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**Date: 31-12-98 Source: Human Rights Report, Dec.1998 Page: 26**

Southern Africa: summarised reviews of human rights developments in December 1998 in all Southern African countries (other than South Africa).

*NB: See also similar reports in all monthly issues of Human Rights Report, Dec. 1997 – November 1998*

**Date: 21-12-98 Source: DOK. 6.1/2 Number of pages: 46**

Sel. art. 27/10-21/12/98 from The Namibian online on the exodus on people from the West Caprivi to Botswana, incl. situation (problems) of refugees in Botswana, relationship to secessionist tendencies in area, marginalised position local San (Kxoe) community, role former DTA-leader Mishake Muyongo, position Namibian government a.o. on this issue, etc.

**Date: 10-12-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 11**

Summarized Namibia: Human Rights Report 1997 (National Society for Human Rights, Windhoek); introduction on the Constitutional Order in Namibia and the situation in practice + summarised review developments in relation to human rights (violations) in Namibia in 1997.

**Date: 04-12-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 16**

Sel. SAPA + Namibian online art. 19/10-4/12/98 on the preparations for and results of the regional council elections in Namibia on November 30 and december 1, 1998 (massive SWAPO win, low turn-out, etc.).

**Date: 00-12-98 Source: Monthly Regional Bulletin, Vol.7, No.12 Page: 5/6**

Namibia: Secessionists flee troops in Caprivi as regional issue explodes (dispute Namibia and Botswana).

**Date: 00-12-98 Source: Southern Africa Report, Vol.14, No.1 Page: 3-8**

The Ulenga moment: Swapo and dissent – Lauren Dobell reports on the position of Swapo dissident leader Ben Ulenga, against the background of recent political developments in Namibia, the internal situation in Swapo, Ulenga's record in Namibian politics, etc.

**Date: 00-12-98 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, jrg.2, nr.4 Page: 36-40**

De min met de vele borsten: Topnaar-volk zoekt nieuwe toekomst voor de nara – reportage Margarethe Visser over de dreigende verdwijning van de woestijn-vrucht nara en de gevolgen daarvan voor het Namibische Topnaar-volk.

**Date: 00-12-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 125**

Help to victims of rape: the institutional context of gender violence in Namibia (Annet Meeuws, Univ. of Utrecht); research report on violence against women in Namibia, with a focus on rape; incl. Namibian society and violence against women, Namibian policies and laws, role police and courts, NGO's and victims of violence against women, etc. (Tables, bibliography)

**Date: 27-11-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 25**

Sel. art. from The Namibian online 16/10-27/11/98 on various developments and issues in Namibia: HIV/AIDS problem, censorship, land issue, SWAPO party, criminalisation of gays, Koevoet: a killer unit, formation of new trade union federation (NAFTU), political comments, etc.

**Date: 20-11-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 12**

There's no going back – NC rubber stamps Third Term a.o. art. from The Namibian online 16/10-20/11/98 on the controversial Third Term for Namibian president Sam Nujoma.

**Date: 30-10-98**      **Source: BAB Working Paper No.1, 1999**      **Number of pages: 22**

Claiming space and power in pre-colonial central Namibia: The relevance of Herero praise songs; paper Dag Henrichsen, Basler Afrika Bibliographien, presented at the African Studies Association Annual Meeting in Chicago, 30/10/1998. (Notes)

**Date: 28-10-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.16 Page: 1-5**

Feature: It's rough for the media (review situation with regard to existing training programmes and training needs of the media in Namibia).      NB: p.5-8 various short stories on recent developments in Namibia – *featuring in all bi-monthly issues of Namibia News Online.*

**Date: 11-09-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 4**

Sel. art. 7-11/9/98 from the Namibian on-line about the DTA and the ousting of its president Mishake Muyongo (related to secessionist moves in the Caprivi).

**Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.3 Page: 22-26**

Living in history: Namibians and the sea (Andre du Pisani, Univ. of Namibia); mainly on the foreign explorations and colonial occupations of Namibia throughout the centuries.

**Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: SAPEM, Vol.11. No.9 Page: 14-17**

Nature of inequality and poverty in Namibia (Daniel Motinga & Klaus Schade); incl. some statistical data. (p.14/15) + Thou shalt be tempted...but should resist: Henning Melber reviews the background and significance of the Constitution of Namibia (p.16/17).

**Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: Sister Namibia, Vol.10, No.3 Page: 4-7**

Hella Kuppe goes for gold (very successful veteran athletic from Namibia; p.4/5) + Remembering Cassinga: a survivor's account (by Ruusa NaangoShaanike, who was sixteen at the time of the massacre; p.6/7).

**Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: Sister Namibia, Vol.10, No.3 Page: 28-31**

Ministry of Health hosts social responsibility conference (report on conference in Windhoek in April 1998; p.28/29) + A career in health: interviews with women professionals in Otjwarongo, Namibia (p.30/31).

**Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: Social Change and Development, No.45**      **Page: 9-15**

Making a constitution: Background and lessons from Kenya & Uganda (Ben Hlatswayo, Univ. of Zimbabwe; p.9-11+15) + The constitution-making process: lessons from Namibia and South Africa (Brian Kagoro; p.12/13) + African democracy (esp. in Zimbabwe; by Magari Mandebvu; p.14/15).

**Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: Southern Africa Media Law Briefing, Vol.3/3**      **Page: 1-3**

Indecency laws declared unconstitutional: Act not proportionate to the legitimate aims it pursued (esp. on Namibia; Njonjo Mue & Clinton Light).

**Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: ISS Monograph Series, No.27**      **Number of pages: 136**

Security development and gender in Africa (ed. by Hussein Solomon & Maxi Schoeman); incl. Development and security in Southern Africa: the case of Namibia (Dr Lisa Thompson; p.67-90). (Notes)

**Date: 31-07-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 40**

Namibia: Human rights report 1997 (National Society for Human Rights – NSHR, Windhoek); the state of civil and political rights in Namibia, incl. the right to life, freedom from arbitrary arrest and detention, freedom from discrimination, freedom of expression, etc. (Notes)

**Date: 29-07-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.10 Page: 1-4**

Feature: Looking Namibia in the eye (human rights organisations NSHR & LAC concerned about the human rights situation in Namibia – general).

**Date: 20-07-98 Source: DOK. 6.1/2 Number of pages: 30**

Sel. Namibian on-line art. 30/5-20/7/98 on recent developments in Namibia: deportation Angolan human rights activist Manuel Neto, third term for president Nujoma, position Bondelswart Captain Anna Christiaan, !Khun (San) community petition government for land, island dispute with Botswana, defamation case in relation to Anton Lubowski's murder, etc.

**Date: 17-07-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 13**

Sel. Namibian online art. 22/6-17/7/98 on president Nujoma's attack at critical whites and the increasing anti-foreigner rhetoric of the Namibian authorities (esp. Legal Assistance Centre in Windhoek), incl. position NGOs and opposition politicians in the issue.

**Date: 13-07-98 Source: Namibia News Online, No.9 Page: 1-4**

Feature: The terror foreigners live with (describing the plight of non-Namibians living in Namibia, esp. foreign men who married to Namibian women).

**Date: 00-07-98 Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.2 Page: 1-9**

The Bushmen, San or Ovakuruha: Indigenous, poor and marginalised – researchers of the Univ. of Namibia review the situation of the San speaking people (groups) in Namibia, incl. their poor living conditions, culture and traditions, social problems, position in Namibian society, etc. (incl. statistical data on the San groups in Namibia).

**Date: 00-07-98 Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.2 Page: 10-18**

Social welfare: Burden or relief to Namibians (Theodora Nandjaa) – review social services provided by the Namibian government to elderly and disabled people, pensioners, abandoned children, etc. (p.10-14) + The dignity of paid work (findings NEPRU examination of a food for work pilot project in a rural area of Damaraland, Namibia; p.15-18).

**Date: 00-07-98 Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.2 Page: 34-37**

Elections: Party lists and who gains (Christiaan Keulder, Univ. of Namibia) – background to and report on the local government elections in Namibia in 1998 (incl. table with detailed results; p.37).

