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REPORT BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL ON  
RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE LEOPOLDVILLE AREA

Report dated 4 March 1961 to the Secretary-General from his  
Special Representative in the Congo

The Secretary-General received on 4 March 1961 from his Special Representative in the Congo the following report on events subsequent to the ones reported in S/4758 C:

1. At 2045 hours the ANC resumed shelling of Banana and tried to attack Banana by boats from Bulahama. About the same time, the Congolese authorities in Matadi enforced curfew. The ANC were alerted and some may have left Matadi for Kitona.
2. At 0030 hours, 4 March, the Sudanese troops at Banana were ordered to withdraw to Kitona as their position was becoming untenable.
3. One Indonesian company of 124 all ranks was airlifted this morning as reinforcement for this base with orders that Kitona will be held and Banana will be reoccupied.
4. Colonel Kiembe, Chief of Staff, ANC, accompanied by one United Nations military operations officer, has left Leopoldville by air for Mbandaka at 0900 hours, 4 March, to restore situation at Kitona and Banana.
5. Street fighting is reported to have broken out at Matadi, the ANC soldiers attacking the United Nations troops here.

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The Special Representative subsequently reported that Mr. Bomboko had agreed to issue a cease-fire order, and that ONUC likewise sent out a cease-fire order at 1330 hours local time.

