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April 11, 1973

TO THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES:

With a view to receiving the advice and consent of the Senate to ratification, I transmit herewith the Convention for the Protection of Producers of Phonograms Against Unauthorized Duplication of Their Phonograms done at Geneva October 29, 1971. I transmit also, for the information of the Senate, the report from the Department of State with respect to the Convention.

The present Convention is designed to deal with the worldwide problem of unauthorized duplication of phonograms (i.e., records and tapes). The problem is urgent and growing. The value of pirated records and tapes in the United States alone has been estimated at one hundred million dollars. Protection against this illicit practice is needed to encourage the creative contributions of those who produce phonograms, the performing artists and the authors whose talents give phonograms their value.

I recommend that the Senate give early and favorable consideration to the Convention submitted herewith and give its advice and consent to its ratification.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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May 7, 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER *B*

SUBJECT: Ratification of Paris Convention for the
Protection of Industrial Property

On May ⁴14, 1970 you signed the Instrument of Ratification of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property (as revised at Stockholm on July 14, 1967) -- excepting Articles 1 through 12. The Senate had given its advice and consent to ratification of the Convention on February 28, 1970.

Under the terms of Articles 20 and 25 of the Convention, however, the United States could not deposit its ratification of Articles 1 through 12 until the implementing legislation had been enacted. Such legislation was passed in 1972 and published in the Federal Register on April 13, 1973. Thus, Articles 1 through 12 are ready for your signature ratifying them. This is a routine matter.

RECOMMENDATION: That you sign in duplicate the Instrument of Ratification of Articles 1 through 12 of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at Stockholm on July 14, 1967. (Tab A)

Signed: 5/8/73

Pres office (Tom DeLoach) advised 5/8/73
To State Dept, re 2241 5/8/73

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WASHINGTON

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October 12, 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER *HK*

SUBJECT: Proclamation of Articles 1 through 12 of
Paris Convention for Protection of
Industrial Property

At Tab A is a Proclamation of Articles 1 through 12 of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property as revised at Stockholm on July 14, 1967. The revisions are designed to bring the administrative structure of the international instruments for the protection of industrial property up-to-date with modern standards. Implementing legislation was passed on July 28, 1962 and the agreements entered into force on August 25, 1973. This document proclaims and makes public the entry into force of these Articles.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you sign the proclamation at Tab A.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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March 27, 1974

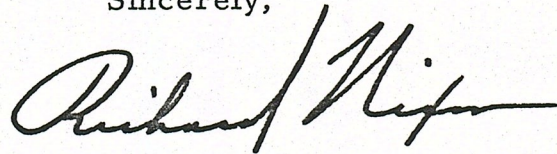
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With best wishes.

Sincerely,



His Excellency
Leopold Sedar Senghor
President of the Republic of Senegal
Dakar



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

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April 2, 1974

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MEMORANDUM FOR MAJ. GEN. BRENT SCOWCROFT
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Presidential Reply to Letter from
Senegalese President Senghor

We have requested Embassy Dakar not to deliver President Nixon's reply dated March 27, 1974 (copy attached) since Senghor's middle name was incorrectly spelled "Sadar" rather than the correct "Sedar." The post will return the letter to the Department.

We request that the letter be retyped with the correct spelling of "Sedar" and forwarded to the Department of State.

George S. Springsteen
George S. Springsteen
Executive Secretary

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 27, 1974

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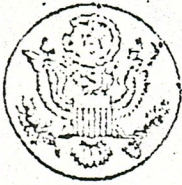
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MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Recommended Message from the President
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George S. Springsteen
Executive Secretary

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KIEBER OF LIECHTENSTEIN

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MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT NIXON TO PRIME MINISTER KIEBER:

BEGIN QUOTE:

HIS EXCELLENCY
WALTER KIEBER
PRIME MINISTER
GOVERNMENT OF THE PRINCIPALITY OF LIECHTENSTEIN
VADUZ

DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER:

PLEASE ACCEPT MY CONGRATULATIONS ^{ON} ~~UPON~~ YOUR PARTY'S
RECENT ELECTION VICTORY AND THE FORMATION OF YOUR NEW
GOVERNMENT.

