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Executive Summary

The lack of progress in the remaining Non-Self-Governing Territories towards self-

after memories of the slave trade, the Holocaust, Apartheid, two World Wars continue to recede into our conscious recollection of past history, colonialism remains ever present with us.

Presentation Paper

What really is the problem?

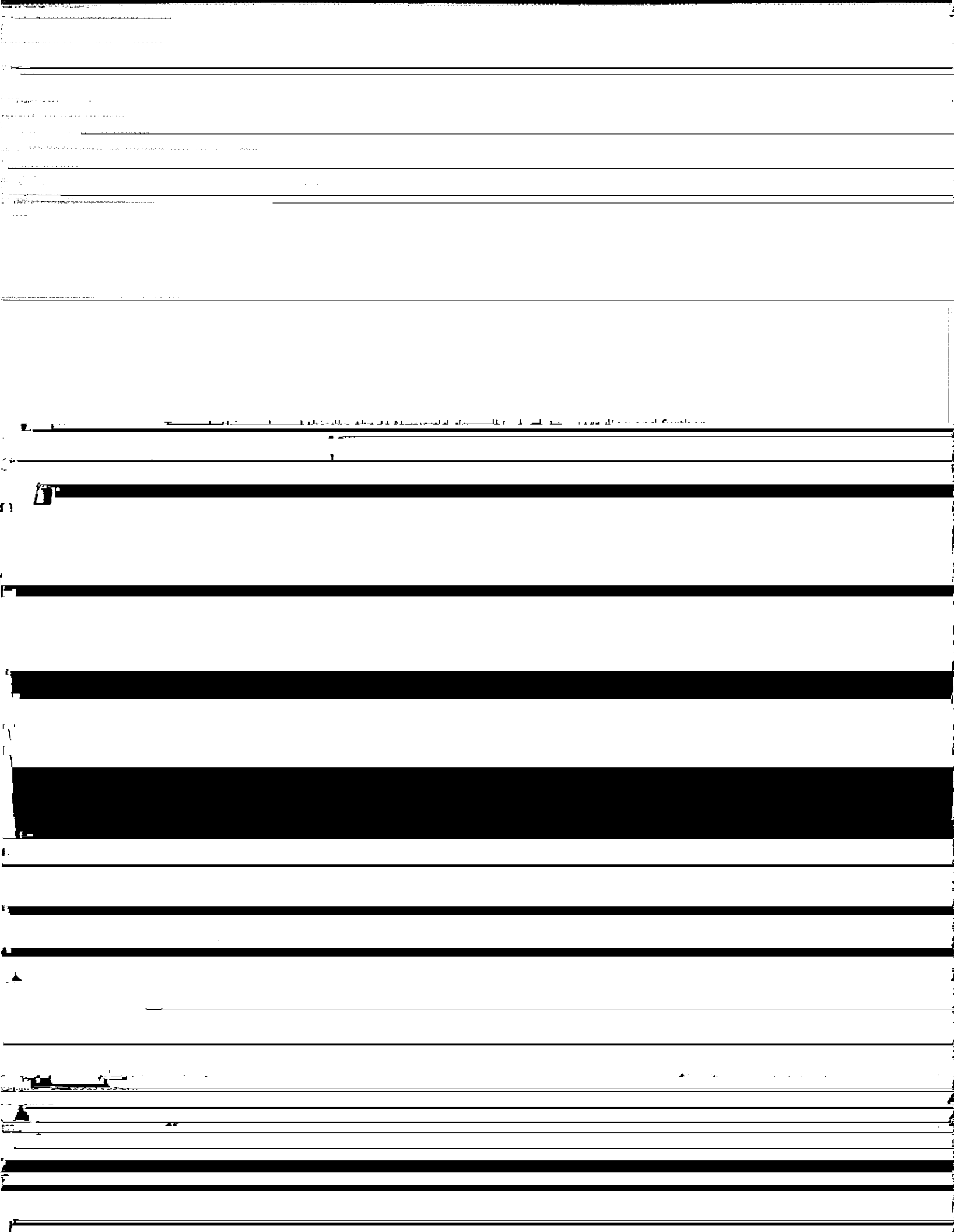
As recent as 2012, some three years ago, I made the following comment during a meeting of the United Nations Fourth Committee in New York City:

[Quote]

" The populations of the dependent Territories continue to subsist on the crumbs of Freedom that fall from our masters' table." [Unquote]

This, then in a nutshell is the Decolonization Dilemma: Do we continue to maintain and follow

(even for Independent countries). Add the up and downs of the global economy, global



subject of an Election Campaign, (or both) and could be affected during the upcoming General

(iv) Diversified economy by non-tourism related employment year round

(vi) Lower cost of goods and services made possible by the creation of a free zone area as an off shoot of the proposed deep water port

(vii) Increased direct air travel to Canada (with increased tourist airlift

(viii) Potential for improved hospital and medical facilities

(ix) Increased potential for post secondary education (and vocational training)

(x) Increased security for fisheries, immigration and the war on illicit drug trafficking (External Defense Posture)