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UNGVA 1912 COHEN FROM FALTHEY AND OBEZ COPY TO FELT YOUR 1920
STOP FOLLOWING ARE FINAL TEXTS TO BE USED FOR EXCHANGE LETTER
WITH SICR WHICH WILL BE FORMALLY MADE TUESDAY ELEVEN AM AFTER
WHICH WILL CABLE YOU CONFIRMING SIGNATURE STOP LETTER FROM SEC GEN
TO EOISSIER IS AS

F2

FOLLOWS QUOTE SIR CMA THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS CMA
AT ITS SECOND EMERGENCY SPECIAL SESSION CMA HAS REQUESTED THE SECRETARY
GENERAL TO TAKE IMMEDIATELY THE NECESSARY MEASURES TO BRING
AID TO THE POPULATION OF HUNGARY PARAGRAPH CONSIDERING THAT THE INTER-
NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS HAS BEEN

F3

ENGAGED IN EMERGENCY RELIEF ACTIVITIES IN HUNGARY AND HAS CONCLUDED
AN AGREEMENT WITH THE HUNGARIAN RED CROSS TO THIS EFFECT CMA WOULD
WISH TO ASK YOU IF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE WOULD ACCEPT TO COOPER-
ATE WITH THE UNITED NATIONS IN THIS HUMANITARIAN PROGRAMME CMA
UNDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS COLON UNQUOTE THIS

F4

WILL BE FOLLOWED BY PARAGRAPHS ONE THROUGH TWELVE OF YOUR ORIGINAL
TEXT AFTER RENUMBERING SEVEN EIGHT AND TEN AS ALREADY INDICATED TO YOU
STOP CONCLUDING PARAGRAPHS WILL BE AS FOLLOWS QUOTE WOULD GREATLY
APPRECIATE RECEIVING YOUR CONFIRMATION THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE
OF THE RED CROSS ACCEPTS THE PROPOSALS CONTAINED

F5

P5

IN THIS LETTER STOP FOLLOWING SUCH CONFIRMATION MA THE SECRETAY
GENERAL WILL INFORM THE HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT OF THIS AGREEMENT
PARAGRAPH ACCEPT CMA SIR CMA THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION
CMA FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL GEORGES PALTHEY
DEPUTY DIRECTOR CMA EUROPEAN OFFICE OF THE UNITED NATIONS

P6

UNQUOTE STOP TO THE ABOVE LETTER BOISSIER WILL REPLY AS FOLLOWS
QUOTE MONSIEUR LE SECRETAIRE GENERAL CMA LE COMITE INTERNATIONAL A
RECV VOTRE LETTRE DU QUATRE DECEMBRE DIX NEUF CENT CINQUANTE SIX
RELATIVE A LACTION DE SECOURS DES NATIONS UNIES EN FAVEUR DE LA POPU-
LATION DE HONGRIE ET DU CONCOURS

P7

QUE N

(MORE)

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F7

QUE NOTRE INSTITUTION POURRAIT PRETER EN LOCCURENCE PARAGRAPH
JAI LE PLAISIR DE VOUS FAIRE SAVOIR QUE LE COMITE INTERNATIONAL CMA
QUI SOCCUPE DEJA DE CONVOYER EN HONGRIE ET DE DISTRIBUER DANS CE PAYS
LES SECOURS DE CROIX ROUGES ACCEPTE DE SE ^{CMA}CHARGER EGALEMENT DES
SECOURS FOURNIS PAR LES NATIONS UNIES

F8

ET CE DANS LES CONDITIONS PREVUES PAR VOTRE LETTRE
CMA CEST A DIRE COLON UNQUOTE THIS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY QUOTATION
PARAGRAPHS ONE THROUGH TWELVE OF LETTER OF SECGEN IN ENGLISH AND NOT
IN FRENCH STOP CONLCUDING PARAGRAPH WILL BE AS FOLLOWS QUOTE
EN ME FELICITANT DE LACCORD AINSI INTERVENU

F9

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~~P 4 AGN SRI CARLED~~

F9

ENTRE L'ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES ET LE COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA
CROIX ROUGE CMA JE VOUS PRIE D'AGREER CMA MONSIEUR LE SECRETAIRE
GENERAL CMA L'ASSURANCE DE MA HAUTE CONSIDERATION CMA LEOPOLD BOISSIER
PRESIDENT DU COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX ROUGE UNQUOTE STOP
ON THE SAME DAY NAMELY FOURTH DECEMBER BOISSIER

