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CONCERNING THE CAMEROONS UNDER FRENCH ADMINISTRATION

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EVOLUTION SOCIALE CAMEROUNAISE (ESOCAM)  
P.O. Box 111  
New-Bell, Douala

Douala, 20 June 1956

From the Steering Committee, Douala  
To the Secretary-General of the United Nations, New York

Sir,

We wish very respectfully to inform you of the following:

The NGONDO mission, which is now in New York, does not represent the whole of the Cameroons.

This organization is not in fact a political one. Its purely traditional character qualifies it only to represent a strictly local community, namely, the Douala people in the French Cameroons.

We would be very grateful if you would bear in mind:

That the EVOLUTION SOCIALE CAMEROUNAISE (ESOCAM), which we represent and which is a political movement acting on behalf of all Cameroonians, declines all responsibility for any action taken by the NGONDO mission in regard to your Assembly.

That the NGONDO, which is the traditional Assembly of the Douala people, cannot and may not validly submit proposals except in respect of the Douala people.

We remain entirely at your disposal and sincerely hope that the present communication from our movement will receive the widest possible distribution to the various members of the General Assembly.

We have the honour to be, etc.

(seal)

For the Steering Committee  
and by order

(Signed) NGASSA Joseph  
Vice-President

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