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LETTER DATED 9 FEBRUARY 1967 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
OF CAMEROON ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to inform you that in accordance with the African policy of sanctions against the white minority régime in Rhodesia and in pursuance of the many United Nations resolutions on that subject, the Government of the Federal Republic of Cameroon has just seized a cargo of 800,300 kg of Rhodesian tobacco, consigned from Rotterdam to the Société des Tabacs Bastos of Cameroon, discharged at the Cameroonian port of Douala by the steamship "Lake Bososutive".

I should be obliged if you would bring these facts to the knowledge of the Security Council and of all Permanent Missions to the United Nations, for their information.

The Federal Republic of Cameroon considers that Security Council decisions must remain a dead letter if they are not carried out in practice by the countries Members of the United Nations. The Cameroonian Government for its part is ready to carry out scrupulously and fully the general boycott measures decided on by the OAU and those laid down by resolutions of the United Nations.

(Signed) Joseph N. OWONO
Ambassador