F10

WILL SEND TO PALTHEY FOLLOWING LETTER QUOTE MONSIEUR LE DIRECTEUR
CMA J'AI L'HONNEUR DE ME REFERER A L'ECHANGE DE LETTRES INTERVENU CE
JOUR ENTRE L'ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES ET LE COMITE INTERNATIO-
NAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE RELATIF A L'ACTION DE SECOURS EN FAVEUR DE LA
POPULATION DE HONGRIE PARAGRAPH EN

F11

VOUS CONFIRMANT CET ACCORD CMA JE CROIS UTILE DE PRECISER QUE DANS
VOTRE PENSEE CMA COMME CERTAINEMENT DANS LA VOTRE CMA IL FAUT ENTEN-
DRE PAR LES MOTS SUCH SUPPLIES AS MAY BE FURNISHED BY THE UNITED
NATIONS FIGURANT SOUS CHIFFRE 2 CMA NON PAS N'IMPORTE QUELLES
MARCHANDISES CMA MAIS CELLES

F12

QUI CORRESPONDENT AUX BESOINS URGENTS DE LA POPULATION A SECOURIR
PARAGRAPH AU CAS OU CMA COMME CELA EST RESERVE SOUS CHIFFRE 7 CMA
L'UNE OU L'AUTRE DES AGENCES SPECIALISEES DES NATIONS UNIES ENTREPRENDRA-
IT UNE ACTION D'ASSISTANCE RENTRANT DANS SES ATTRIBUTIONS NORMALES
CMA IL Y AURAIT LIEU CMA A NOTRE AVIS

F13

CMA DETABLIR UNE LIAISON ENTRE CES AGENCES ET NOTRE INSTITUTION CMA
DE FACON A COORDONNER NOS ACTIVITES RESPECTIVES ET DEVITER DES DOUBLES
EMPLOUS PARAGRAPH LES MODALITES DE COUVERTURE DES FRAIS ADMINISTRATIFS
ET D'EXECUTION DU COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE FAISANT
L'OBJET DES CHIFFRES 6 ET 9 SERONT ETABLIES DUN

COMMUN ACCORD ENTRE () NATIONS UNIES ET LE CICR () PARAGRAPH NOUS
AVONS NOTE QUE VOUS AVEZ L'INTENTION D'INFORMER LE GOUVERNEMENT
HONGROIS DE L'ARRANGEMENT INTERVENU ENTRE LES NATIONS UNIES ET LE
CICR STOP LE CICR DEVANT FAIRE DE MEME DE SON COTE CMA JE ME
PERMETS DE VOUS SUGGERER QUE CES

P15

COMMUNICATIONS SOIENT SIMULTANÉES PARAGRAPHE VEUILLEZ AGREER CMA MONSIEUR LE DIRECTEUR CMA LASSURANCE DE MA CONSIDERATION LA PLUS DISTINGUÉE UNQUOTE PALTHY WILL REPLY AS FOLLOWS QUOTE MONSIEUR LE PRESIDENT CMA COMME SUITE A VOTRE LETTRE DU QUATRE DECEMBRE DIX NEUF CENT CINQUANTE SIX CMA JAI LHONNEUR DE VOUS CONFIRMER MON ACCORD

P16

SUR L'INTERPRETATION QUE VOUS DONNEZ AUX DISPOSITIONS CONTENUES DANS LA LETTRE DU SECRETAIRE GENERAL DES NATIONS UNIES DU MEME JOUR RELATIVES AUX CONDITIONS DANS LESQUELLES LE COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX ROUGE ACCEPTE DE SE CHARGER DES SECOURS FOURNIS PAR LES NATIONS UNIES EN FAVEUR DE LA POPULATION DE HONGRIE

P17

PARAGRAPHE PAR LES MOTS SUCH SUPPLIES AS MAY BE FURNISHED BY THE UNITED NATIONS FIGURANT AU PARAGRAPHE 2, IL FAUT ENTENDRE NON PAS N'IMPORTE QUELLE MARCHANDISE CMA MAIS CELLES QUI CORRESPONDENT AUX BESOINS URGENTS DE LA POPULATION A SECOURIR PARAGRAPHE JE RECOMMANDERAI AUX INSTITUTIONS SPECIALISEES DES NATIONS UNIES INTERESSEES

