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ARISE, AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE PARIS CONFERENCE WERE SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT TO THOSE SURROUNDING THE ONE IN LIBREVILLE. OUR OBJECT IN THIS WHOLE EXCHANGE IS TO TRY TO PROMOTE WHAT WE BELIEVE ALL CDNS WANT AND THAT IS CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE FRANCOPHONIE AND WITH FRANCE AND WITH FRENCH PEOPLE GENERALLY. WE TOOK EXCEPTION TO THE WAY IN WHICH THE ORIGINAL CONFERENCE WAS CALLED, FOR REASONS THAT HAVE BEEN MADE VERY EVIDENT AND WE HOPE THAT THAT WILL NOT/NOT RECUR AND CERTAINLY OUR OBJECTIVE NOW IS TO TRY TO PROMOTE THE INTERESTS OF CDA AND OF ALL OTHER COUNTRIES WHICH HAVE FRENCH AS A LANGUAGE. THAT IS OUR OBJECTIVE AND I HOPE WE CAN ACHIEVE IT.

QUESTION: WHERE IS OUR AMBASSADOR TO GABON NOW?

THIS MATTER OF THE NORMALIZATION OF RELATIONSHIPS IS UNDER CONSIDERATION.