**Date: 20-06-98 Source: Namibia News Online, No.8 Page: 1-4**

Feature: Why Nujoma? (explaining the different reasons for president Nujoma to want a third term, incl. situation of and within SWAPO).

**Date: 00-06-98 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.2, nr.2 Page: 11/12**

Er zijn geen fouten gemaakt: Namibische president Sam Nujoma weerspreekt kritiek – interview tijdens zijn bezoek aan Nederland over politieke en mensenrechtensituatie in Namibië

**Date: 28-05-98 Source: BAB Working Paper, No.3: 1998 Number of pages: 10**

From Apartheid to Democracy: Namibia and South Africa compared (Christopher Saunders, UCT; Basler Afrika Bibliographien); comparative review of the (political) transition processes to formal democracy in South Africa and Namibia in the 1990s. (Notes)

**Date: 22-05-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 5**

Thou shalt be tempted...but should resist (Henning Melber): general on the significance, limitations and shortcomings of the Namibian Constitution. (References) [Namibian]

**Date: 00-05-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 87**

Etnische conflicten in Namibië: de kansen op etnische conflicten ingeschat aan de hand van het 'broeïnest-model' van Yamskov (scriptie Bjorn Hahlen, Univ. Utrecht); alg. introductie etniciteit en etnische conflicten, politieke geschiedenis Namibië + kansen op en dreiging van etnische conflicten in Namibië. (Tab., graf., krtn, literatuurlijst)

**Date: 29-04-98 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 11**

Sel. press releases 2/2-29/4/98 of the National Society for Human Rights (NSHR) in Namibia on government efforts to ban demonstrations, continuing landmine problem in Namibia, deplorable living conditions in the Kaokoland district and the peace process in Angola.

**Date: 22-04-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 15**

Twenty years on – Cassinga remembered: outline project National Museum of Namibia and Univ. of Namibia to mark the 20th anniversary of the Cassinga attack on May 4, 1978 (2 p.) + list of people known to have died at Cassinga.

**Date: 21-04-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.5**      **Page: 1-4**

Feature: Eight years – a story of 'sour-sugar'? (how independent, free and socially just is Namibia after 8 years of independence?).

**Date: 20-04-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 16**

Edition of 'New Era' newspaper from Namibia, with art. on impact liquidation of Gold Fields of Namibia for workers at TCL (p.1/2), Namibia Defence Force can only employ 1000 of 26000 applicants last year (p.3), escalating prison costs (p.3) + rehabilitation programme for prisoners (p.6), people with disabilities struggle for equality (p.9), etc.

**Date: 04-04-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**

Een Seebad aan Afrika's wilde westkust: reisverslag John Jansen van Galen uit Namibië (incl. korte informatie over toerisme naar Namibië). [Parool]

**Date: 03-04-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 5**

The budget in depth: Debts, education, the army and spies – report and comments on the Main Budget for 1998/99 presented by the Namibian government (on growth bureaucracy, main budget allocations, etc.). [Namibian]

**Date: 00-04-98**      **Source: SAPEM, Vol.11. No.6**      **Page: 3-8**

Land reform and the Constitution: Wolfgang Werner (NEPRU) comments on (the absence of) land policy in Namibia (p.3/4) + Aid and donors: Henning Melber reviews the role of foreign aid in Namibia and Namibia's aid management in the 1990s; incl. list of foreign NGOs and donor agencies and donor supported NGOs in Namibia (p.7).

**Date: 00-04-98**      **Source: SAPEM, Vol.11. No.6**      **Page: 9-14**

Namibia: Challenges in the economy (by Dirk Hansohm & Klaus Schade, NEPRU; p.9/10) + Can liberal democracy deliver equity in education? Elizabeth Amukugo on democracy and the educational situation and policies in Namibia. (Tables, references & bibliography)

**Date: 00-04-98**      **Source: Sister Namibia, Vol.10, No.1**      **Page: 4/5**

The price of freedom: a woman's story about exile (autobiography of Ellen Ndeshi Namhila).

