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Botha negeert dagvaarding commissie-Tutu: oud-president P.W. Botha blijft weigeren voor de Zuid-Afrikaanse Waarheidscommissie te verschijnen. [Volkskrant]

Date: 19-12-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 7

Sel. SAN newspaper art. 2-19/12/97 on the amnesties granted by the TRC to 37 ANC-leaders (legally flawed, according to legal adviser TRC), amnesty decision on Trevor Tutu + High Court decision on closed hearing of chemical warfare expert Wouter Basson. [Business Day + Financial Mail on-line]

Date: 15-12-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 17

Sel. TRC statements in December 1997: a.o. on submissionn AWB to the TRC, opening of "Register of Reconciliation", exhuming of bodies 10 MK cadres in Northern Province, former president P.W. Botha subpoenaed by TRC, various amnesty decisions, etc.

Date: 13-12-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 28

Sel. SAPA-reports 2/11-13/12/97 on the TRC: a.o. on debate about blanket amnesty decision on 37 ANC leaders, hearing on death Steve Biko, amnesty hearing of murderers Chris Hani, exhuming of more secretly buried MK-guerillas, submission DRC to TRC on its role under apartheid, etc.

Date: 10-12-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18500 Number of pages: 5

Office of the President – Promotion of National Unity and Reconciliation Second Amendment Act, 1997 (No.84): to regulate the composition of the Committee on Amnesty and to extend the period within the TRC shall complete its work.

Date: 06-12-97 Source: DOK. 20.1 Number of pages: 30

Sel. Nederlandse krantenart. 21/11-6/12/97 over de zittingen van de Waarheidscommissie in Zuid-Afrika met Winnie Mandela: beschuldigingen tegen haar, debat over schuldvraag en verantwoordelijkheid, commentaren, verslagen zittingen, achtergronden, etc. [Parool, Volkskrant, Gelderlander, NRC]

Date: 05-12-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.48 Page: 1-4

Winnie is still wearing white + Winnie rewrites history + More questions than answers + Winnie's position in jeopardy + State ignored driver's evidence for nine years: reports on Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearings on Winnie Madikizela-Mandela (remaining questions, ANC position on her candidacy for deputy president, South African police lack of action, etc.)

Date: 05-12-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.48 Page: 26

The TRC's back-room fighter: profile of Truth and Reconciliation Commission national legal officer Hanif VALLY (1955-).

Date: 05-12-97 Source: DOK. 20.1 Number of pages: 5

Winnie: 'I am so sorry' – Winnie Mandela expresses regret for the deaths of Stompie Seipei and Dr Abu-Baker Asvat but stops short of accepting responsibility + other reports on the hearings on Winnie Mandela by the TRC. [Star]

Date: 04-12-97 Source: DOK. 11.1 Number of pages: 17

Submission (to the TRC) by the National Coalition for Gay & Lesbian Equality on homophobia in the conduct and defence of Winnie Madikizela-Mandela: criticising both Winnie Mandela and the ANC and commenting on the role of the TRC, events around the young boys in Winnie Mandela's company in late 1980s/early 1990s, etc.

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Track Two, Vol.6, Nos.3&4 Page: 4-10

For all its flaws: the TRC as a peacebuilding tool – Andries Odendaal (CCR) reflects on the paradoxes and lessons of the TRC process (p.4-6) + Blood feuds and childbirth: the TRC as ritual – Fiona Ross (UCT) assesses the TRC's frameworks for creating a 'shared past' and its capacity for conflict resolution (p.7-10).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Track Two, Vol.6, Nos.3&4 Page: 16-18+38

Facing our shadow side: Afrikaners must own their complicity – Ampie Muller (CCR) argues that many Afrikaners and Nationalists in particular are suffering from a kind of posttraumatic amnesia (p.16+18) + Justice that restores: How reparation must be made – perspective by Russel Botman of the TRC (p.17+38).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Track Two, Vol.6, Nos.3&4 Page: 24-6+40-2

Reconciliation: the road to healing? – Tom Winslow (Trauma Centre for Victims of Violence and Torture in Cape Town) wonders whether individuals and the nation can be healed at the same time – and whether 'reconciliation' does indeed heal...

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Track Two, Vol.6, Nos.3&4 Page: 27-33

Not a legal concept: advocate Richard Penwill reflects on TRC's capacity for reconciliation and much else that courts cannot do (p.27/28) + The trauma of testifying: Deponents' difficult healing process – psychologist Trudy de Ridder motivates for greater psychological support of all those who have gone through the TRC experience (p.30-33).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Track Two, Vol.6, Nos.3&4 Page: 36/37+43

Media creation: How the TRC and the media have impacted on each other – Anthea Garman, Rhodes University, argues that the media helped create the TRC and in return the commission has given journalists much to think about (p.36/37) + Selected readings on truth and reconciliation (p.43).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: The African Communist, No.148 Page: 40-63

Harvesting apartheid: The complicity of business in racial oppression – SACP submission to the TRC hearings in Nov.1997 on the role of business under apartheid (historic role in South Africa esp. during the last decades of apartheid rule)

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Mayibuye, Vol.8, No.4, Nov/Dec.1997 Page: 3-5+16

Business must confront its past: text ANC submission to the Special Truth and Reconciliation Commission Hearing on the role of business under apartheid.

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Mayibuye, Vol.8, No.4, Nov/Dec.1997 Page: 8

ANC supports reparation for victims of gross human rights violations (ANC preliminary response to proposals Reparation and Rehabilitation Committee of the TRC).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.1, nr.4 Page: 9

'Het ligt internationaal te gevoelig': interview met Klaas de Jonge over zijn bevindingen bij zijn onderzoekswerk voor de Zuid-Afrikaanse Waarheidscommissie naar geheime operaties van het apartheidsbewind in het buitenland en zijn twijfels over het gebruik daarvan.

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Onze Wereld, Jrg.40, nr.12 Page: 14-17

'Doodsbevelen staan zelden op papier': Klaas de Jonge over de chemische oorlog tegen het ANC – interview met de Jonge over zijn onderzoek voor de Waarheidscommissie naar de vuile oorlogsvoering van het apartheidsbewind tegen tegenstanders (incl. vergiftiging AABN-voorzitter Conny Braam) en zijn twijfels over het gebruik van zijn rapport.

Date: 30-11-97 Source: DOK. 20.1 Number of pages: 14

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 25-30/11/97 on the TRC hearings with Winnie Mandela – the many allegations of murder and abuse against her, the various (dubious) testimonies about her role, her complete rejection of all accusations, etc. [Sunday Independent, Beeld, Sowetan, Star]

Date: 30-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 21

Sel. TRC statements in November 1997: a.o. on amnesty decisions on Trevor Tutu + ANC-leaders and government members (5 p.), hearing on "Mandela United Football Club" in November, new members of TRC's amnesty committee, allegations against TRC-official Dumisa Ntsebeza, etc.

Date: 29-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

'De klus is geklaard, Palme is dood': Waarheidscommissie ontmaskert Zuid-Afrikaans doodseskader Z-squad (overzichtsart. over activiteiten van Zase geheime dienst tegen ANCers en anti-apartheidsaktivisten in het buitenland, m.n. de moorden op Zweedse premier Olaf Palme in 1986 en ANC-vertegenwoordiger Dulcie September in Parijs in 1988 (Lolke vd Heide). [NRC]

Date: 28-11-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.47 Page: 4+5

ANC chiefs can't stop Winnie + Winnie's week of reckoning: ANC unable to take disciplinary action against Winnie (despite her criticism), and report of the first week of Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearings on Winnie Madikizela-Mandela.

Date: 25-11-97 Source: DOK. 4.2 Number of pages: 15

Sel. SAPA a.o. reports June-Nov.1997 on the PAC: suspension PAC MP Patricia de Lille from Parliament, continued support in PAC for ousted president Makwetu, PAC/APLA officials testify for TRC on armed struggle (esp. on 1990s and 'military mistakes' made in the past), etc. [SAPA, ECNA]

Date: 25-11-97 Source: Debates of the National Assembly, No.22 Column: 6169-6201

Proceedings of the National Assembly, 3-25/11/97: a.o. debates on the Promotion of National Unity and Reconciliation 2nd Amendment Bill

Date: 23-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

PW Botha will be made to answer a nagging question: who decided to start brutal wars in southern Africa? (on subpoena former South African president P.W. Botha to appear before the TRC and his personal role in the repressive and aggressive apartheid policies of the past. [Sunday Independent]

Date: 21-11-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, no.46 Page: 4-5

More corpses in Winnie's cupboard: review of further allegations of Winnie MADIKIZELA-MANDELA's crimes. Incl. list of the victims, the accusers, the feence, and the cover-up. (shortly before TRC hearing).

Date: 21-11-97 Source: Debates of the NCOP, No.8 Column: 2078-2091

Proceedings of the National Council of Provinces, 18-21/11/ 97: a.o. debate on the Promotion of National Unity and Reconciliation 2nd Amendment Bill.

