

*Lobito route file*

# OUTGOING TELEGRAM Department of State

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ACTION: Amembassy, LUSAKA

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INFO: Amconsul LUANDA

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*Handwritten notes and signatures*

Eximbank requests, for locomotive loan memorandum, information on progress recruiting and training by GRZ, BCK Railroad, and copper companies of personnel for Ndola-Lobito rail route. Indicate progress on minor siding construction Mutshatsha to Dilolo recommended in Mitchell Report. / ~~XXXXXX~~ reports and plans to achieve adequate supplies of coal and POL for refining and transportation in Zambia desired as available. Does ~~XXXXXX~~ intend pay local costs locomotive shops? ~~XXXXXX~~ Is construction on Cubal variant yet underway?

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