**Date: 00-04-98**      **Source: Sister Namibia, Vol.10, No.1**      **Page: 17-21**

Traditional medicine and fertility regulation: not strangers to each other (Debbie LeBeay, Univ. of Namibia; p.17/18) + Womentalk: int. with older Namibian women on birth control in the past, before modern family planning methods (p.19) + Social welfare policy: Hand-outs or empowerment? (on Green Paper by Ministry of Health & Social Welfare; p.20/21).

**Date: 28-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.1/2**      **Number of pages: 3**

President van Namibië in Nieuwegein (in kader van officieel bezoek aan Nederland) + Onze revolutie is wel gekomen (int. president Nujoma over ontwikkelingen Namibië in 90er jaren) + Deel hulp aan Swapo voor 'militaire strijd' gebruikt (over hulp KZA aan Swapo in 80er jaren). [NRC, 28/3/98 + Volkskrant, 28/3/98 + Parool, 27/3/98]

**Date: 21-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Page: 6-20**

New Era – 8th Anniversary of Independence Special (48 p.): a.o. art. on black empowerment (socio-economic dualism) in Namibia (p.6/7), educational problems in Namibia (p.10), the reconciliation policy of the Namibian government (p.11+14/15) and the land issue in Namibia (p.16-20).

**Date: 20-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 8**

Editorial comment: Eight years of independence (3 p.) + Namibia at the age of eight: Tertiary Education Minister Nahas Angula reflects on the Nation's mood eight years after independence (both general on the political situation in Namibia, democracy and the continued existence of racial, regional & ethnic divisions). [Namibian]

**Date: 19-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.1/2**      **Number of pages: 60**

Dossier Namibië t.b.v. deelnemers aan gesprek met President Namibia, Sam Nujoma (Centraal Informatiepunt, Eerste Kamer): incl. biography president Nujoma (8 p.), notitie Min. van BuZA over politieke en economische situatie Namibië (11 p.) + alg. gegevens en sel. artikelen uit kranten en tijdschriften 1995-1997 over Namibië (zowel in Nederlands als Engels).

**Date: 16-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 4**

Sel. art. from the 'Namibian' 13-16/3/98 on a possible third term for Namibian president Nujoma: SWAPO Youth League in favour and political analyst Joseph Diescho against third term, statement president Nujoma on issue, etc.

**Date: 08-03-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.3**      **Number of pages: 10**

Bi-monthly update of news from Namibia: feature – Namibia: A blind democracy? (on very low turnout at Namibia's local government elections in February 1998; p.2/3) + other short stories on recent developments in Namibia (teacher's union protest over salaries a.o. issues, souring unemployment, over 10.000 families live in Windhoek's shacks, etc.).

**Date: 08-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.1**      **Number of pages: 5**

German president ends visit to Namibia in controversy (esp. over Germany's colonial rule over Namibia until 1915; 2 p.) [SAPA-AFP] + (comments on) statement Herzog about marginal position German language at Namibian schools. [Namibian]

**Date: 06-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 1**

Genocide in naam van de Kaiser: Duitse president Hertzog, op bezoek in Namibië, betreurt uitroeiings-campagne tegen de Herero in 1904-07, maar wil niets weten van excuses of herstelbetalingen. [NRC]

**Date: 23-02-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.2**      **Number of pages: 7**

Bi-monthly update of news from Namibia: feature – Civil service trimming: A hot potato (77.000 government workers financially unsustainable; p.1/2) + other short stories on recent developments in Namibia (government corruption escalating, editor Windhoek Observer jailed, Nujoma on land redistribution, etc.).

**Date: 20-02-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 12**

Sel. art. from the 'Namibian' 18-20/2/98, on the results of the local elections in Namibia: learning the lessons of the low turn-out (less than 40%), women may be the real winners, Swapo wins, apathy rules (as local residents groups make a showing) + Local Authority Election Results (tables; 4 p.).

**Date: 19-02-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 19**

Know your new councillors: Complete list of newly-elected councillors for Namibia's 45 local authorities. [Namibian]

**Date: 06-02-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 15**

Sel. art. from the 'Namibian' 6/1-6/2/98: political perspectives by Gwen Lister on big spending government officials and democracy in Namibia, land reform policy Namibian government, conflict with SACU partners over beer export from Namibia, closure of 'Windhoek Advertiser' + High Court case over plan to evict Kxoe community from their land in Caprivi.