Date: 20-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

'Waarheidscommissie wilde mijn onderzoek eigenlijk niet': interview met onderzoeker Klaas de Jonge over zijn onderzoek naar de activiteiten van de Zuid-Afrikaanse geheime dienst in het buitenland, inkl. het geheime gebruik van gif en chemische wapens door het apartheidsbewind (met biografische details). [Trouw]

Date: 17-11-97 Source: DOK. 20.1 Number of pages: 3

Winnie's fury: I accuse – lengthy interview with Winnie Mandela about the ANC (strongly criticising ANC leadership for forgetting their promises etc.), her hearings before the TRC (rejecting all accusations), the death penalty, etc. [Star]

Date: 15-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 20

The role of business: ANC submission to special TRC hearing – the role of business in shaping apartheid laws, business' own practices in the apartheid era, business & trade unions, beneficiaries of state patronage, business and militarisation of South Africa (Arm Scor, NSMS, etc.), nuclear weapons, sanctions busting + violence in KwaZulu-Natal. (References)

Date: 14-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 12

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 12/10-14/11/97 on the TRC: report NiZA on the chemical warfare by the apartheid regime, TRC uncovers 195 secretly buried bodies of MK soldiers, proposal TRC for reparation payments to apartheid victims, interview TRC-chairman Desmond Tutu on the work of the commission, etc [Sowetan, Business Day, Sunday Independent, City Press, Star]

Date: 14-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 11

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 14/10-14/11/97 on the TRC hearings about the role of business (private sector) under apartheid: texts submissions Anglo American and Rembrandt Group to the TRC, refusal Armscor to appear, Jay Naidoo on role business in repressive labour system, position Afrikaans Handelsinstituut (AHI), etc. [Sowetan, Business Day, Cape Times, Star]

Date: 14-11-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, no.45 Page: 7

'Peace' scientist's shady past: allegations of involvement by Brian Davey (now working at Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons in The Hague) in Wouter Basson's biological warfare programme – according to Netherlands institute for Southern Africa in report for the Truth & Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 14-11-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, no.45 Page: 12

Defending spoils of apartheid: Ronald Suresh Roberts reports on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearings on the role of business in apartheid.

Date: 13-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

'Zuid-Afrika achter moord op Palme' + 'Waarheidscommissie Z-Afrika moet gebruik gif onderzoeken': rapport Nederlands instituut voor Zuidelijk Afrika aan de Waarheidscommissie over activiteiten ZAs geheime dienst tegen ANCers en anti-apartheidsaktivisten in het buitenland (o.a. gebruik gif tegen Conny Braam en Klaas de Jonge). [NRC, Trouw]

Date: 12-11-97 Source: DOK. 11.4 Number of pages: 3

Presentation of a submission by the South African Reserve Bank to the Truth & Reconciliation Commission (summarising role and position SARB between 1960 and 1994 and apologizing for limited role in process of changing apartheid.

Date: 11-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 27

The use of EVSYS for preparing a Human Rights Database for presentation to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission in South Africa: paper Lydia Levin (consultant), Polly Dewhirst & Brandon Hamber (CSVr) for HURIDOCs conference in Mexico City, November 1997; Sources + Annexes on EVSYS programme and controlled vocabulary used.

Date: 10-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 16

Torture of detainees in South Africa (Kairos): summary of the report "Torture of Detainees in South Africa 1960-1970", presented to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission on 10 November 1997; incl. background on their research for the TRC. (Notes)

Date: 10-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 5

Sel. SAPA-reports 10-13/11/97 on presentation of research reports by NiZA and Kairos to the TRC about 'dirty tricks' South African security forces internationally and torture of detainees in 1960s; incl. (possible French involvement in) murder of ANC-rep. Dulcie September in Paris in 1988.

Date: 10-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 16

Evaluating the role and function of civil society in a changing South Africa: The Truth and Reconciliation Commission as a case study (Brandon Hamber, Tlhoki Mofokeng & Graeme Simpson, CSVr); paper for CIIR seminar in London, November 1997) esp. on the role of the NGOs in South Africa in relation to the TRC in the last three years. (Notes & references)

Date: 10-11-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 45

Submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission on South Africa's illegal and covert activities in the United Kingdom, presented by Lord Hughes to TRC seminar, Cape Town, 10/11/97 (AAM Archives)

Committee); on various attacks, disinformation activities, etc. against ANC, AAM a.o. people in the UK in 1970s and 1980s. (Bibliography, references & appendices)

Date: 07-11-97 **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, no.44** **Page: 12**

Gardener names cop in Ntsebeza set-up: gardener who accused Truth and Reconciliation chief investigator of being involved in Heidelberg Tavern Massacre, confesses to set-up by police

Date: 07-11-97 **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, no.44** **Page: 37**

Time for a TRC for conservatonists: plea by Farieda Khan of a Truth and Reconciliation commission inquiry into the role of conservational policies and organisations in the apartheid system.

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: DOK. 1.2** **Number of pages: 92**

COSATU Submission to TRC Hearings on Business and Apartheid, 11-13/11/97: incl. sections on business and the white minority state, racial and gender discrimination in the workplace, repression against organising workers/unions – in general and spec. on the mining industry, migrant labour and hostels + proposals and conclusions. [<http://cosatu.org.za/docs>]

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 22**

Medico Rundschreiben 3-4/97 (Medico International): a.o. Sudafrica – Eine Wahrheitkommission in ausserster Position in Kapstadt (general review work Truth Commission in South Africa; 10 p.) + Sudafrica – Eine Reise ins Innere (report of seminar on the TRC and the Khulumani Support Group for victims of apartheid violence; 12 p.).

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 45**

Torture of detainees in South Africa (Kairos): report to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, presented 10/11/97, on repression in the 1960s, incl. repressive legislation, role Security Police, torture of detainees and prisoners (both in general and spec. cases), involvement 'torture experts' from Argentina, etc. (Notes)

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: DOK. 7.4** **Number of pages: 47**

Building bridges in Southern Africa:Conflict, reconstruction and reconciliation in times of change – sel. papers from symposium in Johannesburg, June 1996 (CSV & Oxfam); incl. Rwanda: beyond 'ethnic conflict' (Anne Mackintosh; 11 p.) + Collective memory and the process of reconciliation & reconstruction (a.o. on South Africa; Wiseman Chirwa; 4 p.).

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: DOK. 7.4** **Number of pages: 47**

Building bridges in Southern Africa:Conflict, reconstruction and reconciliation in times of change – sel. papers from symposium in Johannesburg, June 1996 (CSV & Oxfam); incl. Reconciliation: the role of truth commissions and alternative ways of healing (a.o. on Mozambique; Noel M. Chicuecue; 4 p.).

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: DOK. 7.4** **Number of pages: 47**

Building bridges in Southern Africa:Conflict, reconstruction and reconciliation in times of change – sel. papers from symposium in Johannesburg, June 1996 (CSV & Oxfam); incl. Reciprocal lessons for NGOs in Southern Africa and Central America (Martha Thompson; 5 p.) + Further reading & sources. [Development in Practice, Vo.7, No.4, Nov.1997, p.436 e.v.]

Date: 00-11-97 **Source: Truth Talk, November 1997** **Number of pages: 14**

Official Newsletter of the Truth & Reconciliation Commission : various short art. on work of the TRC, esp. on reparation, rehabilitation and restitution, the TRC's Amnesty Committee, regional and public hearings TRC, preparations for final report, etc.

Date: 31-10-97 **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.43** **Page: 2**

TRC sacks corrupt staff: sacking and disciplining of Truth and Reconciliation Commission's staff. + Goosen quit after 'sinister' slur: TRC's chief investigator Glen GOOSEN quits after having been accused of having a sinister agenda by his boss Dumisa Ntsebeza.

Date: 28-10-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 19**

Sel. TRC statements in October 1997: a.o. on proposed reparation and rehabilitation policies of the TRC, (5 p.), hearings on role judiciary under apartheid, various amnesty decisions (incl. granting to former APLA and MK members + denial to IFP-member Vusi Hlengwe), etc.

Date: 24-10-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.42 Page: 1+3

Winnie's startling attack on Madiba at the TRC + Winnie accuses Mandela at TRC: Winnie Madikizela-Mandela accuses ANC leaders (incl. Mandela) to wage campaign against her at closed Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearing. Incl. relations Winnie's and ANC's legal team.

Date: 22-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 8

Sel. SAN newspaper art. 19-22/10/97 on the TRC hearings on the role of the judiciary in South Africa under apartheid, esp. the joint submission of five top-judges (I.Mohamed, A. Chaskalson, M.Corbett, H.van Heerden and P.Langa) on the crucial role of the legal system in the implementation of apartheid. [Star, Beeld, City Press, Sunday Times, Sunday Independent]

Date: 21-10-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 20

Sel. ANC press statements 3-21/10/97:a.o. on ANC-NWC meeting 20/10/97, new health bills before parliament, TRC hearing for security members, IDASA research into peoples' support for politics/ parties, debates in ANC in preparation of its 50th conference, etc.

Date: 21-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 33

Sel. SAPA & ECN-reports 1-21/10/97 on the TRC: a.o. on the role of the South African judiciary under apartheid (incl. submission General Council of the Bar of South Africa), inquest into death Samora Machel, responsibility former government officials for human rights abuses security forces, testimony on Ribeiro murders, amnesty hearing Eugene de Kock, etc.

Date: 21-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 4

TRC – transcripts of amnesty hearings, sel. available on the TRC website: index of transcripts amnesty hearings Clive Derby-Lewis & Janusz Walus (assassins of Chris Hani; August 1997), on death of Amy Biehl and St. James Church massacre (hearings in July 1997).

