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11th January, 1921

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Fith reference to your letter of the 30th November and to previous correspondence in the subject of the proposed lean for the Government of Kenya, have the honour to forward herewith, for the information of the Secretary of State copies of a telegram received from the Treasurer Kenya, and of our reply.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

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Your obedient servant,

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for crown Agents.

Under Secretary of State, Colonial Office,

December, 19201 2

Reference loan to be raised for Kerry under ordinance similar to Nigeria general leen and inscribed stocks ordinance 1916 as amended by Colonial Office telegram November 16th to Governor Nairobi. In section 12 Nigeris ordinance words appear quote including any which might have been redeemed unquote. Shall be grateful explanation of need for retention words quoted. Idea appears to be to have fixed annual charge for interest and sinking Fund on revenue of Colony throughout period of debenture loan irrespective of dates of redesption of debentures by purchase or annual drawings butteubject to release of any excess of sinking funds at any time under sections 34 and 35 is this so. What was your intention for the 24,000,000 proposed to be raised on 6th instant as regards debentures redeemable at date to be named therein or by purchase or by annual drawings also as regards inscribed stock and conversion of debentures into inscribed stock also what arrangements contemplated for redemption of whole amount by new issue of debentures and or inscribed stock should money become cheaper. Legislative Council in January session will require fullest information and explanation on introduction of bill telegraph reply urgent.

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8th January, 1921

In reply to your telegram of 29th December Kenya Loan Section 19 applies to debentures fesued under Section 15 as well as Section 16 and the words quote including any which may have been redeamed unquote apply particularly to procedure under section 16. Wethod of repaying such debentures requires prescribed rate of interest to be taken on whole loan and after payment of interest on outstanding debentures balance applied to drawings or purchase. Words should be retained. Ordinance provides for interest and Sinking Fund contribution to be fixed at the time of issue of an latter would be strictly based on ourrency given to loan whether in the form of debentures repayable by drawings or on fixed date or inscribed stock, With regard to recent negotiations for issue of kenya Loan it was possible to place loan only in the form of Inscribed Stack with currency of 35 years with option to Government to repay in 25 years or after

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