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DATE
22ND NOVEMBER 1921

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SUBJECT

TUNISIA

SESSION TO ITALY

Requests information as to probable date of Provision in Estimates for 1921 up to August only and none in 1922 date. Delay is unsettling natives who cannot understand why decision is not announced.

- Mr.
- Mr.
- Mr.
- Mr. Grindley
- Mr. H. Lambert
- Mr. H. Read
- Mr. H. S. Smith

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*Copy to Mr. H. S. Smith
20 Dec 1921
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PARAPHRASE TELEGRAM from the Governor of Kenya to
the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Received Colonial Office 9.0 p.m., 23rd November, 1921)

November 22nd.

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Your cypher telegram of October 8th.
Jabalanda grateful for information of probable date
of cession. Provisions for administration in
estimates for 1921 up to August only and none in 1922
estimates. Delay is naturally unsettling the natives
who cannot understand why the decision is not
advanced.

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24th/1921



Downing Street,
2 December 1921.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
FOREIGN OFFICE.

MINUTE.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. A.7697/12/60 of the 9th November, and previous correspondence regarding the proposed transfer of Jubaland to Italy, I am directed by Mr. Secretary Churchill to transmit to you to be laid before the Marquess Curzon of Kedleston, the enclosed copy of a telegram from the Governor of Kenya, requesting information as to the probable date of session.

2. Subject to any observation that Lord Curzon may have to offer, Mr. Churchill would propose to reply that the negotiations have not made much progress lately on account of diplomatic reasons, but that they are now being again taken up, and that, ~~although~~ ^{while} such steps as may be possible will be taken to expedite matters, no definite date can yet be assigned as to the probable date of transfer: that in any event it would hardly seem likely that that

transfer

Mr. Batterbee. *30. 11. 21*

Mr.

Mr. *B. Stanley* 1.12.21 *f*

Mr. Grindle.

Sir H. Lambert.

Sir H. Read.

Sir J. Masterton Smith.

Mr. Wood.

Mr. Churchill

Gov. Tel. 22nd November.

...place before the Government
next year and that the Government will be
immediately informed as soon as it is possible
to make an announcement on the subject.

3. Mr. Churchill would be glad to learn
at Lord Curzon's early convenience whether he
concurs in the terms of the proposed reply.

I am, etc.,

W. S. CURZON