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TELEGRAM DATED 14 AUGUST 1967 FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE
REPUBLIC OF GUINEA ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Following your message of 11 August I have the honour to express to you our appreciation for your many efforts to ensure that international public law is respected. At the same time we request you to inform officially all States Members of the United Nations and to inscribe the matter on the agenda of the General Assembly and of the Security Council. We await the decision of the United Nations in order to know whether the United Nations Charter and the agreements relating to it are to be applied or not by Member States. We beg you to understand the painful and distressing situation in which our delegation is placed and that the patience of our Government and people is being severely tried. We would therefore like to know as soon as possible the decision of the United Nations concerning this serious matter and the final result of your efforts in the face of this characteristic violation of the United Nations Charter by the Ivory Coast, so that our Government may consider all the practical steps which it is entitled to take.

Please accept, etc.

(Signed) Ahmed Sékou TOURE

