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COMMUNICATION FROM MR. L. LESLIE-MOORE CONCERNING TANGANYIKA

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WINDS WHISPER
M'SIMBATI ISLAND
P.O. MTWARA,
SOUTHERN PROVINCE,
TANGANYIKA TERRITORY

26. 5. 60.

Ref. No. 5/5/59.

His Excellency, Sir Richard Turnbull.
Governor and Commander in Chief, Tanganyika Territory.
Government House. Dar es Salaam. Tanganyika Territory.

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to inform Your Excellency that a Police Officer from Mtwara, visited me and informed me that the driver of the flying machine he violated our air space and threw out a packet, containing pig products, has now been found. The officer has made a full statement and offered an apology which he will make here in person. On behalf of the Islanders, I have accepted his statement that no deliberate insult to our Religion was intended and his apology will also be accepted when tendered. I trust that this will now end a most unpleasant incident and no further action will be taken against the officer concerned. We also hope that no further acts of aggression will be perpetrated by your subjects on the mainland against this Island.

2. It is now nearly five months since my dispatch, No. 5/I/I. of January 1st, 60^{1/} was sent to Your Excellency, informing you of our secession from

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Tanganyika and I shall be glad if Your Excellency will reply to this and send us the documents, acknowledging this secession and informing the United Nations Organization, New York, as the Island wishes to apply to the United Nations Organization for membership.

I have the honour to remain,

Yours faithfully.

(Sgd.) L. LESLIE-MOORE

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New York City, U.S.A.

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