Date: 19-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 15

Sel. SAN newspaper art. 15-19/10/97 on the submissions of former government and NP-leaders Pik Botha, Leon Wessels, Adriaan Vlok and Roelf Meyer to the TRC on the role (human rights abuses) of the South African security forces under apartheid, responsibility government, etc. (reports/comments) [City Press, Business Day, Star, Citizen, Sowetan]

Date: 19-10-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 1

A Volkstaat is not our thing: Afrikaner business says it does not see Volkstaat as viable – position Afrikaanse Handelsinstituut (also on AHI suggestion to use its special political unrest insurance fund for TRC reparation payments). [City Press]

Date: 17-10-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.41 Page: 12

Lawyers feast at the body of truth + Victims get the short straw at hearings: lawyers earn good money for representing accused at Truth and Reconciliation Commission, as opposed to victims of gross violations of human rights

Date: 16-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 17

Sel. Business Day on-line art. 6-16/10/97 on the TRC: a.o. testimony Leon Wessels on role NP (government) in relation to criminal activities by security forces (police/SADF), role business under apartheid, etc.

Date: 10-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 / DOK. 18 Number of pages: 2

Police and special forces blame each other: the key question is whether the police killed the Ribeiros with help from special forces, or the other way around (on killing Ribeiro couple in 1986) + TRC must steer near-impossible course between 'justice' and common good (by Wilhelm Verwoerd, Univ. of Stellenbosch and researcher TRC). [Star]

Date: 03-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 2

Jornalisten heulden met de apartheid + Zuid-Afrikaanse pers keek naar het eigen verleden: beide over de zittingen van de Waarheidscommissie over de rol van de pers onder de apartheid.
[De journalist, 3/10/97 + NRC, 20/9/97]

Date: 03-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 5

The TRC and human rights journalism in South Africa: address by Dr Alex Boraine, deputy chair TRC; commenting on the significance of the work of the TRC (on truth, reconciliation and reparation) and the media coverage of its activities.

Date: 00-10-97 Source: Frontiers of freedom, No.14 Page: 21-23

Optical illusion: SAIRR-researcher Terence Corrigan finds it difficult to see how a new official history – written under the auspices of the truth commission – will promote reconciliation.

Date: 00-10-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 8

Verzoening in Zuid-Afrika en Malawi: In de schaduw van de Waarheidscommissie (Peter vd Akker over de pogingen van Duma Khumalo, een van de 'Sharpeville Six' om met zijn verleden af te rekenen; 3 p.) + Waarheid kun je niet eten (Madeleine Maurick over het verzoeningsproces en m.n. het gebrek aan compensatie voor de slachtoffers, in Malawi; 3 p.). [Bijeen]

Date: 30-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 28

Sel. TRC statements in September 1997 on hearings political and military leaders South Africa, hearings on the role of the media under apartheid, resolution of conflict between TRC and NP, extension work TRC until mid-1998, hearings on role business, various amnesty decisions (a.o. on AWB & OB leaders – denied, incl. reasons for decision; 5 p.), etc.

Date: 29-09-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 21

Sel. ANC press statements 16-29/9/97: a.o. election Mathole Motshekga as chairperson ANC Gauteng province (incl. speech Motshekga; 4 p.), ANC-NWC meeting, political violence in Kwa Zulu-Natal (several), reburial of MK-soldiers exhumed by the TRC, etc.

Date: 29-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 26

Sel. SAPA & ECN-reports 1-29/9/97 on the TRC: a.o. testimony retired security police general Nic van Rensburg, start hearing Eugene de Kock, various testimonies on the role of the media (incl. SABC) under apartheid, hearing on killing Steve Biko, conflict between TRC and NP, amnesty application dead line extended to September 30, etc.

Date: 27-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 6

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 19-27/9/97 on the TRC hearings about the role of the South African press during apartheid, incl. submissions by Nasionale Pers journalists & Argus (now: Independent) Group of newspapers, (secret) desinformation campaign regime and collaboration journalists, role Afrikaans press, etc.

[Die Burger, Sowetan, Star]

Date: 26-09-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18298 Page: 2-5

Proclamations by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Committee on Amnesty – granting of amnesty on 5/9/97 to five people in respect of (political) murders in Durban in 1990, and five others in respect to activities in support of ANC/ MK in the early 1990s.

Date: 24-09-97 Source: DOK. 15.1 Number of pages: 1

"Kerk Zuid-Afrika is in verwarring en zwijgt": (enigszins verkorte versie van) toespraak Zase ambassadeur in Nederland Carl Niehaus over verzoening en het belang van religie in Zuid-Afrika. [Trouw]

Date: 23-09-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 16

Sel. National Party statements 15/7-23/9/97: a.o. on the settlement between the NP and TRC, list of new appointments of NP executive officials (2 p.), on housing issues, etc.

Date: 22-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

Statement by Dr A Omar MP, Minister of Justice, with regard to his meeting with the TRC on 16 September 1997 in connection with amnesty applications (on extension work TRC into 1998).

Date: 20-09-97 Source: DOK. 20.1 / DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

De zoon van Steve Biko hoeft geen excuses (Bart Luirink): Nkosinathi Biko (26), zoon van Steve Biko, verzet zich hevig tegen mogelijke amnestieverlening aan de moordenaars van zijn vader door Waarheidscommissie. [Vrij Nederland]

Date: 20-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 63

Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Special Hearings on the role of the media during apartheid, 17-18 September 1997 – collection of on-line articles from 'Business Day' & 'Financial Mail', March 1996-September 1997; setting the stage, the hearings themselves + undercurrents and slipstreams. [www.netassets.co.za/resources/mediatrnc]

Date: 20-09-97 Source: DOK. 10.1 Number of pages: 50

Recepten voor verzoening: Zuid-Afrika op het Nietnix Toekomstfestival (PvdA-jongeren); dokumentatiemap festival met gesel. Zase en Nederlandse krantenart. over diverse thema's; o.a. interview Carl Niehaus (4 p.), sport (voetbal en rugby) in Zuid-Afrika (8 p.), int. Henk van Woerden (3 p.), ekonomie Zuid-Afrika (9 p.), de Waarheidscommissie (10 p.), etc.

Date: 19-09-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.37 Page: 3+8

Winnie linked to 8 murders: listing Winnie Mandela's involvement in cases of gross violations of human rights (incl. 8 murders) for which she has to appear before the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. + Winnie puts in strong run for top post: chances Winnie for dep.presidency of the ANC.

Date: 19-09-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.37 Page: 10+23

Media's dragons failed to answer: + How the media did the state's dirty work: review testimonies media companies at Truth and Reconciliation Commission (by Times Media Ltd and Independent Group) + case of security branch manipulation in The Star newspaper on an affair of Allan Boesak in 1982.

Date: 15-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 11

The role of the media under apartheid: ANC submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission; the context, the media as employer, the media as disseminators of information, Stratkom and the media, a few observations on the role of the media, the contribution of the independent media + conclusion and postscript.

Date: 12-09-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.36 Page: 12

Begging for mercy they never gave Biko: report on testimony Steve Biko's interrogators (by Harold Snyman, Gideon Nieuwoudt, Daantjie Siebert, Johan Beneke, Rubin Marx) at Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 12-09-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.36 Page: 38+39

TRC gets down to business: Truth and Reconciliation Commission to question the role of business in apartheid, inc. views businessmen on the issue.

Date: 12-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 5

Wat te doen met de erfenis? Over straffen en verzoenen na politieke omwentelingen (prof.dr. W.J.M. van Genugten, KU Nijmegen): alg. over rol van het recht, dilemma's en vragen bij bestraffing en verzoening na politieke omwentelingen en spec. over de Waarheidscommissie in Zuid-Afrika. (Noten) [Nederlands Juristenblad, Jrg.72, nr.32, p.1500-1504]

Date: 05-09-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.25 Page: 6

Biko: Now for the truth? – preview Truth and Reconciliation Commission hearings on murder of Steve BIKO and applications by policemen involved for amnesty. + Shotgun could link Barnard to Webster: possible evidence linking former policeman Ferdi Barnard with murder of anti-apartheid academic David Webster in 1989.

Date: 05-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

Het ongehoorde van Zuid-Afrika: impressies van Colleen Scott van een aantal zittingen van de Waarheidscommissie in Zuid-Afrika (inkl. betekenis en problemen van het werk van de commissie). [Trouw]

Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 10.3E Number of pages: 59

'Bulletin Zuidelijk Afrika' (Amnesty International), No.3, September 1997: intern bulletin AI LKG's Zuidelijk Afrika, inkl. verslag groependag Zuidelijk Afrika (p.4/5) + art. over politie in regio, Malawi, Namibie, persvrijheid in Zuidelijk Afrika, Lesotho, waarheid-verzoening-wederopbouw in Zuid-Afrika, Botswana, etc.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 10.3E Page: 43-45

'Bulletin Zuidelijk Afrika' (Amnesty International), No.3, September 1997 (59 p.): o.a. int. met Breyten Breytenbach over waarheid en verzoening in Zuid-Afrika.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: FXI Update, July/August 1997 Page: 4/5

Truth Commission investigation raises new challenges for media (FXI comment on TRC hearings on the role of the South African media under apartheid) .

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.1, nr.3 Page: 15-17

Stukje bij beetje dringt de waarheid door: het onmogelijke Zuid-Afrikaanse verzoeningsproces; zeer persoonlijk verslag door Antjie Krog van het werk van de Waarheidscommissie in Zuid-Afrika.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.1, nr.3 Page: 34/35

'Vrouwen getuigen, maar niet over zichzelf': interview met Mapule Ramashala, lid van de Zuid-Afrikaanse Waarheidscommissie, over de getuigenissen van m.n. vrouwen voor de TRC en het psychologische effect van het werk op haarzelf.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 104

Between Acknowledgement and Ignorance: How white South Africans have dealt with the Apartheid past – A research report based on a CSVr-public opinion survey conducted in March 1996 (Gunnar Theissen, Free Univ. of Berlin); incl. white post-apartheid myths and perceptions of the new South Africa and spec. the TRC. (Tables, notes & literature)

Date: 31-08-97 Source: Human Rights Report, August 1997 Page: 12-23

Human rights institutions: developments in August 1998 in relation to South Africa's institutions supporting constitutional democracy (Public Protector, SAHRC, CGE, Electoral Commission, IBA, the TRC and Commission on the Restitution of Land Rights.

