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LETTER DATED 15 JULY 1963 ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT
OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR
FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TUNISIA

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to inform you that I wish to participate, on behalf of Tunisia, in the Security Council's debate on the question of the situation in the territories under Portuguese domination, the object of the request appearing in document S/5347.

In addition to the keen interest which my Government takes in this problem, I should like to inform you that during the Addis Ababa Conference the African Heads of State and Government entrusted me with the task of setting forth and defending the viewpoint of the African States on this important question. In consequence, I would ask you to be so kind as to include Tunisia in the list of speakers, in conformity with Article 32 of the Charter.

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) Mongi SLIM
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs
of the Republic of Tunisia