THE AMERICAN PEOPLE LOOK FORWARD TO A CONTINUATION
OF OUR TRADITIONAL FRIENDSHIP WITH THE PEOPLE OF YOUR
BEAUTIFUL AND PROSPEROUS LAND.

MRS. NIXON JOINS ME IN CONVEYING OUR WARMEST GREETINGS

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TO YOU AND MRS. KIEBER.

SINCERELY,

RICHARD NIXON

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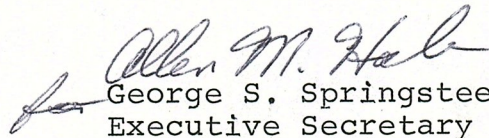
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WASHINGTON

March 27, 1974

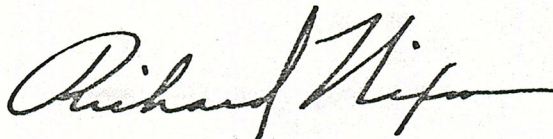
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President of the Republic of Senegal
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THE WHITE HOUSE 989

WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

March 23, 1974

FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER *HK*

SUBJECT: Suggested Reply to Letter from President Senghor
of Senegal

Senegalese President Senghor has written you requesting support for the Senegalese candidate for a newly established post of Deputy Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (Tab B). This is an inter-governmental organization responsible for promoting the protection of such intellectual property as patents, trademarks and copyrights.

There are at present two other candidates for the post of Deputy Director General from India and Chile, and others may be announced in the coming months. Therefore, we wish to remain noncommittal on any particular candidate until the names of all are known. Consequently, I have attached for your consideration a non-committal response to President Senghor. David Gergen concurs.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letter to President Senghor at Tab A.

Attachments

Tabs A and B.

MEMORANDUM

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

March 19, 1974

ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR SECRETARY KISSINGER

FROM: HAL HORAN *HH*

SUBJECT: Presidential response to letter from President
Senghor of Senegal

President Senghor has written the President (Tab B) seeking US support for the Senegalese candidate for the post of Deputy Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization, which protects such property as patents, trademarks and copyrights.

This is a newly created post for which India and Chile have also advanced candidates, and we expect others to do so in the coming months. Therefore, we wish to remain noncommittal on any particular candidate until the names of all are known. It is recommended that the President respond to President Senghor in a noncommittal fashion (Tab A).

RECOMMENDATION

That you forward to the President the memorandum at Tab I.

Attachment - Tab I.



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

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March 12, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR MAJOR GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Suggested Presidential Reply to Letter
from President Senghor of Senegal

President Senghor has written to the President requesting support for the Senegalese candidate for a newly-established post of Deputy Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).

WIPO and its predecessor organization called BIRPI have been in existence over 80 years. It is an 89-member intergovernmental organization responsible for promoting the protection of intellectual property which is:
1) industrial property, chiefly patents, trademarks and designs; and 2) copyrights, chiefly literary, musical, artistic, photographic and cinemagraphic works. WIPO also is responsible for the administration of 10 intergovernmental "Unions", each of which is founded upon a multilateral treaty. WIPO headquarters are in Geneva.

An American national, Dr. Arpad Bogsch, was elected to a six-year term as Director General of WIPO at the triennial WIPO administrative meetings in November 1973.

There are, at present, two other candidates for the newly-formed post of Deputy Director General of WIPO to which the Senegalese candidate aspires. They are from India and Chile. Others may announce their candidacy in coming months. Therefore, we wish to remain uncommitted on any particular candidate until the names of all candidates are known. A suggested reply to President Senghor is attached.