NB: See also similar reports in Human Rights Report, issues June + July 1997

Date: 30-08-97 Source: DOK. 18 Number of pages: 25

Symposium and reunion for former members of the South African Defence Force (Pretoria, 30/8/1997): programme symposium (1 p.) + texts speeches by Gen. Jannie Geldenhuys (retired) and Gen. Magnus Malan – both mainly on the negative impact of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) on the image of the SADF.

Date: 29-08-97 Source: Mail & Guardian Vol.13, No.34 Page: 22-23

Will somebody please just tell me who killed my father?: report by Jann Turner of her search for the killer of her father Richard (Rick) TURNER, Durban January 1978 (role truth and reconciliation commission etc.).

Date: 29-08-97 Source: Mail & Guardian Friday suppl. Page: 7

Naspers in the dock: Afrikaans newspaper Beeld journalists willing to testify at the Truth and Reconciliation Commission on their role during apartheid – disliked by management

Date: 29-08-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18240 Number of pages: 3

President's Office – Constitution of the Republic of South Africa Amendment Act, 1997 (No.35 of 1997): to amend the Constitution of South Africa of 1996 in relation to the oath sworn by an Acting President and to extend the cut-off date in respect of the granting of amnesty.

Date: 29-08-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18250 Number of pages: 1

Government notice – Dept of Justice: Amendment of regulations so as to extend the period for submission of applications for amnesty (with the Truth Commission; from 10/5/97 to 30/9/97).

Date: 29-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 17

Sel. SAPA-reports 18-28/8/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: a.o. on new deadline for amnesty applications, role Vlakplaas in Shell House attack, investigation into Winnie Mandela (witnesses),

prosecution former CCB dir. Joe Verster, amnesty hearing of Chris Hani killers, new information on assassination of Anton Lubowski, etc.

Date: 23-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 20

Sel. statements by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, 6-23/8/97: a.o. on the TRC completing its work in March '97 (except amnesty decisions), hearing of former CCB dir. Joe Verster + amnesty decisions in this period, incl. on Msizi Jethro Hlope, members SAP Riot Unit and some ANC-activists (all for murders in context of political violence in SA).

Date: 23-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

Moordenaar zag Chris Hani als 'anti-christ': verslag van de zittingen van de Waarheidscommissie in Zuid-Afrika over het amnestieverzoek van de beide moordenaars van Chris Hani in 1993 (Janusz Walus en Clive Derby-Lewis). [NRC]

Date: 22-08-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18215 Page: 1-3

Truth and Reconciliation Commission – Amnesty Committee: Proclamation on the granting of amnesty by the TRC between 14/7 and 7/8/97 to 15 people in relation to politically motivated murders a.o. crimes in the past (incl. the murder of Griffiths Mxenge).

Date: 22-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

Hani killers: case for and against amnesty (Derby-Lewis and Walus must satisfy the TRC that they are telling the whole truth and that the shooting of SACP leader Chris Hani was a political act) + Amnesty applicants 'a law unto themselves' (refusal amnesty application of former policemen William Harrington and Frans Erasmus by the TRC). [Star]

Date: 18-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 3

Hani amnesty testimony raises unanswered questions: former Conservative Party MP Clive Derby-Lewis and Polish immigrant Janusz Walus appeared before the truth commission in Pretoria to ask for amnesty for death of SACP leader Chris Hani. Stephen Laufer analyses a week characterised by rambling anecdotes and inconsistent testimony. [Business Day on-line]

Date: 15-08-97 Source: Southscan Vol.12 no.29 Page: 225-226

Hani assassin gives details of foreign right-wing contacts: report on testimony Hani killers Walusz and Derby-Lewis before Truth Commission (incl. names foreign contacts, British Tories' Monday Club, Swiss and German right-wing MPs).

Date: 15-08-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.32 Page: 14

Derby-Lewis and the 'anti-Christ': short report on Derby-Lewis' testimony before Truth and Reconciliation Commission about killing of Chris Hani.

Date: 14-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 17

Sel. SAPA-reports 4-14/8/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: a.o. on amnesty hearing Chris Hani killers, hearings on IFP's hitsquads (trained in Caprivi) and its position towards the TRC, Mxenge family challenges amnesty Coetzee c.s., amnesty application by killer David Webster, etc.

Date: 08-08-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.31 Page: 7

Reasons why I had to leave: Rhode KADALIE on her motives for resigning from Human Rights Commission (incompetence commission officials, personality clashes, etc.).

Date: 07-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

Media release by the Minister for Safety and Security, Mr Sydney Mufamadi on the joint investigation by the Dept, the TRC, HRC and National Archives into the destruction of files created by the former Security Branch during the period 1960 to 1994.

Date: 04-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 4

Statement of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission on the granting of amnesty to Dirk Coetzee, David Tshikalange and Butane Almond Nofomela in respect of the murder of Durban attorney, Mr Griffiths Mxenge, in November 1981 (full text decision TRC's Amnesty Committee).

Date: 04-08-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 36

Submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: The Caprivi Trainees (by Howard Varney); detailed examination of the state sponsored hit quads operating in Kwazulu-Natal townships in the late 1980s/early 1990s, spec. on Operation Marion – SADF-trained and supported para-military unit to support IFP against ANC c.s. (Notes)

Date: 01-08-97 **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.30** **Page: 8**

Bomb blast missed NEC by just a day: some actions against ANC described in application for amnesty before Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Vic McPherson (bombing ANC offices in London, etc.)

Date: 01-08-97 **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.30** **Page: 23**

FW's cold calculation: Andre du Toit assesses F.W. de Klerk's submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (not accepting responsibility).

Date: 00-08-97 **Source: DOK. 11.3** **Number of pages: 42**

Summaries of judgements given by the Constitutional Court of South Africa (Lawyers for Human Rights): summaries of 20 cases before the Constitutional Court since Feb. 1995 – a.o. on death penalty, juvenile whipping, discrimination against women, censorship, granting of amnesty (by TRC), retroactive application of the Constitution, etc.

Date: 00-08-97 **Source: DOK. 3.1** **Number of pages: 4**

Waarheid en verzoening in Zuid-Afrika: getuigenissen van vrouwen – hoofdlijnen lezing van Zuidafrikaanse psychologe Mapula Ramashala over het (sexueel) geweld tegen vrouwen in ZA tijdens het apartheidsregiem en onderzoek daarnaar door de Waarheidscommissie (Meralda Slager). [Wemosscoop, jrg.19, nr.4, aug/sept.1997]

Date: 31-07-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 26**

Sel. statements by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, 4-31/7/97: a.o. on TRC response to NP court application, IFP's position towards the TRC, hearings on conscription during the apartheid years, investigation into Winnie Mandela + amnesty decisions in this period (incl. on 2 UDF youth activists and 2 BWB members involved in political killings).

Date: 31-07-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 9**

Sel. SAPA-reports 28-31/7/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: a.o. on conflict between TRC & NP, paper Dutch Reformed Church defends South Africa's border war in 1970s and 1980s, investigation into torture of detainees at ANC's Quatro camp in Angola in early 1980s, etc.

Date: 25-07-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 2**

Torture offer 'first choice' technique: TRC investigates the use of torture against detainees by the police under apartheid, incl. former activist and MK-member Rocky Williams on his (torture) experiences in detention a.o. statements at TRC hearing in this matter. [Star]

Date: 24-07-97 **Source: DOK. 5.1** **Number of pages: 17**

Sel. SAPA-reports 21-24/7/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: a.o. hearing former NIS chief Niel Barnard, SA Recce raids into neighbouring countries in 1970/80s, prison conditions in SA in 1965, torture etc. in ANC Quatro camp in 1980s, death Bram Fischer in prison in 1975, Zahrah Narkedien (ex Gretha Appelgren) on her ordeal in prison, etc.

Date: 22-07-97 **Source: DOK. 4.1** **Number of pages: 11**

Sel. press statements ANC Gauteng 7-22/7/97: a.o. on the TRC investigation into the 1993 killings at Eikenhof (by PAC), nominations (process) for Gauteng premier, position Tokyo Sexwale, etc.

Date: 20-07-97 **Source: DOK. 14.3** **Number of pages: 5**

Resolution adopted at 22nd Annual General Conference of IFP (on IFP's position on the 1999 elections, TRC, peace process in KwaZulu-Natal, role IFP youth, party discipline, organisational issues, position women in IFP and South Africa, loyalty to IFP-president Buthezi, etc.).

Date: 18-07-97 **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.28** **Page: 6**

Hanging judges to face truth commission: Truth and Reconciliation Commission to hold public hearings on judges and the issuing of the the death penalty (incl. names judges).

Date: 18-07-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.28 Page: 10

Gaping holes in tormentor's testimony + Torture was 'not a very nice habit': (flawed) testimony of torturing Western Cape policeman Jeffrey Benzien, and of one his victims, MK Peter Jacobs.

Date: 18-07-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.28 Page: 26-27

Media bosses who played the apartheid: Ken Owen (former editor Sunday Express) on collaboration South African media with apartheid government (role Newspaper Press Union/NPU in a case in 1983) and need for inquiry by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 18-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 14

Sel. SAPA-reports 13-18/7/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: a.o. on rightwing prisoners tortured by police, KwaZulu ANC-member granted amnesty over political killing, investigation into Winnie Mandela, hearing former NIS head Niel Barnard, amnesty application policeman Jeff Benzien for killing ANC activist Ashley Kriel, etc.

