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COMMUNICATION FROM MR. TALOM NEMBOT FIDELE CONCERNING
THE CAMEROONS UNDER FRENCH ADMINISTRATION

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Talom Nembot Fidèle,
Planter, clerk accountant with Cobam
and Secretary of the Central Committee of
the UPC at N'lohe (CFN) kms 115

To the State Counsel General at Yaoundé

Sir,

I have the honour to bring the following facts to the attention of the
French judicial authorities in Kamerun:

Following the bloody incidents of May 1955, instigated by the French
colonialist administration which plunged the whole country into mourning, the
colonialist bandits, after looting all my wife's and my property, destroyed
my house, cookhouse and privy.

The sum of 2,500,000 francs and the articles listed below, with a total
value of 5,562,100 francs CFA, were stolen.

I therefore charge the French colonialist Government with destruction,
theft and material damage and I request you to apply the law.

I request the rebuilding of my house, cookhouse and privy, compensation
for the stolen articles and the sum of 2,500,000 francs and damages, the amount
of which I shall determine later.

I am prepared to deposit whatever security you may require.

Done in the maquis, 30 April 1956

Thanking you in advance, I have the honour to be, etc.

(Signed) (Illegible)

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