P18

DE DONNER SUITE A VOTRE SUGGESTION CONCERNANT LA LIAISON QUELLES DEVRAIENT ETABLIR AVEC VOTRE INSTITUTION CMA AU CAS OU ELLES ENTREPRENDRAIENT UNE ACTION D'ASSISTANCE RENTRANT DANS LEURS ATTRIBUTIONS PROPRES CMA DE FACON A COORDONNER LEURS ACTIVITES AVEC CELLES DU COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX ROUGE ET A EVITER DES DOUBLES

P19

EMPLOIS PARAGRAPHE IL EST ENTENDU QUE LES MODALITES DE COUVERTURE DES FRAIS ADMINISTRATIFS ET D'EXECUTION DU COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX ROUGE MENTIONNES AUX PARAGRAPHES 6 ET 9 DE LA LETTRE DU SECRETAIRE GENERAL SERONT ETABLIES D'UN COMMUN ACCORD ENTRE LES NATIONS UNIES ET LE COMITE INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX

P20

ROUGE, PARAGRAPH JE VUS CONFIRME EGALEMENT QUE LES COMMUNICATIONS
AU GOUVERNEMENT HONGROIS DE L'ARRANGEMENT INTERVENU ENTRE LE COMITE
ET LES NATIONS UNIES SERONT EFFECTUEES SIMULTANEMENT CMA DANS LES
CONDITIONS QUE NOUS AVONS ARRETEES ENSEMBLE CMA CEST A DIRE LE
CINQ DECEMBRE DIX NEUF CENT CINQUANTE SIX A DIX HUIT HEURES

P21/19

CMA HEURE DE GENEVE PARAGRAPH VEUILLEZ AGREER CMA MONSIEUR LE
RESIDENT LASSURANCE DE MA CONSIDERATION LA PLUS DISTINGUEE UNQUOTE

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COHEN, M.

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25 GENEVA 147 4 1956

UNATIONS NY

INGVA 1914 COHEN FROM OBEZ YOUR 1944 ALL LETTERS DATED 4 DEC 1956
FOUR DECEMBER STOP FIRST LETTER SEGGEN IN ENGLISH STOP REPLY
OF BOISSIER TO THIS LETTER IS IN FRENCH EXCEPT FOR QUOTATION OF
TEXT OF CONDITIONS NAMELY PARAGRAPHS ONE THROUGH TWELVE OF ORIGINAL
TEXT STARTING WITH QUOTE THE COMMITTEE

P2

CMA AT THE REQUEST OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL CMA AGREES TO USE
ETC UNQUOTE AND ENDING WITH TERMINATION CLAUSE AS PARAGRAPH TWELVE
STOP SECOND LETTER OF BOISSIER ALSO DATED FOUR DECEMBER IS IN
FRENCH AND FULL TEXT QUOTED MY 1912 STOP THIS LETTER IS ADDRESSED TO
MR PALTHEY AND NOT

P3/47

TO SEGGEN STOP LETTER OF PALTHEY IN REPLY ALSO DATED FOUR DECEMBER
IS ALSO IN FRENCH AND FULL TEXT GIVEN MY 1912 STOP HAVE
NOTED YOUR INFORMATION CONCERNING PUBLICITY BUT WOULD BE USEFUL
FOR CICR AND US IF YOU CAN SEND BY TELETYPE TEXT NEWYORK PRESS
COMMUNIQUE

CFM 1914 1944 1912 1912

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42 GENEVA 37 4 1387

UNATIONS NY

- 4 DEC 1956

GENEVA 1918 COHEN FROM OBEZ AGREEMENT SIGNED THIS MORNING STOP
CICR AGREES INTERPRETATIVE LETTERS EXCHANGED BETWEEN BOISSIER
AND PALTHEY PURELY FOR INTERNAL USE STOP CONFIRM WE AND REDCROSS
WILL APPRECIATE RECEIVING TEXT YOUR PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

