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PETITION FROM MESSRS HAGI MOHAMED HUSSEN AND MOHAMED SCEK HUSSEN ABRAR
CONCERNING SOMALILAND UNDER ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION

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From: Mogadiscio 18 October

To: Prime Minister, Hon. Abdullahi Issa
E.E. Administrator Mario di Stefano
President Court of Justice of Somalia
President Advisory Council

Mogadiscio

On 16 current month police station Beter Ras has arrested Omar Hagi Abdulla Banafunzi Vice-President Great Somali League Party stop We applied to competent assistant regional judge of Benadir and requested that Omar be granted conditional release stop The judge rejected our request and informed us that judicial record been forwarded to public prosecutor stop To-day we asked public prosecutor to help us in our request but he refused and advised us to choose a lawyer stop Therefore the undersigned beg Your Excellency to consider the possibility of interceding with competent authorities so that conditional release be granted to Omar Hagi Abdulla Banafunzi since the later is Vice-President of the above-mentioned party and indispensable for the carrying out of electoral work stop

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