**Date: 30-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 10**

US State Department: Namibia Country Report on Human Rights Practices for 1997 – Introduction + sections on political violence, torture, detentions, freedom of speech and press, freedom of religion, political rights, discrimination of women & children and of racial or ethnic minorities, worker rights, etc. [www.state.gov/www/global/human\_rights/1997]

**Date: 29-01-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.1**      **Number of pages: 13**

Bi-monthly update of news from Namibia: feature – State of the media in Namibia (relatively free; p.2-5) + other short stories on recent developments in Namibia (Epupa Dam saga continues, facing the AIDS reality – young Namibians use more condoms, etc.).

**Date: 16-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 8**

Namibia: the patterns of politics (Andre du Pisani); review political developments and the state of democracy in Namibia in 1997, esp. critical of SWAPO and the Namibian government c.q. political elite). [Namibian on-line]

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.1**      **Page: 34-37**

Has Namibia opened the floodgates to hate? – lawyer Mwala Kenneth Siambango on the implications of the Windhoek High Court decision in September 1996 to declare some sections of the Racial Discrimination Prohibition Amendment Act of 1991 in conflict with the Namibian Constitution (hate speech ban vs freedom of expression).

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: Focus, January 1998**      **Page: 22-28**

Six countries in search of democracy: last year the Helen Suzman Foundation followed up its 1996 survey into political opinion in South Africa with a similar investigation in Botswana, Lesotho, Namibia, Swaziland, Zambia and Zimbabwe – R.W. Johnson summarises the report with comparative findings on popular attitudes in these countries.

**Date: 31-12-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 6**

A review of the year's news in Namibia: chronology of main events in Namibia January-December 1997. [Namibian on-line]

**Date: 11-12-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**

Nujoma reshuffles his cabinet: announcement of changes and list of (30) members of Namibian government (ministers). [SAPA]

**Date: 00-12-97**      **Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.1, nr.4**      **Page: 40/41**

Namibische regering ziet overal vijanden: bezorgd rapport over uitholling democratie (Madeleine Maurick); Nationale Vereniging voor Mensenrechten (NSHR) in Namibië slaat alarm over de toenemende autoritaire trekken van de overheid, incl nog steeds voortslepende kwestie van de SWAPO-gedetineerden

**Date: 00-12-97**      **Source: DOK. 11.1**      **Number of pages: 14**

Accountable to Themselves: Predominance in Southern Africa (Kenneth Good, Univ. of Botswana); review declining state capacity in esp. South Africa and Namibia in the 1990s, the increasingly predominant party system, executive non-accountability, elitism and lack of participatory democracy. (Notes) [Journal of Modern African Studies, 35, 4, Dec.1997, p.547-573]

**Date: 19-11-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 1**

Namibian local elections delayed (scheduled for 2/12/97) – postponement until February 1998 or later because of 'technical errors'. [SAPA-AFP]

**Date: 00-11-97**      **Source: Southern Africa Report, Vol.13, No.1**      **Page: 22-25**

Struggle against silence – Reclaiming history in Namibia: Lauren Dobell reflects on the death of SWAPO leader Moses Garoeb against the background of political developments in Namibia in recent months, esp. the continued debate on the SWAPO detainees and the tensions between SWAPO and various civil society organisations (churches, students, etc.).

**Date: 00-11-97**      **Source: NEPRU Occasional Paper, No.12**      **Number of pages: 68**

From Reserve to Homeland: South African 'native' policy in Southern Namibia (Reinhardt Kossler); examination of South Africa's colonial policy in Namibia, spec. its reserve (bantustan) strategy, relationship local development initiatives and centralist control, creation of the Namaland homeland in the 1970s, etc. (Notes, bibliography and sources)

**Date: 00-10-97**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.6, No.3**      **Page: 1-9**

Escalating crime rate: An increasing pain to Namibians (by Theodora Nandjaa); review increasing crime problem in Namibia (incl. statistics 1993-1997), incl. role international crime syndicates, debate about (government) efforts to combat crime in Namibia, etc.

