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Dear Mr Arnaldez

Case concerning the Land and Maritime Boundary Between Cameroon and Nigeria (Cameroon -v- Nigeria

I write further to your recent telephone conversations of 19 and 27 January 1998 with David Lerer.

I enclose with this letter, and hereby lodge with the Registry of the Court, 50 copies of a further volume of documents which are supplemental to the documents annexed to the Preliminary Objections of The Federal Republic of Nigeria.

As explained over the telephone, these documents, none of which is specifically referred to in the written Preliminary Objections dated December 1995, are being submitted in order to present the Court with as complete a record as possible of the relevant proceedings of the Lake Chad Basin Commission ("LCBC"), although the record is still not absolutely complete. It is appreciated that these documents are being filed quite close to the hearing of the Preliminary Objections scheduled for March 1998 but many of the documents have only been recently become available. All of the documents are part of the official record of the LCBC: as such they should be available to all Member States of the LCBC and none of them should be new to the Republic of Cameroon.

We believe that the majority of the proceedings of the LCBC are available in both English and French. We are happy to provide the Court with draft Translations of these documents into French if that would assist the Court. However, we believe that the Republic of Cameroon or indeed the LCBC itself should be able to provide French texts of most, if not all, minutes. If that does not prove possible before the Hearing, we would propose that we provide French translations of passages on which we rely at the hearing.

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I should be obliged if you would kindly acknowledge safe receipt of the enclosed documents.

As requested by you over the telephone, a further 75 copies of this volume of Supplemental Documents will be supplied to the Court prior to the hearing in March.

Yours sincerely

TIMOTHY H DANIEL