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21068MR AND MRS SANDBACH BAKER  
APPLICATION FOR LAND

State not prepared to entertain any such application and considers Mr Sandbach Baker should bid for the land in the same way as other applicants. Suggests he should be requested to address all future communications to the Land Officer.

July 21st

From our point of view the despatch is to be welcomed - at their full ~~expenses~~  
application was practically invited. La 13/11/13

? Substitute & Mr Sandbach Baker  
[who will now probably not be about  
again]

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BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

August 21st 1915.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE

No. 653

Sir,

(S) 21068  
I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt  
of your despatch No. 489 of the 26th of June on the  
subject of a grant of land to Mr. and Mrs. Sandbach  
Baker.

2. It is estimated that the "small parcel of  
land" referred to in Mr. Sandbach Baker's letter of  
the 4th of June comprises about 50 square miles or  
some 32,000 acres. I have been unable to discover  
any arguments in the letters which he has addressed  
to the Colonial Office which would justify a special  
allowance and in the absence of a definite under-  
taking to initiate work of a new and valuable  
nature I am not prepared to entertain any such  
application and consider that Mr. Sandbach Baker  
should bid for the land he desires at auction in  
the same way as other applicants.

3. I would suggest that Mr. Sandbach Baker be  
requested to address any further correspondence  
on the subject direct to the Land Office, as  
communication

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LEWIS HAROURT, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES.

DOWLING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

\* No 21068  
† No 18939

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communication through you appears to be  
unnecessary and inconvenient.

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I have the honour to be,

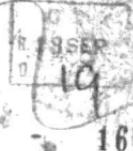
Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

H. Lowry Bequed,

GOVERNOR.

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Lia

With ref to the letter from  
the Dept. 12 ~~weeks~~ of the  
26<sup>th</sup> of June \* I am ~~to~~ directed  
by the Sec. Howver  
from you that he has  
received a copy + from the  
Govt of the U.S.A respecting  
your application for a grant  
of land in that country.

2. The Governor states  
that he has referred to your  
letter of the 26<sup>th</sup> of June +

Comments since 32,000 acres  
and that he  
has been unable to discon-

vey arguments in your letter  
to him which you have  
addressed to the Dept.

which would justify a special  
allowance. ~~and~~ The allow-