Date: 18-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

Statement by president Nelson Mandela on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (on the refusal of former NIS head Neil Barnard to reveal the names of prominent South Africans who worked for the National Intelligence Service in the past).

Date: 18-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 4

Amnesty laws weighed on scales of justice: political compromises have left South Africa with difficult problems – like an amnesty law which undermines confidence in the justice system (Steven Friedman, dir. Centre for Policy Studies). [Business Day on-line]

Date: 04-07-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 No.25 Page: 192

TRC probes Paris assassination: Truth and Reconciliation Commission to inquire into assassination of ANC representative in Paris, Dulcie September (1988) and to meet Rich Verster (SA soldier now in London in jail).

Date: 04-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 9

Sel. SAPA-reports 1-4/7/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: a.o. leaked report on secret Stratcom Projects in 1980s (covert disinformation, infiltration etc. campaign by SA's security forces in 1980s, approved by the government – State Security Council), death threats against Afrikaner journalists for supporting reform in 1980s, etc.

Date: 04-07-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.26 Page: 11

MI spy blows lid on scams, murders: Rich VERSTER (in British jail on drugs smuggling charges) to be interviewed by South African judiciary and Truth and Reconciliation Committee over former regime's involvement in drugs, Dulcie September assassination, etc.

Date: 03-07-97 Source: DOK. 15.1 Number of pages: 2

Media release of the Church of the Province of South Africa (CPSA; Anglican) on its submission to the human rights violations committee of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission – CPSA position on the work of the TRC and its own role during the apartheid years.

Date: 00-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 53

The People's Conscience? Civil groups, peace and justice in the South African and Guatemalan transitions (Richard Wilson; CIIR briefing); examination of the strategies used by civil organisations to participate in the peace process in both countries, the role of the South African human rights movement, civil society and political participation, etc. (Bibliography)

Date: 00-07-97 Source: SAn Journal of International Affairs, Vol.4, No.2 Page: 71-94

Politics, violence and reconciliation in Northern Ireland and South Africa (by Alexander Johnston) (Notes)

Date: 20-06-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.24 Page: 8

KZN deal gets warlords off free: concern over ANC KwaZulu-Natal leader Jacob Zuma's possible peace deal with IFP, which would involve a special amnesty – "unconstitutional" according to legal experts, undermining Truth Commission, criticised by grassroot ANC in the province.

Date: 00-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 9

TRC health sector hearings: an analysis + What the TRC health hearings reveal (both by Romi Bryden); summarised review of TRC hearings on the role of the health sector (organisations) under apartheid, 17-18/6/97 (6+3 p.). [Strategic Health Review: www.shr.co.za/opinion]

Date: 00-07-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 12

The health sector hearings of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC): report and assessment of TRC hearings on the role of the health sector (organisations) under apartheid (17-18/6/97) by the Health and Human Rights Project (HHRP), incl. implications for HHRP itself. [www.shr.co.za/opinion]

Date: 27-06-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12, no.24 Page: 181-182

Strains show in ANC alliance over terms of IFP peace deal: review rapprochement ANC and IFP (incl. deal on amnesty – undermining work and functions of Truth Commission) mutedly criticised by ANC alliance partners. Incl. motives and goals IFP on such a deal.

Date: 27-06-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12, no.24 Page: 184-185

TRC may reveal truth around Winnie Madikizela-Mandela affair : report on (recently obtained) additional evidence on Winnie Madikizela-Mandela's Football Club and their terror in the 1980s, expected to be revealed by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 27-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 15

Sel. (press) statements June 1997 by the Truth & Reconciliation Commission: on amnesty decisions TRC, the TRC's health hearings, Swedish government financial support to the TRC, conflict with NP, TRC focus on the role of children and youth during apartheid years, etc.

Date: 27-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 28

Sel. SAPA & ECNA reports 17-27/6/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: on TRC amnesty decisions, investigation of murder Dulcie September, amnesty hearing for Hani's killers, hearings on the roles of the press and health sector under apartheid (several), legal action NP against TRC, East-London hearings on youth under apartheid, killing Steve Biko, etc.

Date: 27-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 53

Submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission from Times Media Tld (TML): covering letter (signed C.Ramaphosa), part 1 – the fight against apartheid; part 2 – the context of the times; part 3 – a response to criticisms. Comp. R. Gibson. TML, formerly SAAN = RDM, Cape Times, Natal Mercury, Business Day, Sunday Times, Financial Mail, a.o. [www.tml.cp.za/trc]

Date: 25-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 12

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 3-25/6/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: investigation into Winnie Mandela and killing Stompie Seipei, roles health sector and press under apartheid, attack NP on credibility TRC, etc. [Business Day, Beeld, Die Burger on-line]

Date: 25-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

TRC health sector hearings: a review – mainly comments from various health organisations on the hearings of the Truth & Reconciliation Commission on the role of the health sector under apartheid. [Strategic Health Review]

Date: 21-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

Zuid-Afrika is gruwelmoe: reportage Evelien Groenink over de Commissie voor Waarheid en Verzoening in ZA, de onmogelijkheid om de hele waarheid boven water te krijgen, de spanning tussen waarheid en verzoening, etc. [Volkskrant]

Date: 20-06-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12, no.23 Page: 176

Doctors warned by TRC for apartheid era abuses: report on medical doctors' (organisations) submission to the Truth Commission.

Date: 20-06-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.24 Page: 11

Doctor Shock: 'I only gave them drugs' – psychiatrist Aubrey Levine replies on allegations he used electric shock therapy to 'cure' soldiers of their homosexuality + Horrors of mental camp before truth body: Truth Commission to investigate mental camps in which blacks were forced to work.

Date: 17-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 80

Submission by MASA to the TRC: introduction MASA (Medical Association of South Africa) + report on the role of MASA, other medical organisations and the health sector in general in relation to human rights violations under apartheid; both general and series of spec. cases/issues, incl. Steve Biko (p.5-14), detainees, political prisoners, etc. (Bibliography)

Date: 16-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 25

Sel. SAPA reports 2-16/6/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: TRC hearings on roles of the press and health sector under apartheid (several), SADF tried to 'reprogramme' gay recruits with electrical shock treatment, hearings on Witdoek vigilantes terror in KTC squatter camp in mid-1980s, silence of the Salvation Army during apartheid era, attack NP, etc.

Date: 13-06-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.23 Page: 13

Unto the third or fourth generation: Antjie Krog reports on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's hearings and her personal feelings.

Date: 06-06-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18040 Page: 1-3

Proclamation – Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Committee on Amnesty – amnesty decisions by the TRC from 13/3-14/4/97. (all amnesty decisions TRC published in Government Gazette)

Date: 05-06-97 Source: Debates of the National Assembly, No.11 Column: 3475-3642

Proceedings of the National Assembly in South Africa, 3-5/6/97: a.o. debate on the Truth & Reconciliation Commission, model for delivery of health care & the Abolition of Corporal Punishment Bill (col.3595-3614).

Date: 02-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 8

The role of the media under apartheid: Presentation by the Freedom of Expression Institute (FXI) to the TRC; review role of the press in SA from 1960 to May 1995, incl. media situation in general, total onslaught by the apartheid regime on the media and the conduct of the South African press in this period.

Date: 02-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 39

Actions against journalist in South Africa between 1960 and 1994 (Jennifer Nix; Freedom of Expression Institute; May 1997) – detailed chronological review of censorship and harassment of journalists in South Africa in this period. (Research paper with FXI submission to the TRC) (Sources)

Date: 02-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 136

Chronology of some pointers to the history of the media in South Africa (Karen Martin; Freedom of Expression Institute; May 1997): detailed chronological review of the relationship between the media and the government in SA from 1915 to 1994 (Research paper with FXI submission to the TRC) (Footnotes)

Date: 02-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 38

Legislation which restricted the press during the apartheid years (Karen Martin & Kevin Moorhead; Freedom of Expression Institute; May 1997): review censorship legislation in South Africa since the 1920s and the way they have been applied. (Research paper with FXI submission to the TRC) (Footnotes)

Date: 02-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 102

The role and performance of the mainstream newspaper industry, its management and editorial policies 1960-1994 (Christel & Hendrik Bussiek; Freedom of Expression Institute, May 1997); research paper with submission FXI to Truth and Reconciliation Commission – hearings on the role of the media under apartheid.

Date: 00-06-97 Source: FXI Update, May/June 1997 Page: 4/5

TRC legislation cited in criminal charges against journalists: will alleged perpetrators be able to silence journalists and stall debate on past human rights abuses, claiming that it may influence the proceedings of the TRC?

Date: 00-06-97 Source: DOK. 12.1 Number of pages: 15

The unpublished letters on Steve Biko (Daniel J Ncayiyana): extracts from SAMJ, Vol.87, June 1997 on the debate in SAMJ and MASA (esp. in early 1980s) on the role of the medical profession under apartheid (around the death of Steve Biko) (8 p.) a.o. art. on the TRC hearings, MASA, etc.
[South African Medical Journal]

Date: 00-06-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 10

Support for the rule of law in the emerging South African democracy (James L. Gibson, Univ. of Houston & Amanda Gouws, Univ. of Stellenbosch); examination of the attitudes towards the rule of law among South Africans, largely based on mass public survey in 1996. (Notes & references)
[International Social Science Journal, Vol.49, No.2, June 1997, p.173-191]

Date: 31-05-97 Source: Human Rights Report, May 1997 Page: 13-18

Review developments in South Africa in May 1997 in relation to a.o. Truth & Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 30-05-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 15

Press statements ANC in May 1997 on various issues: a.o. on withdrawal NP from the TRC process.

