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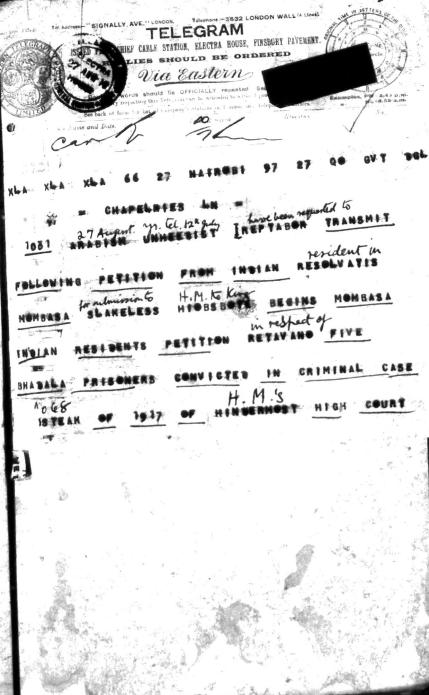
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TELEGRAM FROM the Officer Administering the Government of the East Africa Protectorate to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Dated 27th August)

(Received Colonial Office 11.45 p.m. 27th August, 1918.)

1031 27th August Your telegram 12th July I have been requested to transmit following petition from Indian residents in Mombasa for submission to His Majesty the King begins Mombasa Indian residents petition in respect of five Bhadala prisoners convicted in criminal case No. 68 of 1917 of His Majesty's High Court for East Africa to whom leave to appeal was refused on technical grounds praying for their reprieve or commutation by His Majesty of sentences of death On receipt of your telegram of June 12th I considered case with Executive Council and I confirmed sentences of death. Subsequently to August 23rd I considered similar petition from Indian residents with Executive Council and found no reason for very original Petition transmitted herewith is result. There decision. is in my opinion no reason why the ordinary course of (?) justice should be departed from. BOWRING.



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