOLD PRINCIPLES WHICH ARE WELL KNOWN. IN REGARD TO THE SPECIFIC CASE OF MR. TSHOMBE, WE CAN ONLY URGE THAT 'DUE PROCESS OF LAW', ETC. IS PROPERLY OBSERVED AND THIS HAS ALREADY BEEN BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE PRESIDENT. WE WILL HAVE TO STUDY FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS REGARDING TSHOMBE IN ORDER TO SEE WHETHER ANY FURTHER INTERCESSION ON OUR PART IS CALLED FOR.

2. IT IS NOT THE FUNCTION OF THE UN TO CONVENE OR TO ARRANGE A CONFERENCE OF POLITICAL LEADERS. SUCH A CONFERENCE MUST BE ARRANGED BY THE CONGOLESE THEMSELVES BUT, IF PROPERLY ARRANGED ON A NATION WIDE BASIS, THE UN WILL ALWAYS STAND READY TO RENDER ASSISTANCE AND PROTECTION TO PARTICIPANTS, ESPECIALLY IF REQUESTED BY THE HEAD OF STATE.



3. REGARDING ARRANGEMENTS CONCERNING THE EVACUATION OF BELGIAN AND OTHER POLITICAL ADVISERS, ETC. THE UN CANNOT DEAL WITH ANY REGIONAL OR PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT. THIS LONG STANDING UN POLICY HAS BEEN SPECIALLY REINFORCED BY THE AGREEMENT WITH KASA-VUBU OF 17 APRIL 1961. ARRANGEMENTS AFFECTING THE POSITION OF POLITICAL ADVISERS, ETC. CAN ONLY BE MADE WITH THE PRESIDENT AND WITH THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT. THE KATANGESE AUTHORITIES MIGHT WELL SERVE THEIR OWN INTERESTS IF THEY WERE, AT AN EARLY DATE, TO ENTER INTO ARRANGEMENTS WITH KASA-VUBU ON THIS QUESTION. THE UN IS OF COURSE READY TO ASSIST THEM IN ALL POSSIBLE WAYS, INCLUDING THE PROVISION, IF NECESSARY, OF SUITABLE SUBSTITUTE PERSONNEL. IT MIGHT BE EXPLAINED TO THE KATANGA OFFICIALS, AS NO DOUBT HAS ALREADY BEEN DONE, THAT THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH A-2 APPLY TO SPECIFIED CATEGORIES OF FOREIGNERS ONLY. UNQUOTE



OUTGOING CODE

To : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
From : ABBAS, LEOPOLDVILLE  
Date : 3 MAY 1961  
No : EV-197

*N.Y. 3/28*

I AM PLEASED TO INFORM YOU THAT AN OFFICER TO REPLACE YOU HAS BEEN APPOINTED BUT HIS EXACT TIME OF ARRIVAL IS NOT YET QUITE CLEAR. IN ANY CASE, HE COULD NOT MAKE IT BY 13TH OR 14TH AS SUGGESTED BY YOU. MR. CORDIER HOPES THAT, IF NECESSARY, YOU WILL AGREE TO STAY A FEW DAYS BEYOND 21 MAY. THE PLAN IS LIMITING BRIEFING BY YOU TO SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME.

I THINK YOU WILL AGREE WITH ME THAT YOU ARE NOW BEGINNING TO WORK IN A NEW ATMOSPHERE WHICH MIGHT OPEN A NEW ERA FOR KATANGA AND THE CONGO AND, THEREFORE, I HOPE THIS WILL GIVE YOU SOME ENCOURAGEMENT TO STAY FOR A FEW DAYS BEYOND 21 MAY.



OUTGOING CLEAR

LEOPOLDVILLE

3 May 1961

ONUC

ELISABETHVILLE

EV- 196

DUMONTET from ABBAS

Please telephone or telegraph persons listed below to reassure them that their husband/son is in good health and under ONUC protection pending final decision as to his repatriation or release:

Madame Louise Antoine : 668, avenue Royale, Elisabethville  
Tel. 5054

Madame Droulans-Jahnke : 10, avenue Hammerlinx, Jadotville  
Tel. 596

Mr. Alfred Pirard : B.P. 1256, Elisabethville  
Tel. 3673

Madame Mikolajczak : Elisabethville  
Tel. 2032 or 3146.