Stephen H. Mumford

George S. Springsteen
Executive Secretary

Attachments:

1. Suggested Letter
2. President Senghor's letter
and translation

SUGGESTED LETTER

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Thank you for writing me.

Sincerely,

Richard Nixon

His Excellency
Leopold Sadar Senghor,
President of the Republic of Senegal,
Dakar.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
DIVISION OF LANGUAGE SERVICES

(TRANSLATION)

LS NO. 40271 - B

THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC

No. 270/PR/SP.
Dakar, February 12, 1974

Mr. President:

It is a pleasure for me to confirm to you the candidacy of Mr. Soumane Goundiam, Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court, for the post of Deputy Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).

As you know, in the course of its meeting which took place November 19-27, 1973, at Geneva, the General Assembly of the aforementioned organization had occasion to debate the matter of geographical distribution of posts and, as a result, of the three posts of Deputy Director General which were established, one is to be allocated to a national from a developing country.

Remaining faithful to the tradition of dialogue which is one of our guiding principles, the Senegalese delegation to the Geneva Conference never failed, when there were official differences of opinion, to consult with friendly countries, including the United States of America, a country with which we enjoy fraternal relations of cooperation.

His Excellency
Richard Nixon,
President of the United States of America,
The White House,
Washington

In the course of private meetings, the African delegates confirmed their support for the candidate of Senegal, in accordance with the resolution of the African and Malagasy Industrial Property Office (OAMPI) which was adopted by the Organization of African Unity (OAU) and elucidated by the representative of its Secretary-General.

The other developing countries represented also associated themselves with the African position by deciding unanimously to support the candidacy of Mr. Goundiam, who thus became the candidate of the Group of 77.

In the hope that your country, a highly qualified member of the WIPO Coordination Committee, will use its decisive influence during the September 1974 session in order to have our candidacy approved, I ask you to accept, Mr. President, the expression of my very high consideration.

[Signature]

Léopold Sédar Senghor

Enclosure:

A copy of the abridged curriculum vitae of Mr. Goundiam.

CURRICULUM VITAE
OF
MR. OUSMANE GOUNDIAM
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR OF THE SUPREME COURT

Born at Diourbel, Senegal, April 23, 1922

1945 Graduated from Teachers' College, taught 1945-1947

1947-1949 Lycée of Montpellier, received Baccalauréat

1949-1952 University of Montpellier, received law degree

1953-1957 Justice of the Peace at Katiola, Ivory Coast, and
San, Mali

1957 Entrance examination for the Ecole Nationale de la France
d'Outre-Mer [National School for the Overseas Provinces],
Paris

1957-1959 Attended the Ecole Nationale de la France d'Outre-Mer
(Magistracy Section)

Trainee with the Office of the Public Prosecutor,
Department of the Seine

Graduated first in class

Appointed to the French Magistracy

1960 Assigned to the Mali Federation

Judge at Kayes

Public Prosecutor at Ségou

Government Attorney with the Bamako Court of Appeals

Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court of Mali

1962 Judge of the Supreme Court of Senegal

1966 Legal Adviser to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

- 1967 In addition to his judicial duties, he served as:
- Member of the High Judicial Council
 - Member of all Senegalese delegations to conferences of the Organization of African Unity
 - Representative of Senegal to the OAU ad hoc Conciliation Committee for the Algerian-Moroccan conflict
 - Vice-Chairman of the OAU Permanent Committee on Arbitration, Conciliation, and Mediation
 - President of the High Court of Justice
 - Delegate of Senegal to the BIRPI Conference at Geneva
 - Supreme Court Section President [Président de Section]
 - Delegate of Senegal to the Stockholm Conference for the Revision of the Bern Convention (Member of the Drafting Committee)
 - Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court
- 1968 Director of the Legal Division of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees and, as such, went on missions to Austria, France, Belgium, Congo, Senegal, Equatorial Guinea, etc.
- 1970 Resumption of duties as Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court
- Head of the Senegalese delegation to the Paris Revision Conference (Bern Convention and Universal Convention)
 - General Rapporteur of the Conference
 - Chairman of the Senegalese Human Rights Committee
 - Representative of Senegal to numerous conferences on human rights, refugees, right of asylum
 - On the invitation of the Association of Swiss Authors, lectured in Bern on copyright law in the developing countries

