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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

Ecuador, El Salvador, Haiti, Honduras, Japan, Pakistan and Uruguay: revised draft resolution

Hearings of petitioners from the Trust Territories of the Cameroons under British administration and the Cameroons under French administration

The General Assembly,

<u>Having studied</u> the chapters of the report of the Trusteeship Council which relate to the Trust Territories of the Cameroons under British administration and the Cameroons under French administration,

<u>Having heard</u> the petitioners from these Territories in the course of the hearings granted by the Fourth Committee,

<u>Noting</u> continued tensions and disturbances in certain areas of the Cameroons under French administration, and the fact that the amnesty law envisaged by the Administering Authority has not been promulgated,

Bearing in mind that the Trusteeship Council will, in the normal course, send a visiting mission to the two Trust Territories in 1958,

1. Takes note of the pertinent chapters of the Trusteeship Council's report;

2. <u>Transmits</u> the statements of the petitioners to the Trusteeship Council for further study;

3. <u>Recommends</u> that the Trusteeship Council take into account the observations and suggestions made during the debate in the Fourth Committee, when the Council considers conditions in these Territories at its twenty-first regular session;

4. <u>Is confident</u> that, as a result of the application of appropriate measures, in particular the early promulgation of the amnesty law by the Administering 57-33443 /... A/C.4/L.512/Rev.1 English Page 2

Authority, and the renunciation of the use of violence by all political parties, it will be possible to achieve, in the Cameroons under French administration, conditions conducive to the early restoration of a normal situation in the disturbed area, and to the furtherance of democratic progress and political activities in the Territory;

5. <u>Requests</u> the Trusteeship Council to instruct its next visiting mission, in 1958, to take into account the observations and suggestions made during the twelfth session of the General Assembly in examining the situation in the two Trust Territories.