

**TRUSTEESHIP
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**CONSEIL
DE TUTELLE**

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Item 4 of the agenda

PETITION FROM MR. FRANCIS RUKÉBA
CONCERNING RUANDA-URUNDI

Resolution adopted by the Trusteeship Council
at the forty-eighth meeting, on 25 March 1949

THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL, acting under Article 87 b of the Charter, has, at its fourth session, in conformity with its rules of procedure, accepted and examined in consultation with Belgium as the Administering Authority concerned, a petition from Mr. Francis Rukeba dated 3 August 1948 (T/PET.3/9).

The Council took note of the observations on the petition of the United Nations Mission to East Africa and of the Local Authority (T/217, T/217/Add.1).

THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

HAVING NOTED that the petition raises questions of a general character concerning conditions in Ruanda-Urundi,

HAVING NOTED that these questions are dealt with in the report of the United Nations Mission to East Africa,

HAVING DECIDED to postpone the final examination of the report of the Mission until its fifth session,

DECIDES that the questions of a general character raised in the petition will be dealt with in conjunction with the final examination of the report of the Mission;

REQUESTS the Secretary-General to communicate to the petitioner the resolution adopted by the Council on 14 March 1949 on the question of racial discrimination in Ruanda-Urundi and any subsequent decisions which the Council may adopt on these questions, together with the relevant parts of its official records;

INVITES the Secretary-General to inform the Administering Authority and the petitioner of this decision in accordance with rule 93 of the rules of procedure for the Trusteeship Council.