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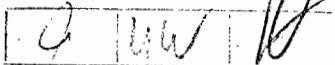
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QUESTION OF EUROPEAN IMMIGRATION AS RAISED IN CERTAIN PETITIONS
CONCERNING THE CAMEROONS UNDER FRENCH ADMINISTRATION

Resolution adopted by the Trusteeship Council at the
eightieth meeting on 3 April 1950

Acting under Article 87 (b) of the Charter and in accordance with
its rules of procedure,

Having accepted and examined, at its sixth session, in consultation with France
as the Administering Authority concerned, which designated
Mr. Watier as special representative, parts of the following
petitions which raise the question of European immigration:

- (1) Petition from the Représantants du Peuple Beti (T/PET.5/17
and T/PET.5/17/Add.1),
- (2) Petition from the Fédération des Employés du Cameroun
(T/PET.5/68),
- (3) Petition from the Union Camerounaise des Syndicats
Chrétiens (T/PET.5/71),
- (4) Petition from the Comité Régional de l'Union des Populations
du Cameroun de la Sanaga-Maritime (T/PET.5/72-4/63),

Having taken note of the oral statement of the Special Representative on this
subject.

The Trusteeship Council

- (1) Expresses its confidence in the policy of the Administering Authority regarding immigration;
- (2) Expresses the hope that the Administering Authority will not allow European immigration to prejudice the economic development of the indigenous inhabitants;
- (3) Decides to inform the petitioners that the question of immigration has been and will be examined in connection with its examination of the annual reports of the Administering Authority on the administration of the Territory;
- (4) Draws the attention of the petitioners to the resolution on technical training adopted by the Trusteeship Council at its sixth session, the text of which reads as follows:

"The Council, aware that the Administering Authority has had to bring European skilled workers into the Territory, and recognizing that their assistance, within limits and with proper safeguards, can be beneficial to the Territory at the present stage of its development, urges the Administering Authority to accelerate the training of the indigenous inhabitants in these same technical skills."
- (5) Invites the Secretary-General to inform the Administering Authority and the petitioners of this resolution in accordance with rule 93 of the rules of procedure for the Trusteeship Council.