**Date: 00-10-97**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.6, No.3**      **Page: 10-12**

Legal Assistance Centre wins award for human rights: review work Legal Assistance Centre in Windhoek a.o. places in Namibia since its establishment in 1988.

**Date: 00-10-97**      **Source: Internationale Samenwerking, nr.10**      **Page: 10/11**

Droog en leeg Namibië is toch overbevolkt (Brigitte Ars): m.n. over de werkzaamheden van de Desert Research Foundation of Namibia (DRFN) en haar Desert Ecological Research Institute (DERU) in Gobabeb.

**Date: 29-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 9**

Liberation hero laid to rest: report on funeral late Labour Minister and SWAPO stalwart Moses Garoeb (2 p.) + obituaries on Moses Makue GAROEB, political comments on his death, etc. [Namibian on-line]

**Date: 22-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**

The chill is back on: Draft motion aimed at blocking info leaks (Christof Maletsky); critical comment on legislation being prepared in the Namibian parliament against leaking of 'classified' government documents. [Namibian on-line]

**Date: 19-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**

The Black Napoleon: A freedom fighter remembered – homage to Jacob Marengo, killed in September 1907, prominent leader of the Bondelswartz rebellion against the German colonial government in Namibia in the early 20th century. [Namibian on-line]

**Date: 16-09-97**      **Source: BAB Working Paper, No.7/1997**      **Number of pages: 15**

Dealing with 'the concept of Ndamuranda and Tjimba' in Kaoko : The Kaoko Development League (Namibia) (Georgio Miescher, Basler Afrika Bibliographien); introduction of the Kaoko Development League and its ambiguous relationship with central authorities in Namibia, with spec. attention to the Epupa debate (controversial dam project). (Notes)

**Date: 16-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 9**

Sel. SAPA a.o. reports 5-16/9/97 on public furore over tax free retirement benefits and other perks for Namibian government officials, incl. state funding of their domestic ) workers, protests by Namibian unions, etc. [SAPA + Namibian on-line]

**Date: 05-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 4**

Crisis? What crisis? 'Govt not heading for bankruptcy...' + Deficit balloons hits N\$90m, Govt looking to cut capital projects – both on growing Namibian government budget deficit because of uncontrolled spending by ministries. [Namibian on-line, 5+4/9/97]

**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.58**      **Number of pages: 62**

Training needs assessment strategy programme for local authorities in Namibia (Hoster Bebi, Lesley Blaauw & Peter Nias); review training needs of local councillors and officers in Namibia, role training institutions, how to build training capacity, potential donor funding agencies + recommendations.

**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: (468)**

Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: Namib Times, 15/8/97 (24 p.); Namibia Economist, 15/8/97 (12 p.); New Era, 11/4+18-22/8/97 (64 p.); Namibian, 14-16/4 + 18-22/8/97 (156 p.); Republikein, 14/4 + 18/8/97 (36 p.), Tempo, 6/4 + 17/8/97 (80 p.); Windhoek Advertiser, 11-15/4+18-21/8/97 (64 p.); Windhoek Observer, 12/4/97 (32p)

**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: (468)**

Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: a.o. Namib Times, 15/8/97 – mainly local news Walvis Bay (harbour development); Namibia Economist, 15/8/97 – Red tape barriers to investment remain a.o. economic news and issues; Windhoek Observer, 12/4/97 – mainly sex, crime a.o. sensationalist reports + MUN statement on TCL (p.3).

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Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: a.o. New Era, 22/8/97 – a.o. distribution agricultural land (p.1/2), bill on Namibia Central Intelligence Service (p.3), education policy (p.14), AIDS in rural areas (p.17), Caprivi Cultural Festival (p.18) + communal farmers and Agricultural Bank of Namibia (p.22).

**Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: (468)**

Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: a.o. Namibian, 14/4/97 (a.o. Executive Outcomes and Namibia + complaints local musicians about royalties – p.1/2); 15/4/97 (financial problems justice system + Earthlife Namibia – p.1/2+4); 16/4/97 (impact pipeline Okavango Delta + fish quota Namibia – p.1/2+3).