Lectured to the African Institute of Geneva and to the Belgian Human Rights League in Brussels

Member of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights

Assistant Lecturer, Faculty of Law, Dakar

Member of the Reading Committee of the Daniel Sorano Theatre

Member of the Jury of the National Cinematography Society

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Le Président de la République

N° 270 /PR/SP.

Dakar, le 12 Février 1974.

Monsieur le Président,

Il m'est agréable de Vous confirmer la candidature de M. Ousmane Goundiam, Procureur général près la Cour suprême, au poste de Vice-Directeur général de l'Organisation mondiale de la Propriété intellectuelle (OMPI).

Comme Vous le savez, l'Assemblée générale de ladite Organisation a eu à débattre du problème de la distribution géographique des postes lors de la réunion qui s'est tenue à Genève du 19 au 27 Novembre 1973. C'est ainsi que, des trois postes de Vice-Directeur général créés, l'un devra être confié à un ressortissant d'un pays en voie de développement.

Pour demeurer fidèle à la tradition du dialogue, qui est l'un des principes de notre politique, la délégation sénégalaise à la Conférence de Genève n'a pas manqué, à l'occasion de

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rencontres officielles, de se concerter avec les nations amies, parmi lesquelles les Etats-Unis d'Amérique, pays avec lequel nous entretenons des relations fraternelles de coopération.

Au cours de réunions privées, les délégués africains ont confirmé leur soutien au candidat du Sénégal, conformément à la résolution de l'OAMPI (Office africain et malgache de la Propriété industrielle) que l'Organisation de l'Unité africaine (OUA) a adoptée et explicitée par la voix du représentant de son Secrétaire général.

Les autres pays en voie de développement représentés avaient également rejoint la position africaine en décidant, unanimement, de soutenir la candidature de M. Goundiam, devenu, dès lors, le candidat du Groupe des 77.

En espérant que Votre pays, membre hautement qualifié du Comité de Coordination de l'OMPI, usera de son influence déterminante lors de la session du mois de Septembre 1974 pour faire approuver notre candidature, je Vous prie d'agréer, Monsieur le Président, l'expression de ma très haute considération.

P.J. :

un exemplaire du curriculum
vitae abrégé de M. Goundiam.

Son Excellence
Monsieur Richard NIXON
Président des Etats-Unis d'Amérique
Maison blanche
WASHINGTON



Léopold Sédar SENGHOR.

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CURRICULUM VITAE DE
MONSIEUR OUSMANE GOUNDIAM
PROCUREUR GENERAL PRES LA COUR SUPREME

Né à Diourbel (Sénégal), le 23 avril 1942

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|-----------|---|
| 1945 | - Sortie de l'Ecole Normale, instituteur de 1945 à 1947 |
| 1947-1949 | - Lycée de Montpellier - Baccalauréat |
| 1949-1952 | - Université de Montpellier - Licence en Droit |
| 1953-1957 | - Juge de Paix à Katiola (Côte d'Ivoire) et San (Mali) |
| 1957 | - Concours d'entrée à l'Ecole Nationale de la France d'Outre-Mer (Paris) |
| 1957-1959 | - Scolarité à l'Ecole Nationale de la France d'Outre-Mer (Section Magistrature)
- Stage au Parquet de la Seine
- Diplômé - Major de promotion
- Nommé dans la magistrature française |
| 1960 | - Mis à la disposition de la Fédération du Mali
- Juge à Kayes
- Procureur de la République à Ségou
- Avocat à la Cour d'appel de Bamako
- Procureur général près la Cour suprême du Mali |

