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PETITION FROM REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOLIMAN TRIBE
CONCERNING SOMALILAND UNDER ITALIAN ADMINISTRATION

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ADMINISTRATION SOMALILAND, INTERNAL AFFAIRS, UNITED NATIONS ADVISORY COUNCIL,
SYL MOGADISCIO

WE INHABITANTS SOLIMAN UNDER FIVE SALARIED CHIEFS AND NINE NOTABLES EACH NOTABLE
HAVING ONE RER OF AT LEAST 500 PERSONS ASK TO BE ALLOWED TO HOLD FOURTEEN
SEPARATE SHIRS SO THAT EACH CHIEF OR NOTABLE CAN ORGANIZE HIS RER INDEPENDENTLY
IN ORDER THAT NO RER WILL BE DEPENDENT ON ANOTHER STOP WE REQUEST THAT SOLIMAN
TRIBE SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO ORGANIZE SHIRS FREELY LIKE OTHER NEIGHBOURING TRIBES
STOP THIS REQUEST REJECTED BY OUR DISTRICT COMMISSIONER AND OUR TRIBE THEREFORE
COMPELLED TO APPLY TO YOU STOP TRUSTING THAT YOU WILL GIVE OUR REQUEST FAVOURABLE
CONSIDERATION WE THANK YOU AND REMAIN ETC.

SULTAN AHMED NUR ALI, CHIEF HASSAN QUTALE, CHIEF ERZI BARRE, CHIEF ABDULLAHI
ROBLE, NOTABLE IBRAHIM QURE, NOTABLE UARSAMA ALANE, NOTABLE ISSE UARSAMA, NOTABLE
FARAH ALI, NOTABLE FARAH UEHLIE, NOTABLE FAGAH IUSUF, NOTABLE FARA GAREI,
SHEIKH MOHAMUD GULED, SHEIKH MOHAMED ABDU'A