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ADMINISTRATOR SOMALILAND MOG/SYL MOG/ADVISORY COUNCIL MOG/ UNDERSIGNED SOLEMAN TRIBE WERE UNJUSTLY CONDEMNED TO PAY DIAH IN RESPECT OF 2 PERSONS, 4 MEMBERS OF TRIBE WHO APPEALED HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED PROPER REPLY AND TODAY CHIEF REGIONAL OFFICER SUDDENLY SEIZED ABOUT 400 CAMELS STOP AS OUR TRIBE HAS TWICE SUFFERED AT HANDS OF SAAD WE REQUEST ADMINISTRATION NOT TO CAUSE BLOODY CONFLICT BETWEEN TWO BROTHERLY TRIBES BY FAILING TO PROVIDE NECESSARY JUSTICE CALLED FOR AND TO PUT AN END TO FAVOURED TREATMENT OF ONE TRIBE WHICH IS RUIN OF THE TERRITORY AND PEOPLE OF SOMALILAND WE REQUEST RETURN OF THE CAMELS AND EXPECT JUSTICE STOP WE AWAIT REPLY AND HAVE HONOUR ETC.

SULTAN AHMED NUR AND CHIEF ALI AND SOLEMAN NOTABLES