CFM 1918

50 SSS NY 63 4 0226Z

MISS ALM

UNATIONS

GENEVA •

1944 OBEZ YOUR 1912 RECEIVED AND WE TRYING PIECE TOGETHER
COMPLETE TEXTS FOR DELIVERY HUNGARIAN DELEGATION STOP ASSUME
TEXT FIRST SEC GEN LETTER BEING SIGNED IN ENGLISH AND ALL
OTHERS IN FRENCH STOP ADVISE BY IMMEDIATE RETURN CABLE WHETHER
ALL LETTERS WILL BE DATED DECEMBER FOURTH STOP REFERENCE
PUBLICITY •

P2/13 •

WE NOT REPEAT NOT RELEASING ENTIRE TEXTS BUT ONLY SUMMARY
MAIN POINTS •

COHEN +

CFM 1944 1912 +

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59 F NY 19 4 1552 ;

UNATIONS

GENEVA ;

1946 OBEZ YOUR 1914 TELETYPE TEXT PRESS RELEASE WILL REACH

YOU NOT LATER THAN WEDNESDAY MORNING ;

COHEN "

CFM 1946 1914 "

TELETYPE UNIT
MAY 1954
COMMUNICATIONS

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Action To

MR COHEN

File No.

87 GENEVA 421 4 1848 ;

UNATIONA NEWYORK ;

- 4 DEC 1956

UNGVA 1923 FOR COHEN FROM OBEZ COPY TO PELT CONFIDENTIAL YOUR
1925 AM RECEIVING COPIES DPI RELEASES THROUGH GENEVA OFFICE STOP
AFTER CONSULTATION WITH CICR LEAGUE REDCROSS AND HCR POSITION
IS AS FOLLOWS STOP CICR EMPHASISES DISPROPORTION BETWEEN RESOURCES
AT PRESENT MADE AVAILABLE TO REFUGEES AS COMPARED

P2/50

TO THOSE AVAILBLE FOR RELIEF IN HUNGARY WHERE NEEDS AND NUMBER PEOPLES
TO BE ASSISTED LIKELY TO BE ENORMOUS STOP RE YOUR FIRST QUESTION
AS ALREADY INDICATED SUPPLIES SENT VIENNA TO REDCROSS WITHOUT
EARMARKING FOR REFUGEES OR FOR RELIEF IN HUNGARY ARE DISTRIBUTED
FOR THESE TWO PURPOSES AFTER AGREEMET BETWEEN CICR

3/50

P

AND LEAGUE CHIEF DELEGATES IN VIENNA STOP THIS PROCEDURE DOES NOT
APPLY TO OFFERS IN CASH WHERE UNEARMARKED CREDITS PUT DISPOSAL
LEAGUE GO TO REFUGEES WHEREAS CREDITS PUT DISPOSAL INTERNATIONAL
COMMITTEE ARE USED FOR ACTION IN HUNGARY STOP HCR CONSIDERS THAT
ANY CONTRIBUTION MADE AVIALABLE TO UN AS RESULT RECENT

R/50

JOINT APPEAL SECCEN AND UNHCR AS WELL AS DESEYNES APPEAL TO NGOS
SHOULD BE EARMARKED FOR REFUGEES AS THOSE APPEALS CLEARLY MEANT
FOR REFUGEES STOP EYE CO NSIDER THAT UNEARMARKED CONTRIBUTIONS
MADE AVAILABLE TO UN SHOULD BE EARMARKED BY UN IN LIGHT SITUATION
RELIEF ACTION FOR BOTH PURPOSES AND IF NECESSARY

B/50

AFTER CONSULTATION HCR STOP OFFERS MADE DIRECT TO REDCROSS AS
RESULT UN APPEAL WOULD BE TREATED BY THEM ACCORDING PRECEDURE OUTLINED
ABOVE STOP IN REPLY YOUR SECOND QUESTION NGOS WHO DO NOT SEND

OFFERS TO UN OR UNHCR COULD SEND THEM TO CICR GENERAL OFFICE VIENNA

ABOVE STOP IN REPLY YOUR SECOND QUESTION NGOS WHO DO NOT SEND
OFFERS TO UN OR U N CR COULD SEND THEM TO CICR GENEVA OR VIENNA
IF FOR RELIEF