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Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: a.o. New Era, 22/8/97, p.21 + Namibian, 22/8/97, suppl. p.1/2 – both on publication of book on (with reprints of) Namibia's first non-racial newspaper 'South West News' (1960) by Dag Henrichsen, Basler Afrika Bibliographien.

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Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: a.o. Windhoek Advertiser, 11/4/97 (labour conflicts Tsumeb Corp. and NHE + educational statistics/finance – p.1+3); 14/4/97 (NSHR report on Namibia's prisons + budget Min. of Mines and Energy – p.1+3); 15/4/97 (crime problem in Namibia + teachers training at Univ. of Namibia – p.1+3).

**Date: 00-09-97 Source: Focus (H.Suzman Foundation), No.8 Page: 17-19**

Kindly leave the stage: Namibia's president Sam Nujoma wants to change the constitution so that he can stay in power (against background of position Swapo and party politics in Namibia).

**Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 6.2 Number of pages: 8**

State Sponsorship of Women's Rights and Implications for Patriarchism in Namibia (Allan D. Cooper): examination of the extension of rights to women by the ruling nationalist elite in Namibia in an effort to limit the potential threat of traditional leaders to their power. (Notes)  
[Journal of Modern African Studies, Vol.35, No.3, Sept.1997, p.469-489]

**Date: 00-09-97 Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies, Vol.23, no.3, 1997 Page: 453-472**

Integrating fighters after war: reflections on the Namibian experience, 1989-1993 (Preston, Rosemary) – Against the background of the Namibian peace, disarmament and demobilization processes, the paper conceptualizes fighter integration in terms of nationbuilding and containment strategies. The creation of the Namibian defence and police forces is essential to the consolidation of the new State and affords relatively secure employment and career opportunities for ex-PLAN (People's Liberation Army of Namibia) and ex - SWATF (South West Africa Territorial Force) members. Strategies used by the government to intergrate fighters in postwar Namibia include gratuity payments, skill training for future income generation, resettlement programmes and assistance to the disabled. The conclusion is that the overall goal of the integration of fighters in the transition from war to peace, namely to maintain stability, was achieved in Namibia after the country's independence in 1990. (Notes, references)

**Date: 31-08-97 Source: Human Rights Report, August 1997 Page: 46-51**

Southern Africa: summarised reviews of human rights developments in December 1998 in all Southern African countries (other than South Africa).

**Date: 29-08-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 3**

Public slams justice system: on findings Commission of Inquiry into Legislation for the More Effective Combating of Crime in Namibia (2 p.) [Namibian on-line] + Namibian lose faith in justice system (SAPA art. 28/8/97 on report Commission).

**Date: 15-08-97**      **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.32**      **Page: 24-25**

Namibia's impossible dream of easy freedom: Kevin Toolis' critical impression of Namibia's freedom (SWAPO's autocratic tendencies, critical of freedom of the press etc.).

**Date: 01-08-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 6**

Monumental questions: series of 3 articles in 'The Namibian' about the kind of picture of Namibia's past one gets from the monuments and historical sites in Windhoek.

**Date: 24-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 50**

Namibia National Society for Human Rights – Namibia Human Rights Report 1996 (P ya Nangoloh): incl. review state of civil and political rights and fundamental freedoms in Namibia (Feb.1996–June 1997); on extrajudicial killings, deportation of asylum seekers, torture, the administration of justice, attacks at press freedom, racial discrimination, etc. (Notes)

**Date: 24-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 50**

Namibia National Society for Human Rights – Namibia Human Rights Report 1996 (P ya Nangoloh): incl. review state of cultural, economic and social rights in Namibia (Feb.1996–June 1997), Human Development Indicators, rights of the child, women's rights, rights of workers + position of national or ethnic minority groups and sexual minorities. (Notes)

**Date: 23-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 5**

Govt shoots down NSHR allegations: official government investigation confirms killing of 7 people by the army in northeastern part of Namibia, but disappearance (killing?) of 1768 others denied (incl. details from report Namibian National Society for Human Rights on this issue). [Namibian, Windhoek Advertiser + SAPA]

