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LETTER FROM THE REPRESENTATIVE OF INDONESIA ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL, DATED 19 MARCH 1948

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you, under instructions from my Government, that the establishment of the State of East Sumatra under the sponsorship of the Netherlands Government, on 15 March 1948, is considered by my Government to be a violation of the Renville Agreement.

My Government protests this and intends to bring this matter into the discussion when the Security Council takes up the Committee of Good Offices' report on West Java and Madura.

> I have the honor to be, Sir, Your obedient Servant,

(signed) L. N. Palar

Permanent Representative

Republic of Indonesia