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PETITION FROM Mr. FRANCOIS RUBEKA CONCERNING RUANDA-URUNDI

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TO MR. BOZIDAR ALEXANDER, UNITED NATIONS LAKE SUCCESS

WE INFORM YOU THAT THE PEOPLE OF RUANDA DO NOT APPROVE OF THE PROCEDURE. FOR THE ELECTION OF NEW MEMBERS TO THE RUANDA STATE COUNCIL AND THE CHIEFDOM AND SUB-CHIEFDOM COUNCILS BECAUSE ALL THE FUTURE MEMBERS WILL BE ELECTED FROM THE LOWER CLASS OF PRIMITIVES. MORE ADVANCED ELEMENTS WHO WORK FOR OR ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT SHOULD BE INCLUDED AMONG MEMBERS ELECTED. PRIMITIVES WILL RETARD CUR ADVANCEMENT. WE, THE BANYARWANDA, ASK FOR TWENTY DAYS TO PRESENT CUR CASE AND SUGGEST THE PROCEDURE THAT WE SHOULD LIKE TO SEE ADOPTED. WE DO NOT WANT CUR COUNTRY TO BE HARMED. WE REQUEST A REPLY FROM YOU. SEND ME THE GENERAL REPORT FOR 1956.

RUBEKA FRANCOIS

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