P6/50

P6/50

IN HUNGARY AND TO LEAGUE REDCROSS SOCIETIES GENEVA OR VIENNA
DIRECT OR THROUGH NATIONAL REDCROSS SOCIETIES IF FOR REFUGEES
STOP LEAGUE AND COMMITTEE AGREE WE CAN GIVE THEIR ADDRESSES
BUT CICR HAVING DELEGATION ONLY IN SOME COUNTRIES PREFERS ALL
OFFERS BE CENTRALIZED GENEVA STOP LEAGUE INSISTS THAT IF OFFERS
ARE TO

P7/50

BE MADE IN KIND THERE SHOULD BE PRIOR CONSULTATION WITH THEM
OR WITH NATIONAL REDCROSS SOCIETY CONCERNED ON NATURE OF
SUPPLIES NEEDED STOP OTHERWISE AS ALREADY HAPPENED THEY MAY
NOT BE ABLE TO USE SUPPLIES OFFERED STOP HCR INDICATES THAT
ALL SUPPLIES OFFERS SHOULD BE SENT PREFERABLY TO LEAGUE
WHEREAS

P8/50

CASH CREDITS SHOULD PREFERABLY GO DIRECT TO THEM TO PERMIT
THEIR COORDINATION ACTION STOP WE ASSUME THAT SPECIAL APPEAL
WILL BE MADE BY UN FOR RELIEF IN HUNGARY FOLLOWING APPEAL
MADE FOR REFUGEES BUT WISH CONFIRMATION STOP IN ANY EVENT
IT WOULD SEEM IMPORTANT THAT ANY OFFERS SENT DIRECT TO

P9/21

REDCROSS COMMITTEE OR LEAGUE SHOULD IF POSSIBLE BE IDENTIFIED
BY DONORS AS BEING MADE IN RESPONSE TO UN APPEALS STOP WRITING

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UNATIONS

GENEVA ;

1954 OBÉZ FOLLOWING IS TEXT OUR PRESS RELEASE ON RED CROSS AGREEMENT EMBARGOED REPEAT EMBARGOED FOR 1700 HOURS NEW YORK TIME WEDNESDAY FIVE DECEMBER BEGINS AN AGREEMENT HAS BEEN CONCLUDED BETWEEN THE UNATIONS AND THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS CMA BY WHICH THE LATTER WILL ACT ;

P2

AS THE AGENCY FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLIES FURNISHED BY THE UNATIONS FOR RELIEF TO THE POPULATION OF HUNGARY STOP THE AGREEMENT WAS REACHED PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION A/RES/399 CMA ADOPTED BY THE GENASSEMBLY AT THE SECOND EMERGENCY SPECIAL SESSION ON NINE NOVEMBER 1956 CMA WHICH REQUESTED THE SEC GEN TO UNDERTAKE ;

P3

IMMEDIATELY THE NECESSARY MEASURES FOR RELIEVING THE SUFFERING OF THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE AND URGENTLY APPEALED TO ALL COUNTRIES CONCERNED TO GIVE FULL ASSISTANCE TO HIM IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS TASK STOP THE AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE SEC GEN BY GEORGES PALTHEY CMA DEPUTY DIRECTOR CMA EUROPEAN OFFICE ;

P4

OF THE UNATIONS CMA AND CMA ON BEHALF OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS CMA BY ITS PRESIDENT CMA LEOPOLD BOISSIER STOP PARA THE AGREEMENT PROVIDES THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE RED CROSS WILL CARRY OUT RELIEF WITH CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO THE UNITED NATIONS PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION ;

P5

A RES/399 STOP THE COMMITTEE WILL USE ANY FUNDS TRANSFERRED TO IT BY THE UNATIONS FOR THE EXCLUSIVE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING IMMEDIATE AID TO THE POPULATION OF HUNGARY CMA IN PARTICULAR BY FURNISHING MEDICAL SUPPLIES CMA FOODSTUFFS AND CLOTHING STOP IT WILL DISTRIBUTE RELIEF UNDER THIS PROGRAMME IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ;

P6

PRINCIPLES OF THE RED CROSS AND IN THE SPIRIT OF THE GENEVA CONVENTIONS CMA WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION AND ON THE BASIS OF NEED ALONE STOP PARA THE COMMITTEE WILL SUPPLY ALL ORGANIZATIONAL CMA SUPERVISORY AND TECHNICAL PERSONNEL CMA SERVICES AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED FOR THE OPERATION OF THE PROGRAMME CMA AND THE ;

