

Annex B

Complaint concerning the “misappropriation of land”

PUBLIC

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

PROVINCE – DISTRICT OF ITURI

IRUMU TERRITORY

COLLECTIVITÉ - CHEFFERIE OF W/B

ZADU GROUPEMENT

KOMB 1 KOMB 2 LOCALITÉ

Received this Tuesday, 11/08/2015, following my visit to Kombi on Friday, 07/08/2015 in response to a request for a meeting with me so-called chief of the Zadhū - B/Sud/Koga groupement, (illegible) Iriba Zitono or (illegible)

Cc for information:

The Commissioner of the DISTRICT OF ITURI in Bunia

The Chief Land Registrar of the DISTRICT OF ITURI in Bunia

The Human Rights [Coordinator] of the District of Ituri in Bunia

National Assembly members, all of the *Chefferie* of Walendu-Bindi, Kinshasa

Provincial Assembly Members, all of the *Chefferie* of Walendu-Bindi in Kisangani

All prominent figures of the *Chefferie* of Walendu-Bindi in Bunia

Chief of B/Sud sector in Kasenyi

Chief of the *Chefferie* of W/Bindi in Geti

Chief of the *groupement* of ZADU in ZITONO

Chief of the *groupement* of Bandikato in Nyamavi

Chief of the *groupement* of Bandihango in Kagoro

Re: Complaint

The Administrator of the territory of Irumu, in Irumu

Misappropriation of land in

the *chefferie* of W/BINDI in 1966

Madam Administrator,

We are honoured to refer to you the matter at heading.

The two *localités* of Kombi 1 and Kombi 2 came into being in 1938. The road crossing the two *localités* appeared in 1957. This is not the boundary between the *chefferie* of W/Bindi and B/Sud sector. We are aware of the 1930 and 1936 boundary; coming from Zamvu quite close to Lagabo, it descends to Sona Matete, Rugei to Lake Albert. According to maps. What has surprised us is that around the twentieth of July 2015, our brothers of [B/S] marked the boundary and placed markers in the compounds of the *localités* of Kombi 1 saying that the sketches [show that the] markers

belong to B/Sud. However, the boundary of the two *localités* starts at Valle de Kapuru and goes to Valle de Kagaro. Those who farm in that area are included in these *localités*. That points to provocation but it has not come to that.

That is why we are asking, Madam Administrator, and all those who have been copied in, to involve yourselves in this case so that the rights of the victim *localités* may be re-established. We are taking this opportunity [to say] that we do not want war in our *chefferie* of W/Bindi, least of all in the *groupement* of Zadu.

Please accept, Madam Administrator, our most patriotic regards.

For the Customary Chief

The Elders

NDODU DIANGO	TABO AZUGA	MATESO WARA
[signed]	[signed]	[signed]

MBUNYA NDUVI	DWANDO DJAGO	NYAZA KALOWE
[signed]	[signed]	[signed]

Chiefs of the *localités* of Kombi1, Kombi2

ANYOZO KASMAKA	MACHO WARA
[signed]	[signed]

[Round stamp of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, *collectivité* of W/Bindi, *localité* of Kombi (illegible)]

[Round stamp of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Orientale Province, *localité* of Kombi II, *Collectivité* of W/B]

Done in Kombi 1, 2 on 08/08/2015