

Theme:

1. Botha: Citizenship & Pass Laws - reform or mainly reversal? - Read 3 points of statement to Oxford
2. Botha: State of Emergency - police & army brutality: is Botha still in control or -- ? Remains after Natal speech - threat of split? Only one of 2 possibilities: ① approves, supports or condones ② no longer in control of police & army - withdrawing Police doctor P.E. - Dr Wendy Orr (360)
3. Actions ag. UDF, Cosas, Activists:
 - 3.1 - UDF: Charges of high treason (Purd. 16 - Pt. - 22 - Allan B. - 48) - ~~Other~~ leadership either detained or in hiding. ~~But~~ UDF ~~is~~ organizational work seriously affected - but work goes on & support for UDF is growing all the time
 - 3.2 - Cosas: Effect of banning - growing silent or secret support of community -
4. Basire: Charge of subversion (Int. S. Act) on 3 counts: disinvestment, school boycotts, consumer boycotts. Similar charge could now be laid equally ag. D. Tutu, myself & others - Basire's commitment to non-violent change re-affirmed in his sermon to his congreg. last Sunday - If that does not convince people as his stand nothing will. I spoke to him by phone last Saturday - emotionally & spiritually strong

5. Disinvestment & sanctions : Season & ongoing debate:

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- SACC resolution 28 June (N.C.)

- Surveys on blacks : 77% & 73%
(had S.F. - I.B.R.)
+ CASE)

- Industrialists pulling out (Sunday Star)
± 30 multinational business withdrawn or reduced their stakes

6. Trade Unions: Tremendous growth of Black Trade unions since during last year. Steady growth of unions affiliated to UDF - Federation falls well under way (28-30 Nov Durban) - Cusa withdrawn & Azactu excluded because of its non-agreement on principle of non-racialism

7. Position of ANC - Growing support among the people (outcome of 2 surveys) & decline in support for Inkatha & G.B.

- Business leaders visit to Lusaka/ANC - How to be interpreted?

- SACC : Requested interview with Mandela to obtain his views on Ukhama/nam, national conference etc. Also taking the first steps to meet especially with ANC & PAC.

- DRC : Statement by theologian at PE conf
since in P/m/ky

8. S.A. & Surrounding States : Mozambique (R.Mu), Angola, Namibia (CCU)

9. Church in Resistance to Apartheid :

- 9.1 - Role of SACC : stand on civil disobedience
- 9.2 - Role of SACAC.
- 9.3 - Invitation to 3 church delegations (in emergency, disinvestment, feelings of Black community, support for so-called moderate Blacks + non-violent leaders)
- 9.4 Kairos Document - Challenge to the Church
Crisis - choice before the churches.

WCC : ~~Process~~ Priority of SACC

1. WCC delegation to African countries and then to end in Cottbusen Consultation in S.A.
- 2) Request to SACBC to approach WCC as well as Vatican to take specific steps

- Steps:
- 2.1 - Both can only go as far as the white dominated will allow - but just far short of black demands
 - 3 - As even deeper & deeper members from the govt has to adopt banking measures
 - 3.1 - more police & army brutality
 - 3.2 - more harassment & suppression of political activities

4. Churches & church organizations are of great value allowed to assist

5. For practical - difficult to identify areas of many needs but specific areas

- 5.1 - Language - change of fund (D.C.)
- 5.2 - Communication
- 5.3 - Labour needs
- 5.4 - Trade unions the black
- 5.5 - Regional Councils
- 5.6 - Security needs
- 5.7 - South Africa is in need of international support

6. Staff Needs - South

Funding of SACE

1. Situation of conflict & crisis: serious & will not only continue but has to increase - by the very nature of the conflict.
2. Attempts at "reform" either too inadequate or too late:
 - 2.1 - Botha can only go as far as his white electorate will allow him - & that falls far short of black demands
3. As crisis deepens & emergency measures fail the govt has to adapt harsher measures:
 - 3.1 - more police & army brutality
 - 3.2 - more banning & suppression of political, student & worker dissent (UDF, Umas, Trade unions)
4. Churches & church organisations one of last bodies allowed to operate
5. Fin. priorities: - Difficult to advocate because of many needs but special needs.
 - 5.1 - Asingweni ^{not a} Emergency Fund. (D.C.)
 - 5.2 - Communication
 - 5.3 - Labour needs
 - 5.4 - Youth & Stud needs
 - 5.5 - Regional Councils
 - 5.6 - Housing needs
 - 5.7 - J&R
 - 5.8 - alt. Education
6. Staff: Demands - Dark