Date: 30-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 30

Sel. SAPA (& Ecna) reports 14-30/5/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: probe into the role of the State Security Council in 1980s, TRC staff demand severance packages, submission MMP on role media under apartheid, submission HRC on political violence in SA, ANC vs opposition over impartiality TRC, NP suspends participation in TRC, etc.

Date: 30-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 8

Sel. press releases & statements by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission 16-30/5/97: on hearings on the role of the health sector under apartheid, hearing on human rights violations in Mooi River (Natal Midlands), personal statement TRC Commissioner Wynand Malan (on his position towards reconciliation process; 3 p.), etc.

Date: 23-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

Women try to find the road to recovery: the ANC's submission to the TRC doesn't go far enough in explaining its euphemism of sexual abuse that occurred in exile camps + Argus accused of 'underplaying' shooting: TRC hearing on role Argus newspaper around Trojan Horse incident in Athlone in 1985. [Star]

Date: 23-05-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.20 Page: 152

TRC in quandary over reparations to victims in neighbouring states: sharp differences SA and former Front line countries over request Truth Commission to investigate cross border operations and killings – refused by Namibia, and no response from Angola and Mozambique.

Date: 23-05-97 Source: Debates of the National Assembly, No.9 Column: 3196-3244

Proceedings of the National Assembly, 19-23/5/97: a.o. debate on withdrawal NP from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 22-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 14

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 7-22/5/1997 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: TRC hearings on Trojan Horse incident in 1985, second submissions ANC and NP to the TRC (several), amnesty applications report (incl. those who applied and those who did not), etc. [Citizen, Sowetan, Sunday Times, Star]

Date: 22-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 5

Truth and reconciliation – In tension and unity: speech TRC Research Director Charles Villa-Vicencio at the SAn embassy in The Hague on 22/5/97; generally on the work of the TRC and the importance of truth and reconciliation in South Africa.

Date: 18-05-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 2

"Oordeel gerus self!: advertisement National Party on its moral and political responsibilities for its role in the struggle of the past (i.c. the apartheid era). [Rapport]

Date: 16-05-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 2

Press statement National Party by Sheila Camerer, MP, chief spokesperson on justice: National Party distances itself from the TRC's activities (following statements TRC-leaders on role NP in the past).
[NB: in DOK.11.2 – Press statements NP, January-June 1997]

Date: 16-05-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.19 Page: 142-144

ANC's gestures removes individual leaders from TRC limelight : review second ANC submission to the Truth Commission (some planned actions, attacks, internal abuses by ANC intelligence dept Mbokodo etc.).

Date: 16-05-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.19 Page: 145

'Death threat' after Winnie challenged at congress: ANC Women's League deputy president Thandi Modise claims to have received death threats after opposing Winnie Madikizela-Mandela for ANC-WL presidency. Incl. Truth Commission (problems on) inquiring Winnie Mandela Football Club terrorising in the 1980s.

Date: 16-05-97 Source: New Nation, No.154 Page: 6

Reassuring: Wits University political scientist Tom Lodge comments on the second submission by the ANC to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (ANC more ready to accept responsibility for particular human rights violations than other parties).

Date: 15-05-97 Source: Government Gazette, No.18004 Number of pages: 4

General notice – Ministry for Provincial Affairs and Constitutional Development: Constitution of the Republic of South Africa Amendment Bill, 1997 (in relation to the oath sworn or affirmation made by an Acting President and to extend the cut-off date in respect to the granting of amnesty; incl. explanatory memorandum).

Date: 14-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 44

Transcript of questioning of F.W. de Klerk (National Party) by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (over submission NP to TRC about its role in the past).

Date: 13-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 38

Sel. SAPA (& Ecna) reports 2-13/5/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: mammoth task for TRC's amnesty committee (7700 amnesty applications received), TRC in quandry over neighbouring states, Hani allegedly ordered attack on senior ANC member, testimony Magnus Malan for TRC (several), amnesty application PAC/APLA, etc.

Date: 13-05-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 7

Sel. SAPA and SAn newspaper reports 12+13/5/97 on the second submission by the ANC to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (esp. about the armed struggle and treatment of dissidents etc. in the ANC camps in exile). [SAPA + Business Day on-line]

Date: 13-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 61

Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Transcript of ANC party political recall in Cape Town, 12-13/5/97; questioning of ANC delegation on human rights abuses in its camps in exile (esp. Angola), the conduct of the armed struggle, the practice of necklacing, role of self-defence units, conflict with Inkatha, etc. by TRC panel.

Date: 12-05-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 134

Further submissions and responses by the African National Congress to questions raised by the Commission for Truth and Reconciliation: incl. ANC's position on the nature of the SAn conflict (32 p.), MK Operations report (12 p.), NAT Operations report (ANC Dept of Intelligence and Security, incl. Morris Seabelo Rahabilitation Centre; 12 p.) + Annexes.

Date: 12-05-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 134

Further submissions and responses by the African National Congress to questions raised by the Commission for Truth & Reconciliation: incl. Annexes with case studies of apartheid agents within/against the ANC and SA's low intensity war (26 p.)+ Guidelines for the creation of peoples self-defence units (10 p.).

Date: 12-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 1

Meeste blanke politici Z-Afrika negeren amnestiewet: betekenis werk amnestie-commissie van de Waarheids en Verzoenings Commissie in ZA, inkl. geringe aantal voormalige blanke regeringsleiders dat beroep doet op anmestie. [NRC]

Date: 09-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 18

Sel. press releases & statements by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission 1-9/5/97: on amnesty decisions TRC, series of amnesty applications to be heard, final appeal to apply for amnesty, (background to) investigation into Trojan Horse incident in Cape Town 1985 etc.

Date: 09-05-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.18 Page: 133-135

Confident De Klerk, Malan refuse amnesty chance, but ANC applies: assessment ANC application and former apartheid leaders refusal for amnesty at the Truth Commission (NP unable to attack ANC's moral highground). Incl. some new revelations over third force operations (CCB, authorised by Malan).

Date: 06-05-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 14

A public discussion on the just war debate and reconciliation, held in Cape Town, 6 May 1997: minutes of panel discussion on these issues with a.o. former SADF-leader Gen. Viljoen, dep.min. of Defence and former ANC/MK-leader R. Kasrils.

Date: 00-05-97 Source: DOK. 17 Number of pages: 5

UBU and the Truth Commission: theatre play by the Handspring Puppet Company and William Kentridge on the TRC in South Africa. [Africa en Scènes, No.7, 1997, p.83-87]

Date: 30-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 19

Sel. press releases and statements by the Truth & Reconciliation Commission 16-30/4/97: investigation into Trojan Horse incident in Cape Town in 1985, TRC asks for submissions from ex-conscripts in the SADF, amnesty decisions, hearings on human rights violations in Parys, Free State, etc.

Date: 30-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 11

Sel. SAPA and SAn newspaper reports 17-30/4/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Cabinet approves amnesty closing date of 10/5/97, Trojan Horse hearing, Viljoen to submit composite amnesty application for right-wing, McBride's field commander (MK) identified, etc. [SAPA, Business Day + Die Burger on-line]

Date: 30-04-97 Source: Human Rights Report, April 1997 Page: 11-15

Review developments in South Africa in April 1997 relating to a.o. the Truth & Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 25-04-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.16 Page: 123-124

Malan reverses position and agrees to testify to TRC: former defence chief M. Malan agrees to come to the Truth Commission, while other SADF chiefs refuse.

Date: 24-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 11

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 5-24/4/1997 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: on continuing debate about truth and reconciliation in South Africa (incl. two art. by TRC chairman Desmond Tutu), role SADF in apartheid human rights violations, government officials implicated in 'Third Force' report, etc. [Star, Beeld, Cape Times, Cape Argus]

Date: 24-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 16

Living with the legacy of impunity: Lessons for South Africa about truth, justice and crime in Brazil (Brandon Hamber; paper Seminar No.4, 1997, April 1997). (Notes & references)

Date: 18-04-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.15 Page: 115-116

Fresh testimony on Webster murder again pins it on CCB: further revelation before Truth Commission by Ferdi BARNARD on the murder of David WEBSTER May 1989, incl. names of people involved.

Date: 16-04-97 Source: DOK. 20.1 Number of pages: 1

Is our new democracy really working? – interview with Pieter Dirk Uys, mainly about his feelings and thoughts on the present reconciliation process in South Africa. [Cape Argus]

Date: 15-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 21

Sel. press releases and statements by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission 1-15/4/97: mainly on amnesty decisions TRC + secretly buried bodies of MK soldiers unearthed in Aliwal North, launch of massive statement-taking campaign by TRC in cooperation with NGOs (to collect stories from apartheid victims throughout South Africa), etc.

Date: 06-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 6

Sel. SAN newspaper art. 6/1-6/4/97 on a.o. Independent Newspapers press group regrets its human rights failings (in voluntary submission to the TRC). [Beeld, Star, Sowetan + Sunday Independent]

Date: 04-04-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.13 Page: 99

TRC indictment of De Klerk closer: review impact on position De Klerk and the NP of (possible) revelations in report given to the Truth Commission. Incl. report on (fears of) assassination of agents (of ANC) with sensitive information (as Vronda BANDA – ANC mole in NP? and Skhumbozo Leonard RADU).

