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PETITION FROM THE SAMOA DEMOCRATIC PARTY CONCERNING WESTERN SAMOA

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Samoa Democratic Party's Petition,  
The United Nation Organization,  
C/- Secretary General,

Dear Sir,

We the Leaders of the Samoa Democratic Party respectfully convey this petition to acknowledge that during our first Western Samoa Constitutional convention, two of our representatives were members of that convention, and our representatives' placed a motion to let all who reached 21 years boys and girls as voters and Matais only as candidates.

At this future Samoa Constitutional convention expecting to be held this year 1960, we are not counted as members of that convention, therefore we are referring to the United Nation Organization's conference that the Democratic party are willing to have representatives to this convention, and requesting the strength of the United Nation Organization for an opportunity to place us in, to support our main point which is an important one and as we were as one of the body of the previous convention.

On the 14th June 1960 at 10 a.m. we the under signed here saw the High Commissioner discussing according to the same thing and he replied, very sorry that the ordinance has already cealed was done by the Samoa Parliament.

Sincerely yours,

- PRESIDENT (Sgd.) LEATIGAGAR .....
- VICE PRESIDENT (Sgd.) HOAFOAT
- SECRETARY (Sgd.) W.F. BOTHAM