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## LIST OF COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE SECRETARIAT IN RELATION TO THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE 1/ 2/

202. Note verbale dated 23 July 1958 from the Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations, transmitting "a message" from the members of the Assembly of Hsin-Chu Hsien, Taiwan Province, the Republic of China, dated 28 June 1958, "condemning the Sovietdirected execution of Imre Nagy and his associates by the Hungarian puppet régime". 203. Note verbale dated 23 July 1958 from the Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations transmitting "a message" from the members of the Fourth Assembly of Nan-tou Hsien, Taiwan Province, the Republic of China, dated 1 July 1958, "condemning the Sovietdirected execution of Imre Nagy and his associates by the Hungarian puppet régime". 204. Note verbale dated 22 July 1958 from the Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations, transmitting "a message" from the National Association of Youth Organizations of the Republic of China, Taipei, Taiwan, dated 12 June 1958, "condemning the Sovietdirected execution of Imre Nagy and his associates by the Hungarian puppet régime". 205. Letter dated 30 July 1958 from Mr. Kemsley, Representative of the International Confederation of Free Trade Unions to the United Nations, New York, transmitting a "Resolution on the Execution of the Hungarian Freedom Fighters", adopted by the Executive Board of the ICFTU at its 22nd meeting in Brussels, 3-5 July 1958. 206. Letter dated 30 July 1958 from Gerald C. Thormann, United Nations Representative of the International Federation of Christian Trade Unions, New York, transmitting the text of a resolution concerning Hungary, adopted by the 13th session of the Congress of the IFCTU at Vevey, Switzerland, 25-28 June 1958.

× 207. Letter dated 7 August 1958 from S. Collette-Kahn, Secretary General, Fédération Internationale des Droits de l'Homme, Paris, asking the Secretary-General to \*take vergent necessary measures" in connexion with the situation of Tibor Dery, a writer, and

Sandor Haraszti, "the President of the Union of Hungarian Journalists".

A copy of four of these communications (Nos. 202, 205, 206, and 210) have been distributed in full to members of the Committee.

<sup>2/</sup> All these communications, except Nos. 207, 209 and 215, relate to the trial and execution of Imre Nagy, Pal Maleter and their companions.

- 208. Letter dated 20 August 1958 from Jacques Katel, Director, Department of United Nations Affairs, World Veterans Federation, New York, transmitting a transcript of a radio programme prepared by the World Veterans Federation concerning the executions in Hungary.
- 209. Letter dated 3 August 1958 from Dr. Thomas Pasztor, Vienna, transmitting a report about the "present situation and latest events in Hungary based on documents and testimonies of witnesses", and a further report dealing, in particular, with "the violations of human rights in Hungary".
- 210. Letter dated 13 August 1958 from Dr. Bela Fabian, Chairman, Federation of Hungarian Former Political Prisoners, New York, dealing with repressive measure taken in Hungary and suggesting possible lines of action the General Assembly might take in connexion with the question of Hungary.
  - 211. Letter dated 14 August 1958 from A. Zawisza, "Minister, Republic of Poland, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Government in Exile), London", stating that "The Council of the Republic of Poland at the Session of 21 June 1958" has condemned the executions and appeals to the parliaments of the free world and to the United Nations Organization that all possible steps be taken to punish those who bear responsibility for this barbarous crime".
  - 212. Letter dated 20 June 1958 from Fritz Cramer, President, Comité International d'Information et d'Action Sociale, Paris and Bonn, protesting against the executions and expressing the view that the Government of the Soviet Union, not the Hungarian Government, should be held responsible for the death sentences.
  - 213. Two letters dated 18 July 1958 from Gerardo Melguizo, Perpetual Secretary of the Academia Colombiana de Jurisprudencia, Bogota, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Academy which condemns the executions and praises the International Commission of Jurists for its activities in the promotion of human rights.
  - 214. Telegram dated 12 August 1958 from S. Szalontai, Toronto, Canada, asking "to implement United Nations 1956 decision on Hungary".
  - 215. Letter dated 22 August/from Right Reverend Monsignor John S. Sabo, President, Hungarian Catholic League of America, Inc., New York, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Hungarian Catholic League of America at its convention held on 6 August 1958 at South Bend, Indiana, and requesting that the question of Hungary be taken up by an extraordinary session of the General Assembly.