Date: 04-04-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.13 Page: 99-100

Military chiefs demand guarantees against extradition: demands SA military top brass before testifying in the Truth Commission (Angola and Mozambique have indicated that they will not institute extradition procedures, other front line states still unclear).

Date: 02-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 35

Proposed policy for UIR and final reparation – Discussion document (Truth and Reconciliation Commission): review moral and legal basis for reparation, reparation principles, phases of reparation policy, specific urgent interim reparation policy recommendations, policy proposals and implementation, costs and sources of revenue, etc. (Annexes)

Date: 00-04-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 / DOK. 10.2A Number of pages: 48

Echoes of violence: Articles and speeches around the dilemmas of building a future on the ruins of a violent past (De Balie/Netherlands Institute for SA; NiZA-cahier no.1); from series of debates in De Balie, Amsterdam in the autumn of 1996, mainly on the reconciliation process and the Truth Commission in South Africa (org. by De Balie, IZA a.o.).

Date: 00-04-97 Source: FXI Update, March/April 1997 Page: 1-3

FXI's investigation into the media gaining momentum (forming basis for FXI submission to the TRC in May).

Date: 00-04-97 Source: Mayibuye, Vol.8, No.1, April 1997 Page: 3

This is shameful, De Klerk: ANC criticism on latest NP submission to the Truth & Reconciliation Commission, in which De Klerk denies his (administration's) responsibility for human rights abuses under apartheid.

Date: 31-03-97 Source: Human Rights Report, March 1997 Page: 10-13

Review developments in South Africa in March 1997: a.o. relating to Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 28-03-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no 13 Page: 91-92

Combative statement 'threaten spirit of reconciliation': NP hardening attitude for refusing to accept responsibility for human rights violations on second submission to Truth Commission attacked by all other political parties. + 'Overt third' considered: NP acknowledges consideration of an overt third force in 1985/86, but not covert.

Date: 28-03-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no 13 Page: 93

Story of Pondo revolt finally told: survivors of the 1960s Pondoland Revolt (described in The Peasants' Revolt by Govan Mbeki) tell their story to the Truth Commission.

Date: 24-03-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 38

Second submission of the National Party to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: criticising the TRC and ANC c.s. + dealing with questions TRC to NP of 12/12/96 on motives, context and perspective NP of the conflict in the past, role of SADF a.o. security structures, cross border raids, etc. (Notes)

Date: 24-03-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 9

Sel. press releases and statements by the Truth & Reconciliation Commission in March '97 (various issues) + SAPA-reports 3+4/3/97 on the TRC (meeting with ANC on disclosure names government officials who allegedly worked as police informers in the 1980s).

Date: 23-03-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 4

Press statement National Party: the second submission of the National Party to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (summarising NP's submission to the TRC).

[NB: in DOK.11.2 – Press statements NP, January-June 1997]

Date: 20-03-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.11 Page: 9+11

Death farm in heart of IFP stronghold: Truth Commission exhumes graves at former security police farms in Inkatha heartland. Incl. co-operation and obstruction of policemen. + Murderer fights amnesty ruling: policeman Hennie GERBER to fight rejection of amnesty application by Truth Commission.

Date: 18-03-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 14

Submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission concerning the relevance of economic, social and cultural rights to the Commission's mandate (by Community Law Centre a.o. NGOs); arguing for the inclusion of violations of economic, social & cultural rights in the work of the TRC, incl. recommendations.

Date: 15-03-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 16

Sel. SAn newspaper art. 1/2-15/3/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: conflict between NP and TRC, former police officials apply for amnesty, TRC probe into role of the media under apartheid, court case Marius Schoon vs Graig Williamson, TRC faces ultimate test on amnesty, etc.

[Star/Citizen/Beeld/Sunday Independent/Cape Times/Sunday Times]

Date: 14-03-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.10 Page: 75-76

Floodgates may open on revelations on ANC agents: ANC calls for disclosure names government informers, Truth Commission refuses, while former National Intelligence Agency head Mike Louw claims he already supplied Mandela in 1994 with the list.

Date: 14-03-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.10 Page: 76

PW Botha will not be summoned: Amnesty committee of Truth Commission decides not to subpoena several high-ranking members of previous regime, incl. P.W. BOTHA. + Pik Botha may be implicated: Pik BOTHA finally connected to cross-border military operations, Truth Commission told.

Date: 07-03-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.9 Page: 67-68

TRC blocks bod to reveal 'government agent' names: Truth Commission refuses to name police informers within ANC despite ANC pressure. + De Klerk wants TRC to stress reconciliation now: NP pressure on Truth commission, incl. revelations FF on extent of SA army's split (and almost mutiny) at eve of 1994 elections.

Date: 07-03-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.9 Page: 10

The flames and the death squad: description by guest writer Pippa Green of the fire at the Pretoria Truth and Reconciliation Commission's offices.

Date: 07-03-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.9 Page: 20+21

Press is not Tutu's estate: M&G editorial on undesirability of Truth and Reconciliation inquiry into the role of press under apartheid. + Press whitewashes dirt: Guy Berger highly critical of Independent Newspapers (Star, Sunday Times etc.) public report of its role under apartheid.

Date: 07-03-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Business suppl. Page: B5

Argus 'media culpa' row: 3 former editors distancing themselves from Independent Newspaper submission to the Truth Commission (nothing to apologize for).

Date: 04-03-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 18

Sel. ANC Press statements 5/2-4/3/97 on various issues: the TRC (amnesty issue), speculations surrounding murder of Chris Hani, etc.

Date: 00-03-97 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.1, Nr.1 Page: 36/37

Waar ter wereld vind je zulke goeie simpele zielen? ZuidAfrika's orgie van verzoening – 'schotschrift' van de Zase cabaretier Pieter-Dirk Uys over positieve diskriminatie, korruptie en vooral verzoening in het huidige Zuid-Afrika.

Date: 00-03-97 Source: INSIG, Maart 1997 Page: 17+18

Reguit hou met 'n krom stok? (Karin Brynard): questions around the Truth and Reconciliation Commission – real truth and reconciliation? (p.17) + Die prys van demokrasie (Fatima Meer): resistance of family Steve Biko against possible amnesty for his murderers should be seen in a wider context (p.18).

Date: 00-03-97 Source: INSIG, Maart 1997 Page: 32/33

Die storie van die twee bome: bookreview of "Reconciliation through truth" by Kader Asmal, Louise Asmal & Ronald Suresh Roberts (David Philip; 240 p.).

Date: 00-03-97 Source: IDOC Internazionale, 97/1 Number of pages: 48

Contracted truth: Impunity for reconciliation – series of 10 art. on reconciliation in Latin America and spec. El Salvador, biblical and ethical basis for human rights work, the South African Truth and Reconciliation Commission, list of Truth Commissions and War Tribunals 1971-1996 (p.8-10), etc. (Bibl. and resources)

Date: 00-03-97 Source: IDOC Internazionale, 97/1 Page: 34-44

Forget or forgive? The South African Commission on Truth and Reconciliation (by Sue Britton; p.34-37) + Justice first: int. with Ntsiki Biko, widow of Steve Biko (p.38/39) + ... Opening the Pandora's Box ... on debate in Namibia about SWAPO detainees issue and calls for setting up a Namibian truth commission (David Lush; p.40-44).

Date: 00-03-97 Source: Truth Talk, Vol.2, No.1 Number of pages: 12

Official Newsletter of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission : various short art. on the work of the TRC, incl. report report first national Rehabilitation and Reparation hearing in Oudtshoorn (p.3), witnesses share their feelings (p.7) + The price for peace in South Africa: Amnesty and reparation (Adv. Denzil Potgieter, Commissioner; p.10/11).

Date: 28-02-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.8 Page: 60

Breakthrough as ex-police minister seeks amnesty: former Law & Order min. Adriaan Vlok applies for amnesty

Date: 28-02-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 11

Sel. SAPA-reports 12-28/2/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: former security police informers now highranking government officials, donation Swiss government to TRC for interim relief to apartheid victims, budget cuts for TRC, etc.

Date: 28-02-97 Source: Human Rights Report, Feb. 1997 Page: 12-14

Review developments in South Africa in Feb. 1997 a.o. in relation to Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Date: 27-02-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 15

Sel. press releases & statements by the Truth & Reconciliation Commission in February 1997: investigation into violence in squatter areas/townships Cape Town, amnesty decisions TRC, amnesty applications from prisoners in relation to KwaZulu-Natal violence, etc.

Date: 23-02-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 7

Truth and Reconciliation Commission summary: lists of TRC press releases and statements + SAPA-reports on the TRC from 23/12/96 to 21/2/97.

Date: 21-02-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.7 Page: 51

Calls for military demonstration: Freedom Front calls for demonstration former and present defence force members for blanket amnesty by Truth Commission. + TRC must now give notice: TRC loses legal action thereby delaying attempts to uncover security police war in the 80s. + Killings linked to Vlakplaas (on the Guguletu 7 killings).

Date: 21-02-97 Source: DOK. 5.2 Number of pages: 29

Submission to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission from Independent Newspapers: incl. sections on inhibitions on functioning as a fully democratic press, efforts to fight government-imposed restrictions, collusion with apartheid, etc. Independent Newspapers, formerly Argus Company = Daily News, Sunday Tribune, Star, Sowetan, Argus a.o.

Date: 14-02-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.6 Page: 43-44

Hani family suspects ANC involvement in killing: claims of ANC involvement (incl. now Defence minister Modise) in 'neutralising' SACP elements and killing of Chris Hani. His family to approach Truth Commission. + Biko family opposes amnesty: Biko family to challenge amnesty applications Biko's murderers.