OUTGOING CODE

TO : DUMONTET, E'VILLE  
FROM : ABBAS, LEOPOLVILLE  
DATE : 2 MAY 1961  
NO : EV-195

A-1105,07,10

YOUR SECRET ELLED 318 IS VERY ENCOURAGING. I HOPE THAT KATANGESE AUTHORITIES WILL COME TO THEIR SENSES AND THAT YOU WILL CONTINUE TO CONVINCE THEM THAT IT IS IN THEIR INTEREST AND IN THE INTEREST OF THE CONGO AS A WHOLE TO CO-OPERATE WITH THE U.N. IN CARRYING OUT THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS.

I WOULD LIKE TO ADVISE YOU, HOWEVER, ON THREE POINTS.

FIRST OF ALL, YOU <sup>say</sup> ~~STATED TO THEM~~. "I REPLIED THAT SO FAR AS I KNEW, TSHOMBE WAS IN THE HANDS OF THE CONGOLESE AUTHORITIES AND THAT U.N. HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH HIS PRESENT STATUS, EXCEPT TO MAKE SURE THAT HE WAS TREATED DECENTLY." AS FAR AS THIS POINT IS CONCERNED, IF IT IS RAISED AGAIN, YOUR LINE SHOULD BE THAT THE ROLE OF THE U.N. IS, OF COURSE, TO ACT IN PROTECTION OF THE PERSON OF TSHOMBE IN THE SAME WAY AS THE U.N. HAS ACTED IN PROTECTING ANY OTHER PERSONALITY, INSISTING ON FAIR TREATMENT AND DUE PROCESS OF LAW.

SECONDLY, WITH REGARD TO YOUR STATEMENT, "THAT AT A LATER STAGE SATISFACTORY AUTONOMY WOULD ANYWAY BE RECOGNIZED TO KATANGA TO PRESERVE LEGITIMATE ASPIRATIONS", I THINK THAT YOU SHOULD BE VERY CAREFUL NOT TO COMMIT THE U.N. ABOUT THE FUTURE STATUS OF KATANGA. THIS IS LARGELY A MATTER FOR THE CONGOLESE TO DECIDE AMONG THEMSELVES AND I THINK THAT ALL YOU SHOULD SAY IS THAT IF THE KATANGESE AUTHORITIES ADOPT THE LINE OF PRESIDENT KASA-VUBU IN CO-OPERATING WITH THE U.N., THIS WILL BE IN THE INTEREST OF ALL CONCERNED.



THIRDLY, IN CONNECTION WITH YOUR STATEMENT ABOUT THE INTENTIONS OF THE U.N. "ALSO NOT TO CONSIDER DISARMING GENDARMERIE IF THEY BEHAVE CORRECTLY", YOUR STATEMENT SHOULD BE THAT IF THEY CO-OPERATE WITH US IN GETTING RID OF THE MILITARY AND PARA-MILITARY PERSONNEL, POLITICAL ADVISERS, AND MERCENARIES, OUR TASK WILL BE TO HELP IN REORGANIZING AND BRINGING GENDARMERIE UNDER DISCIPLINE AND CONTROL WITH A VIEW TO ELIMINATION OF ANY INTERFERENCE IN THE POLITICAL LIFE OF THE CONGO. IN OTHER WORDS, YOU SHOULD USE THE FULL TEXT OF PARAGRAPH B-2 OF SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION OF 21 FEBRUARY.

PLEASE KEEP ME INFORMED SOONEST IF YOU HAVE A FURTHER MEETING WITH MUNONGO OR IF THERE ARE ANY OTHER DEVELOPMENTS. I AM KEEPING THE SECRETARY-GENERAL INFORMED.