- 1962 - Conseiller à la Cour suprême du Sénégal
- 1966 - Conseiller juridique au Ministère des Affaires Etrangères
- 1967
 - Cumulativement avec les fonctions de Magistrat,
 - Membre du Conseil Supérieur de la Magistrature
 - Membre de toutes les délégations sénégalaises aux conférences de l'O. U. A.
 - Représentant du Sénégal au Comité ad hoc de conciliation de l'O. U. A., dans le conflit algéro-marocain
 - Vice- Président de la Commission permanente d'arbitrage de conciliation et de médiation de l'O. U. A.
 - Président de la Haute Cour de justice
 - Délégué du Sénégal à la Conférence de Genève du BIRPI
 - Président de Section à la Cour suprême
 - Délégué du Sénégal à la Conférence de Stockholm de révision de la Convention de Berne - Membre du Comité de rédaction
 - Procureur général près la Cour suprême
- 1968 - Directeur de la Division juridique du Haut Commissariat de l'ONU pour les réfugiés

A ce titre : missions en Autriche, en France, en Belgique, au Congo, au Sénégal, en Guinée équatoriale, etc....
- 1970
 - Reprise des fonctions de Procureur général près la Cour suprême
 - Chef de la Délégation sénégalaise à la conférence de révision de Paris (Convention de Berne et Convention universelle)
 - Rapporteur général de la conférence
 - Président du Comité sénégalais des Droits de l'Homme
 - Représentants du Sénégal à plusieurs conférences sur les Droits de l'Homme, sur les réfugiés, l'asile.
 - a donné une conférence à Berne, à la demande de l'Association des auteurs suisses, sur le droit d'auteur dans les pays en voie de développement

- a donné des conférences à l'Institut africain de Genève, à Bruxelles devant la ligue belge des Droits de l'Homme
- Membre de la Commission des Droits de l'Homme des Nations Unies
- Chargé de cours à la faculté de Droit à Dakar
- Membre du Comité de lecture du théâtre Daniel Sorano
- Membre du Comité de sélection de la Société nationale de cinématographie
- Membre de l'Association sénégalaise d'études juridiques, des anciens de l'Ecole Normale, des anciens de l'Ecole Nationale de la France d'Outre-Mer, de la société d'histoire d'Outre-Mer, de l'Institut de recherches africaines, etc ...
- Commandeur de l'Ordre National Sénégalais
- Officier de l'Ordre National Gambien
- Officier de l'Ordre National Saoudien

TRAVAUX

- Article sur le régime sénégalais
- Article sur les réfugiés d'Afrique
- Article sur les Droits de l'Homme dans les pays en voie de développement
- l'Acte de Stockholm de la Convention de Berne
- Rapporteur du premier projet de loi sénégalais sur le droit d'auteur
- Rapporteur à la conférence de l'Institut européen des Droits de l'Homme, sur la liberté de circulation à Uppsala
- Auteur d'un document de base sur les Droits de l'Homme, à la demande des Nations Unies (cycle d'études de Dakar)
- Auteur de pièces de théâtre :
 - L'ombre de Dinga
 - Femmes d'aujourd'hui

NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

March 13, 1974

FOR: Noel Koch

FROM: Hal Horan *HH*
(x-5022)

SUBJECT: Suggested Presidential response
to letter from Senegalese
President

For clearance please. Thanks.

Att. *JK*

SUGGESTED LETTER

Dear Mr. President:

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Mr. Goudiam's qualifications are being carefully considered. I assure you that we will take your views fully into account in deciding whom to support for this post.

Thank you for writing me.

Sincerely,

Richard Nixon

His Excellency
Leopold Sedar Senghor,
President of the Republic of Senegal,
Dakar.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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LS NO. 40271 - B

THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC

No. 270/PR/SP.
Dakar, February 12, 1974

Mr. President:

It is a pleasure for me to confirm to you the candidacy of Mr. Ousmane Goundiam, Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court, for the post of Deputy Director General of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO).