P7

THE UNITED NATIONS WILL DEFRAY SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE AND OPERATIONAL COSTS ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE PERFORMANCE OF THE UNITED NATIONS RELIEF PROGRAMME AS MAY BE AGREED BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE COMMITTEE STOP PARA THE UNATIONS AND THE COMMITTEE WILL ACT IN CLOSE COLLABORATION INREGARD TO THE PLANNING AND THE IMPLEMENTATION ;

P8

OF THE PROGRAMME STOP IN PARTICULAR CMA THE COMMITTEE WILL EXTEND FULL COOPERATION TO ANY REPRESENTATIVE WHO MAY BE SENT TO HUNGARY BY THE SECGEN IN CONNEXION WITH THE PROGRAMME STOP PARA IT SHOULD BE UNDERSTOOD THAT THIS AGREEMENT RELATES TO THE DISTRIBUTION OF RELIEF SUPPLIES ON HUNGARIAN TERRITORY AND ;

P9

DOES NOT COVER ACTION TO ASSIST REFUGEES FROM HUNGARY CMA WHOSE

DOES NOT COVER ACTION TO BE TAKEN
SITUATION HAS ALSO BEEN MADE A RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SECGEN
AND THE OFFICE OF THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR RELIEF STOP TAKING
ACTION TO IMPLEMENT THE RESOLUTION ON RELIEF IN HUNGARY
CMA THE SECGEN ADDRESSED AN APPEAL TO GOVERNMENTS ON ;

P10/34

FIFTEEN NOVEMBER CMA ASKING THEM TO MAKE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR
THAT PURPOSE STOP THE REPLIES OF GOVERNMENTS SO FAR RECEIVED
ARE AVAILABLE IN DOCUMENT A/3405 CMA ISSUED FOR GENERAL DIS-
TRIBUTION ON THIRTY NOVEMBER ENDS ;

COHEN "

CFM 1954 1700 A/RES/399 1956 A/RES/399 A/3405 "

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35 GVA 100 6 1243Z

26 DEC 1956

UNATIONS NY

INGVA 1956 COHEN FROM OBEZ CONFIDENTIAL YOUR 1933 JACOBSEN
INDICATES ICEM INTERESTED OFFERS PLANES FOR REFUGEES STOP
ESTIMATES THEY HAVE TO MOVE APPROXIMATELY FORTY THOUSAND

~~REFUGEES THIS MONTH INCLUDING TWENTY THOUSAND BY~~
~~PRESENT TRANSPORT BY AIR EXPENSIVE AS MOST PLANS EMPTY ON WAY~~
~~TO VIENNA THEREFORE~~

P2

INTERESTED IN OFFERS TO REDUCE COSTS EVEN IF NOT ENTIRELY
FREE OF CHARGE STOP AM EXPECTING REPLY REDCROSS COMMITTEE
ON POSSIBLE USE AIR TRANSPORT TO VIENNA SHORTLY STOP SUGGEST WE DO
NOT PUT DONORS IN TOUCH WITH OTHER

REFUGEES THIS MONTH INCLUDING TWENTY THOUSAND BY AIR STOP
PRESENT TRANSPORT BY AIR EXPENSIVE AS MOST PLANS EMPTY ON WAY
TO VIENNA THEREFORE

P2

INTERESTED IN OFFERS TO REDUCE COSTS EVEN IF NOT ENTIRELY
FREE OF CHARGE STOP AM EXPECTING REPLY REDCROSS COMMITTEE
ON POSSIBLE USE AIR TRANSPORT TO VIENNA SHORTLY STOP SUGGEST WE DO
NOT PUT DONORS IN TOUCH WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS UNTIL CICR
REPLY RECEIVED STOP VANHORNE IN CHARGE TRANSPORT PROBLEMS ICEM.

