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Visit of the Aga Khan to Zanzibar

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The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, and, by direction of the Secretary of State, transmits herewith copy of the under-mentioned paper.

Foreign Office,

September 28 1905.

Reference to previous Letter.

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ZANZIBAR,

August 29th, 1905.

My Lord:-

I have the honour to report, with reference to Your Lordship's telegram No. 28 Confidential, of the 21st ultimo, that His Highness Aga Khan arrived in Zanzibar from Bombay on the 15th instant.

His Highness was welcomed on board the mail-steamer by which he travelled by a representative of His Highness the Sultan and by one of His Majesty's Vice-Consuls, and was received on landing by other officers of the Zanzibar Government and by a large number of his adherents. Two days later a Barasa was held in his honour at the Palace, where I presented him to Seyyid Ali.

Aga Khan called upon me on the day of his arrival and explained at some length the objects of his visits, which were, he said, not so much the collection of subscriptions from his followers as the adjustment of certain differences which had

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His Highness proposes to remain here until the end of September, when he intends to visit Madagascar and afterwards British East Africa.

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Haile Selassie.

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