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UNATIONS

GENEVA ;

1954 OBEZ 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 ;

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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 SECGEN
TO UNDERTAKE ;

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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
SECGEN BY GEORGES PALTHEY CMA DEPUTY DIRECTOR CMA EUROPEAN
OFFICE ;

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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 ;