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UNATIONS NY

INGVA 1949 COHEN FROM OBEZ TO PELT DOCUMENT A3405 JUST RECEIVED
STOP SENT COPY MICHEL AND WILL DISCUSS USAGE CONTRIBUTION FRIDAY
MORNING STOP THIS CONNEXTION WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVE SUMMARY
OFFERS YOU CONSIDER EARMARKED FOR RELIEF IN HUNGARY SO THAT
PROPOSALS USAGE REFER ONLY TO THOSE OFFERS STOP

P2/39

~~UNDERSTAND FOR INSTANCE HCR HAS RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT
LUXEMBURG AND TUNISIA OFFERS ARE FOR REFUGEES~~

P2/39

UNDERSTAND FOR INSTANCE HCR HAS RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT
LUXEMBURG AND TUNISIA OFFERS ARE FOR REFUGEES STOP MICHEL STRESSES
AGAIN INADEQUANCY RESOURCES FOR RELIEF IN HUNGARY STOP WILL GIVE
ME FRIDAY FURTHER INDICATION ON NEEDS STOP PLEASE ADVISE BY CABLE.

CFM: 1949 A3405

81 SSS NY 26 6 1855Z ;

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UNATIONS

GENEVA ;

1975 OBEZ YOUR 1950 HAVE DISCUSSED MATTER WITH PATE WHO
DOUBTFUL WOLD SCHEME PRACTICABLE FOR SUPPLIES BUT AM AWAITING
FURTHER WORD FROM YOU ;

COHEN "

CFM 1975 1950 "

77 SSS NY 57 6 1817Z ;

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UNATIONS

GENEVA ;

1974 CONFIDENTIAL OBEZ QUESTION HAS BEEN RAISED AS TO WHETHER
UN LABEL MAY APPEAR ON SUPPLIES DISTRIBUTED BY CICR ON BEHALF
UNITED NATIONS STOP PATE INFORMS ME THIS AN ESTABLISHED ARRANGE-
MENT FOR UNICEF SUPPLIES DISTRIBUTED BY CICR AND EYE ASSUME
NO PROBLEM IN USING AN APPROPRIATE UN LABEL OR INSIGNIA STOP
CONFIRM BY RETURN CABLE ;

COHEN "

CFM 1974 "

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6. Dec. 1956

UNATIONS

GENEVA ;

1981 CONFIDENTIAL OBEZ YOUR 1949 UNITED KINGDOM FIFTEENTH THOUSAND
POUNDS STERLING ONLY CONTRIBUTION CLEARLY FOR RELIEF WITHIN
HUNGARY STOP BELIEVE CAMBODIA CMA CEYLON CMA INDONESIA CMA
GUATEMALA CMA HONDURAS CMA PART OF LUXEMBOURG CMA LAOS CMA
TUNISIA ARE INTENDED FOR RELIEF WITHIN HUNGARY BUT IN MANY
CASES DELEGATIONS THEMSELVES NOT ;

P2 ;

CLEAR AS BETWEEN REFUGEES AND RELIEF STOP WE ATTEMPTING
CLARIFY WITH EACH DELEGATION STOP REFERENCE YOUR 1923 SEC GEN
APPEAL OF NOVEMBER 15 TO GOVERNMENTS WAS FOR RELIEF WITHIN
HUNGARY AND WE CONTEMPLATING A SUBSEQUENT
APPEAL TO NGOS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC AS WELL AS POSSIBLY AGAIN
TO GOVERNMENTS ONCE WE -

P3/15 ;

CAN SECURE PICTURE RELIEF REQUIREMENTS FROM HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT
STOP AWAITING LETTER MENTIONED YOUR 1923 ;

COHEN "

CFM 1981 1949 1923 15 1923 "

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UNATIONS NY

INGVA 1962 COHEN FROM OBEZ COPY TO PELT YOUR 1974 AFTER
TALKING WITH GALLOPIN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR CICR EYE CONFIRM NO
PROBLEM IN USING APPROPRIATE UN LABELS OR INSIGNIA ON SUPPLIES
DISTRIBUTED BY CICR BEHALF UN STOP CICR LABELS WOULD BE ADDED
IN ANY CASE AS DISTRIBUTION AND ENTRY INTO HUNGARY MADE UNDER
THEIR RESPONSIBILITY

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UNION
REC-7 AM 9:15
TELETYPE UNIT

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UNATIONS NY

INGVA 1963 COHEN FROM OBEZ COPY TO PELT YOUR 1981 LETTER
FOUCHED TODAY

CFM 1963 1981