Date: 14-02-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.6 Page: 44

More secrets revealed from chemical war files: arrest and in camera evidence by Wouter Basson reveal various aspects SA's offensive and defensive chemical warfare programme and pushing of drugs. Truth commission expected to make inquiries.

Date: 07-02-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.5 Page: 34

'Kingpin' of secret chemical warfare programme arrested: Truth and Reconciliation Committee warns arrested medical doctor Wouter BASSON to apply for amnesty for his biological warfare experiments.

Date: 07-02-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 14

Sel. SAPA (& Ecna) reports 3-7/2/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: amnesty decisions, revelations about murder Steve Biko, ANC/SACP want full probe into assassination Chris Hani, TRC questions to former president PW Botha, etc.

Date: 01-02-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

Bloed uit een nimmer geheelde wonde: Zuid-Afrika rouwt opnieuw om de dood van Steve Biko (Lolke van der Heide) – de Waarheidskommissie en de grenzen tussen gerechtigheid en vergeving in ZA, m.n. over de moord op Steve Biko in 1977. [NRC]

Date: 31-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 22

Sel. SAPA-reports 21-31/1/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: Steyn-report on dirty tricks campaign SADF etc., policemen admit 200 killings in amnesty applications, possible breakthrough in unsolved Eastern Cape murder cases (Biko + Goniwe c.s.), concern over documents leaked from the TRC, debate on media and race issues around the TRC, etc.

Date: 31-01-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.4 Page: 7

Shocks from the Steyn Report: listing third force violence acts form summary Steyn Report (until recently kept from the public) + Commission creates fresh interest in past: Biko's killers make confession. to TRC

Date: 31-01-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.4 Page: 26-27

TRC breakthrough as Biko, Goniwe killers seek amnesty: policemen responsible for murder of Pebco 3, Goniwe, Cradock 4 and Steve Biko apply for amnesty at Truth Commission (seen as a public triumph for the TRC).

Date: 31-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 13

Sel. SAN newspaper art. 21/10/96-31/1/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: 125 ex-policemen apply for amnesty, various informal incidents reports, statements Dirk Coetzee about his role in apartheid his squad campaign in 1980s, etc. [Citizen/Sowetan/Beeld/Star/Sunday Independent/City Press]

Date: 31-01-97 Source: New Nation, No.139 Page: 4+5

Long wait for reparation (for victims of human rights violations; slow reparation process TRC; p.4) + Racism: The liberal press had its share – former journalist Ameen Akhalwaya reflects on the TRC hearings on the role of the media under apartheid (p.5).

Date: 31-01-97 Source: Human Rights Report, Jan. 1997 Page: 7-9

Review developments in South Africa in January 1997 a.o. in relation to Truth & Reconciliation Commission

Date: 30-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 18

Sel. press statements 10-30/1/97 by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: role doctors a.o. health professionals on past human rights violations, new information in amnesty applications from policemen (esp. on Eastern Cape murders), racial tensions within the TRC, existence and contents Steyn report on intelligence activities of former SADF, etc.

Date: 27-01-97 Source: DOK. 14.3 Number of pages: 3

a.o. IFP supports Buthelezi's rejection of amnesty deal (to perpetrators of political violence in KwaZulu-Natal, incl. relation IFP with Truth and Reconciliation Commission). [SAPA]

Date: 27-01-97 Source: DOK. 4.1 Number of pages: 12

Sel. ANC press statements 6-27/1/97 on various issues, incl. amnesty applications for death of Steve Biko.

Date: 24-01-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.3 Page: 6

Steyn 'bows to pressure': fall-out of leaked Steyn report on De Klerk and the NP ("quite well") and Pierre STEYN himself (treated as outcast) incl. role of Truth Commission.

Date: 24-01-97 Source: Southscan Vol.12 no.3 Page: 19

SANDF chief 'third force man': Steyn report (1992) shows deep involvement SA army chief et al. in informal suppression. + TRC faces internal row: racial tension within Truth Commission and conflict over possible investigation into the press.

Date: 24-01-97 Source: Southscan Vol.12 no.3 Page:

SA politics: 1,000 more amnesty pleas ahead – some figures on amnesty applications received by the Truth and Reconciliation Committee. + Police 'hits' in Lesotho, Botswana: former police assassin Dirk Coetzee gives evidence before Truth Commission on (attempted and succeeded) murders in Lesotho and Botswana.

Date: 23-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 15

TRC Amnesty Committee: Decisions and reasons therefor on 5 amnesty applications in relation to murders in Khutsong township in December 1990 (one granted, one refused) and in Khuma township, Stilfontein in October 1990 (partly granted, partly refused) – all involving local SDU/ANCYL members involved in local (political) conflicts at the time.

Date: 17-01-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.2 Page: 11

Zuma moves to save embattled LKZN amnesty plan: ANC KwaNatal chairman Zuma trying to save his KwaZulu-Natal amnesty plan (in face of criticism from Truth and Reconciliation dep. chairman Boraine). + TRC at centre of press row: Black Editors Forum's Mzwai criticizes Freedom of Expression Institute on proposed role at Truth Commission inquiry.

Date: 17-01-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.2 Page: 10-11

They speak up, and let revenge take care of itself: portrait of an East-Rand community's handling of apartheid (informal) repression and killings. + When should society tire of the voices of the past?: opinion on victims (and relatives) remembrance of the past (in international perspective) likely to be at odds with general opinion. By Brandon Hamber.

Date: 17-01-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 11

Sel. NP press statements 15-17/1/97 on various issues, incl. the hostility of and allegations against the National Party by the Truth Commission (Steyn report etc.), the need to develop a new political party as an alternative to the ANC, etc. [NB: in DOK. 11.2 – Press statements NP, January-June 1997]

Date: 17-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 14

Sel. SAPA-reports 4-17/1/97 on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission: furore around Steyn report (from 1992) on involvement SADF-generals in dirty tricks campaign and responsibility former president De Klerk, proposed amnesty deal for KwaZulu-Natal, role media during apartheid era, etc.

Date: 10-01-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Business Mail Page: B5

Antenna section: Ruckus over media probe – report on feud between R. Louw (Freedom of Expression Institute) and T. Mzwai (Black Editors Forum) over former's role to oversee Truth Commission's inquiry into the role the press played under apartheid.

Date: 10-01-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.1 Page: 9

TRC to resist 'special amnesty': Truth Commission against special amnesty for political violence in KwaZulu/ Natal as proposed by ANC's Jacob Zuma. Incl. other groups critical of it.

Date: 06-01-97 Source: DOK. 14.3 Number of pages: 5

Open letter Mangosuthu Buthelezi, president Inkatha Freedom Party, to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission outlining IFP's position on the TRC in general and spec. in relation to political violence in KwaZulu-Natal c.q. involving the IFP (questioning its impartiality).

Date: 04-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 2

Het titanenwerk van de Waarheidscommissie: gesprek met secretaris Paul van Zyl over het werk van de Waarheids en Verzoeningskommissie in ZA en het moeizame omgaan met de oude wonden van de slachtoffers; inkl. enige persoonlijke gegevens over Paul van Zyl. [Vrij Nederland]

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 11.2 Number of pages: 4

a.o. Stigting vir Gelykheid voor die Reg (rightwing pressure group dealing with victims of terror in South Africa and the Truth and Reconciliation Commission; 2 p.).

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 4

AI Report 1997: South Africa – review developments in SA in 1996 in relation to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, political violence, human rights issues etc. and the activities of Amnesty International in these matters.

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Page: 1-12

Human rights review 1996 (Human Rights Committee of SA): developments in South(ern) Africa in 1996 in relation to human rights issues, incl. statistical summary (p.1-4), legislation in parliament (both general trends and spec. bills, esp. on abortion and censorship; p.5-10) and SA's position in international human rights conventions (p.10-12).

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Page: 26-36

Human rights review 1996 (Human Rights Committee of SA): developments in South(ern) Africa in 1996 in relation to human rights issues, incl. SA's human rights institutions: Human Rights Commission, Public Protector, Gender Commission, Pan SAn Language Board + Land Claims Commission and Land Court (p.26-30) and Truth and Reconciliation Commission (p.30-36).

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Page: 76-84

Human rights review 1996 (Human Rights Committee of SA): developments in Sout(hern) Africa in 1996 in relation to human rights issues; Annex: Legislation passed/tabled in 1996 in South Africa's parliament affecting human rights (p.76-80) + Constitutional Court cases and decisions 1996 (p.81-84).

Date: 00-01-97 Source: Indicator SA, Vol.14, No.1 Page: 7-12

No rest without the wicked: Assessing the Truth Commission (Andre du Toit, UCT); the TRC's democratic nature accounts for some strenghts but many weaknesses. If substantial numbers of perpetrators do not apply for amnesty, the TRC will have failed in one of its main objectives. (References)

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 17

Justice after Apartheid? Reflections on the South African Truth and Reconciliation Commission (Wilhelm Verwoerd, Univ. of Stellenbosch, TRC Researcher); examination of the complex relationship between the TRC and justice, democratisation, reparation and development in South Africa. (Notes & bibliography)

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 5.1 Number of pages: 20

Dr Jekyll and Mr 'Hide': Problems of violence prevention and reconciliation in South Africa's transition to democracy (Brandon Hamber, CSV); key factors in understanding and ways to prevent political violence in South Africa. (Notes & references) [chapter from: 'Perspectives on Aggression and Violence in South Africa', E.Bornman a.o. eds., HSRC, Pretoria, 1997]