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NIMY Mayidika Ngimbi
(Phonetic: NIMee)

ZAIRE

State Commissioner for Citizens' Rights and Liberties
(since October 1986)

Addressed as: Mr. Minister



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Nimy Mayidika, head of a new ministry, has been one of President Mobutu Sese Seko's closest collaborators for almost a decade. Nimy [Redacted] last served as director of the President's Office (1977 - October 1986). He has sometimes acted as Mobutu's personal envoy and handled the negotiations that reestablished diplomatic relations with Israel. In his current post: [Redacted]

[Redacted] Nimy will serve as a last resort for citizens seeking redress. [Redacted]

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A member of the Bakongo ethnic group from Bas Zaire, Nimy is the only member of Mobutu's inner circle who is neither a member of the President's Ngbandé tribal group nor from his home region of Equateur. He earned a degree from the Faculty of Law of what is now the National University of Zaire in the late 1960s. He then served in a series of administrative and judicial positions in the government until 1976, when he became President of the Supreme Court. [Redacted]

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[Redacted] Nimy, who is about 43, speaks French. [Redacted]

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