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Date: June 25, 2019

**UNITED STATES CONGRESS
REPRESENTATIVE** [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FASCIMILE [REDACTED]

RE: URGENT TERRORISM REPORT

Date of Incidents: 2016 to present

Dear [REDACTED]

We write this correspondence to you on behalf of two concerned residents of your Congressional district, residing at zip code [REDACTED], gravely affected by the facts noted in this report. [REDACTED] are also located within your [REDACTED] District. We were also referred, and discussed the issues raised herein, with other residents of your Congressional District, similarly afflicted.

Your residents, USA citizens of Cameroon origin, are concerned that international terrorism is committed against their family members residing in Cameroon as well as their business interests being gravely affected. These acts of international terrorism are being committed from within the USA by USA residents such as TAPANG TANKU IVO, ERIC TATAW, CHRISTOPHER ANU FOBENEH.

We are attaching as exhibits evidence of their international terrorism, which harms your residents' family members who continue to reside in Cameroon, as well as their business interests, and causes daily anguish and emotional distress to your residents.



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TAPANG IVO TANKU: The facebook posts of Tapang Ivo Tanku, who has admitted leadership of the “Red Dragons” armed group, include terrorism such as: As evidenced in the attached "Tapang Posts Compilation", perhaps at A8 of 31, Tapang notes "We attacked & burned the gendarm station inwe killed two [people] today."; or at A10 of 31, he requests that any dissenters of his political ideology should be "neutralized", meaning killed; or at A11 of 31 he orders his armed groups to "burn the houses of all elites in your community who are working for Biya."; at A13 of 31, he notes "we are now supplying bullets to load the guns we've seized....I will continue funding my Red Dragons [an armed terrorist group] in Lebialem."; A20 of 21 shows him stating, amongst other clear evidence of material support of terrorism and violence, how he raised "\$21,653USD" through the website www.nchangshoeboys.org, and has sent "18 boxes of cartridges for magazines airdropped into our zones..."; last but not least, at A27 of 31, he notes, "we have just killed 2 Cameroun [nians]". The evidence of Tapang's terrorism is overwhelming. During the last week of June 17-25, 2019, he discussed financing and providing bombs to his armed groups, and gloated over how many persons he will now be able to kill with those.

ERIC TANO TATAW: This link contains eight different videos of Eric Tataw where he orders his armed fighters in Cameroon to, among other things, cut the limbs and hands of any civilians that don't obey his commands of “ghost town”, or to destroy infrastructure, burn trucks, commit kidnappings, and murder. The link is thus: [https://www.dropbox.com/sh/d9\[REDACTED\]qknkjgwn/\[REDACTED\]](https://www.dropbox.com/sh/d9[REDACTED]qknkjgwn/[REDACTED]). He even admits ordering a teacher's hands to be cut, which was indeed cut and he names the teacher, because the teacher violated his “ghost town” policy and taught students in school. As recently as May 19, 2019, Eric Tataw was ordering his armed groups to kill any civilians who take part in May 20th celebrations.

CHRISTOPHER ANU FOBENEH: Mr. Fobeneh is the self-appointed “Secretary of Communication” for a non-existent Federal Republic of Ambazonia. In discharging his duties, he is preparing for “war” against Cameroon, has united most of the armed groups in Cameroon under his command, has threatened the UN not to enter Cameroon or “they will be MADE TO LEAVE. War isn't an EXPERIMENT, it's REAL.” He has called for the killing of government officials from Cameroon, and stated in one of our attachments dated 3/12/2018 that “hit and run and kidnappings are good strategies” Following his advice, there have been wave of kidnappings and hit and run attacks committed against innocent civilians by his fighters. He has also publicly offered “3 million CFA” for the kidnapping of a government official in Cameroon.



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Your residents and voters, USA citizens of Cameroon origin, fear for the deaths of their family members and obliteration of all their business interests in Cameroon.

As their attorneys, we believe these individuals, as well as their co-conspirators, are committing the following offenses:

I. TERRORISM CRIMES VIOLATIONS

1. **International Terrorism:** “International terrorism,” according to 18 U.S.C. § 2331 is defined as “activities that involve acts or acts dangerous to human life that are in violation of the criminal laws of the United States or of any State, that would be a criminal violation if committed within the jurisdiction of the United States or of any State.”

