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Sultan of Zanzibar's properties on the mainland

Sends despatch from Zanzibar re: claims to be made w.r.t. part of East. Considers that questions involved in the first instance be discussed w.r.t. to Clarke & part of East. - Jackson's concurrence & suggests that minutes be issued to go accordingly.

Consent in the P.O. view may that the O.A.F. will be instructed accordingly

- & copy of concept to be to the O.A.F. giving him the necessary instructions.

at once.

G. J. R.

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In any further communication on this subject, please quote

No. 18525/09

and address --
The Under-Secretary of State,
Foreign Office,
London.

FOREIGN OFFICE

June 9, 1909

Sir:-

I am directed by Secretary Sir E. Grey to transmit to you herewith, to be laid before the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a despatch from His Majesty's Agent at Zanzibar respecting the Sultan of Zanzibar's properties on the mainland.

Clarke
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In Sir E. Grey's opinion the questions involved should in the first instance, at all events, form the subject of discussion between Mr. Clarke and the Government of the British East Africa Protectorate.

Should the Earl of Crewe concur in this view, the necessary instructions will be sent to Mr. Clarke, and I am to suggest that the Governor of the Protectorate should be authorised to enter upon negotiations with him.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient,
humble servant,

W. Langley

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

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Sir:-

with reference to your despatch No. 20 of the 26th
 January last respecting the properties on Mombasa Island
 and the mainland which are claimed by the government of
 the Sultan of Zanzibar I have the honour to transmit to
 you herewith copy of a report on the subject which has
 been drawn up by Mr. Lynd, the Director of Agriculture
 here who recently visited Mombasa for the purpose of
 enquiring into the matter.

I should be obliged if you would let me have your
 instructions in regard to the manner in which you desire
 that these claims should be made against the administration
 of British East Africa. If I might venture to make
 a suggestion, it appears to me that the simplest and most
 expeditious method of settling the question would be to
 direct

Right honourable,

Mr. Edward Grey, Bart, M. P.,

to Capt. Bann
in the 22
in Government

to Mr. Lynd
in the 22
in Government

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direct negotiation between the Foreign Office and the
Colonial Office.

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A further claim in regard to certain properties
situated elsewhere in British East Africa than at Mombasa
will be made as soon as the Zanzibar Government are in
possession of the necessary particulars.

I have the honour to be,
with the highest respect,

Sir,

Your most obedient

Humble Servant,

Sd/- Edward Clarke.

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Under-Secretary of State

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Mr. Pakenham 11/6

Mr. Buxton 12/6

Mr. Just.

Mr. Antrobus.

Mr. Cox.

Sir C. Lucas.

Sir F. Hopwood.

Col. Seely.

The Earl of Crewe.

Lu.

Have directed by the Earl

of Crewe to acknowledge the receipt of

your letter No 18525/09

of the 9th of June, and

to state, for the information

of Secretary Sir E. Grey,

that his concerns in the questions respecting the proposed that the prospects

Copy given 20. 10 June of the Sultan of Zanzibar on the manuscript should in the first instance form

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