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The lands of East Africa granted to concessionaires

70000 acres can be granted at once but
dilemma of policy must await report on native rights
which will be ready in a few days. Balance of 60000
acres can be made up from area first applied for &
known to S & A - even some has commenced operations in limited
areas at once. On question of water rights all rights as regards
Govt. should allow syndicate all rights to timber & other
of these forest estate. (Mentioned in Decree 11513)

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TELEGRAM

Minister of the East African Protectorate to the
Secretary of State, Washington.

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No. 70. Your Honorable's telegram of 21st
March, meeting to-day with Owen Thomas (We are)
quite in accord 70,000 acres can be granted at once
but actual determination of portion must await report
on native rights which will be ready in a few days.
Balance of 130,000 acres can be made up from area
first applied for and extension to south and west.
Owen Thomas is commencing operations on limited areas
at once. On question of water he reserves all rights as
against Government. I would allow Syndicate all
rights to timber except on blocks of true forest
exceeding one square mile.

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