As you know, in the course of its meeting which took place November 19-27, 1973, at Geneva, the General Assembly of the aforementioned organization had occasion to debate the matter of geographical distribution of posts and, as a result, of the three posts of Deputy Director General which were established, one is to be allocated to a national from a developing country.

Remaining faithful to the tradition of dialogue which is one of our guiding principles, the Senegalese delegation to the Geneva Conference never failed, when there were official differences of opinion, to consult with friendly countries, including the United States of America, a country with which we enjoy fraternal relations of cooperation.

His Excellency
Richard Nixon,
President of the United States of America,
The White House,
Washington

In the course of private meetings, the African delegates confirmed their support for the candidate of Senegal, in accordance with the resolution of the African and Malagasy Industrial Property Office (OAMPI) which was adopted by the Organization of African Unity (OAU) and elucidated by the representative of its Secretary-General.

The other developing countries represented also associated themselves with the African position by deciding unanimously to support the candidacy of Mr. Goundiam, who thus became the candidate of the Group of 77.

In the hope that your country, a highly qualified member of the WIPO Coordination Committee, will use its decisive influence during the September 1974 session in order to have our candidacy approved, I ask you to accept, Mr. President, the expression of my very high consideration.

[Signature]

Léopold Sédar Senghor

Enclosure:

A copy of the abridged curriculum vitae of Mr. Goundiam.

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OF
MR. OUSMANE GOUNDIAM
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR OF THE SUPREME COURT

Born at Diourbel, Senegal, April 23, 1922

1945	Graduated from Teachers' College, taught 1945-1947
1947-1949	Lycée of Montpellier, received Baccalauréat
1949-1952	University of Montpellier, received law degree
1953-1957	Justice of the Peace at Katiola, Ivory Coast, and San, Mali
1957	Entrance examination for the Ecole Nationale de la France d'Outre-Mer [National School for the Overseas Provinces], Paris
1957-1959	Attended the Ecole Nationale de la France d'Outre-Mer (Magistracy Section) Trainee with the Office of the Public Prosecutor, Department of the Seine Graduated first in class Appointed to the French Magistracy
1960	Assigned to the Mali Federation Judge at Kayes Public Prosecutor at Ségou Government Attorney with the Bamako Court of Appeals Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court of Mali
1962	Judge of the Supreme Court of Senegal
1966	Legal Adviser to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs

- 1967 In addition to his judicial duties, he served as:
- Member of the High Judicial Council
 - Member of all Senegalese delegations to conferences of the Organization of African Unity
 - Representative of Senegal to the OAU ad hoc Conciliation Committee for the Algerian-Moroccan conflict
 - Vice-Chairman of the OAU Permanent Committee on Arbitration, Conciliation, and Mediation
 - President of the High Court of Justice
 - Delegate of Senegal to the BIRPI Conference at Geneva
 - Supreme Court Section President [Président de Section]
 - Delegate of Senegal to the Stockholm Conference for the Revision of the Bern Convention (Member of the Drafting Committee)
 - Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court
- 1968 Director of the Legal Division of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees and, as such, went on missions to Austria, France, Belgium, Congo, Senegal, Equatorial Guinea, etc.
- 1970 Resumption of duties as Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court
- Head of the Senegalese delegation to the Paris Revision Conference (Bern Convention and Universal Convention)
 - General Rapporteur of the Conference
 - Chairman of the Senegalese Human Rights Committee
 - Representative of Senegal to numerous conferences on human rights, refugees, right of asylum
 - On the invitation of the Association of Swiss Authors, lectured in Bern on copyright law in the developing countries

Lectured to the African Institute of Geneva and to the Belgian
Human Rights League in Brussels

Member of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights

Assistant Lecturer, Faculty of Law, Dakar

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