2. 18 U.S.C. §2(a) — Aiding, abetting, counseling, commanding, inducing or procuring a federal crime;
3. 18 U.S.C. §371 — Conspiring to commit a federal crime;
4. 18 U.S.C. §2332b — Conspiring to commit an act of terrorism;
5. 18 U.S.C. §2339A - Providing material support to terrorists;
6. 18 U.S.C. §2339C - Prohibitions against the financing of terrorism;
7. Other Federal crimes such as: Accomplice liability – Aiding and Abetting Law; Criminal Conspiracy (to crimes of murder, kidnappings, arson, assault, battery, without limitation); Accessory to crimes before and after the fact (to crimes of murder, kidnappings, arson, assault, battery, without limitation)

II. HUMAN RIGHTS LAWS VIOLATED

1. Charging torture (18 U.S.C. §§ 2340-2340B)
2. War crime (18 U.S.C. § 2441)
3. Genocide (18 U.S.C. §§ 1091-1093)
4. Child soldiers (18 U.S.C. § 2442)

III. ORGANIZED CRIME AND RACKETEERING



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Violent crimes in aid of racketeering (18 U.S.C. § 1959)

Section 1959 makes it a crime to commit any of a list of violent crimes in return for pecuniary compensation from an enterprise engaged in racketeering activity, or for the purpose of joining, remaining with, or advancing in such an enterprise.

IV. CONSPIRACY TO KILL, KIDNAP, MAIM, OR INJURE PERSONS OR DAMAGE PROPERTY IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY (18. U.S.C. § 1956)

This statute prohibits any person, while within the United States, from conspiring to commit at any place outside the United States an act which would constitute offense of murder or other criminal acts prohibited by Federal statutes was enacted as part of a broader legislation that was generally designed to combat terrorism in the United States and abroad, and to prosecute those conspiring to commit acts that would constitute federal crimes abroad. *U.S. v. Chhun*, C.A.9 (Cal.) 2014, 744 F.3d 1110, certiorari denied 135 S.Ct. 131, 190 L.Ed.2d 100.

V. EXPEDITION AGAINST FRIENDLY NATION (18 U.S.C. § 960)

In admitting that they are raising funds and preparing for “war” against Cameroon, buying weapons and bombs to finance their armed groups, they are acting in violation of this criminal Statute.

The United States citizens within your District, as well as thousands of US citizens of Cameroon origin residing in the USA, wake up each morning, checking their phones, their whatsapp messages, and fearing the worst, always likely to happen: families and friends kidnapped for ransom, silenced into submission with threats on their persons and lives, killings of family members, and other atrocities. Without the material support provided by these individuals, and as they readily admit about it on their social media platform (see exhibits attached), resulting in the verifiable massacres noted and documented by reputable organizations such as Amnesty International, your residents would not have this daily anguish, pain, and feeling terrorized and helpless. USA businesses have lost, reportedly, tens of millions of dollars invested because of their actions and material support of international terrorism.

A terrorist harboring in our midst is a most dangerous proposition, and such a possible scenario must be investigated comprehensively. It is just a question of time, we believe, before they turn their guns and weapons to attack US citizens living in the USA who don't agree with their political aims.



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History has shown us that if we don't pay heed to terrorist and violent acts of a group of persons directly affecting other regions in the world, they will become emboldened and direct their crimes and terror on USA soil. In addition, a humanitarian crisis and stateless vacuum will be fertile ground for established terror groups close by like Boko Haram and ISIS West Africa to setup operations basis, and greatly harm USA interests.

Your residents requested that, on their behalf, I provide this report and opinion to you. They will welcome an in-person meeting to discuss the issues raised in this report with you, and we will follow up with your staff with regards to the possibility of scheduling this meeting.

We thank you in advance for your continued great service to your District, and great knowledge and expertise in taking appropriate action to protect your residents' and voters' interests.

Very truly yours,
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Enclosures:

- *Exhibits re terrorism of TAPANG IVO TANKU*
- *Exhibits re terrorism of ERIC TANO TATAW*
- *Exhibits re terrorism of CHRISTOPHER ANU FOBENEH*