**Date: 14-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 3**

Presidential decree bars protest without police permission: announcement by Namibian president Nujoma following demonstrations by jobless ex-combattants (incl. background on protests former PLAN-guerillas). [SAPA-DPA]

**Date: 11-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 3**

'We are prisoners of government inaction...': report on the plight of a local community at Seeis (east of Windhoek), 'relocated' by the Namibian government in 1995, without land or means to sustain themselves. [Namibian]

**Date: 04-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**

Central Intelligence Bill should be rethought: editorial comment 'The Namibian' on the potential dangerous impact of the proposed Namibia Central Intelligence Service Bill.

**Date: 00-07-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 8**

De vele gezichten van Namibië (NiZA): landschapsfotograaf Manfred Kleiter en publiciste Margreet Kleiter geven een impressie van een vruchtbaar woestijnland (basisinformatie t.b.v. toeristen naar Namibië).

**Date: 06-06-97**      **Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.21**      **Page: 163-164**

Swapo congress endorses third term for Nujoma: SWAPO adopts resolution to change constitution to make a third term for president Nujoma possible. Incl. outcome some other votings at its second congress in independent Namibia.

**Date: 00-06-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 7**

Namibië – Het leegste land op aarde: reportage over een rondreis door Namibië, inkl. pagina met toeristische informatie m.b.t. Namibië en foto's. [Voyager, 3e jrg., nr.11, p.17-23]

**Date: 00-06-97**      **Source: Southern Africa Report, Vol.12, No.3**      **Page: 3-6**

The autocratic temptation: Politics in Namibia now (Chris Tapscott, UWC); review anti-democratic, authoritarian tendencies of the SWAPO government in Namibia in recent years, the emerging corruption and weak civil society in the country and the implications for the position of SWAPO in Namibia.

**Date: 28-05-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 8**

Sel. SAPA and newspaper art. 20/3-28/5/97 on the water issue in Namibia: Namibia wants water from Congo river, continuous debate about controversial hydro-electric scheme at Epupa dam in Kunene river, Okavango pipeline project unlikely to proceed, etc. [SAPA + The Namibian on-line]

**Date: 12-05-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 8**

Sel. art. 25/4-12/5/97 from The Namibian on-line: media hit back at government attacks (on press freedom), Malan's Lubowski claims dismissed as 'smear tactics', Nujoma lambasts seal campaigners (from Europe) + editorial comment on the debate about a possible third term for president Nujoma.

**Date: 09-05-97**      **Source: New Nation, No.153**      **Page: 9**

Govt, unions at loggerhead over privatisation: Namibian workers brace for a showdown with government (positions of both National Union of Namibian Workers and various government officials).

**Date: 00-05-97**      **Source: Southern African Perspectives, No.64**      **Number of pages: 60**

Seven years independence: Current developments and future prospects in Namibia – Some topical highlights (ed. Henning Melber); the macro-economic framework, water issue, poverty reduction, human resources development, urbanisation and decentralisation, democracy and human rights, political culture and development. (Bibliography: p.53-60)

**Date: 14-04-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 40**

Namibia National Society for Human Rights – Shadow report: The status of the Convention against torture a.o. cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment in the Republic of Namibia (P ya Nangoloh & Z Mnakapa); review torture practice (by army and police) in Namibia, both before and after independence, incl. series of spec. cases. (Notes) + Annex.

**Date: 14-04-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 40**

Namibia National Society for Human Rights – Shadow report: The status of the Convention against torture a.o. cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment in the Republic of Namibia (P ya Nangoloh & Z Mnakapa); incl. Annex (20 p.) with UN-report 29/1/97 on the implementation of this convention in Namibia.

**Date: 11-04-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 11**

Sel. art. 8-11/4/97 from The Namibian on-line: position Nat. Housing Enterprise Staff Association in conflict at NHE, Gwen Lister arguing for Namibia's signing of UN Convention on Landmines, Andre du Pisani on implications of possible third term for pres. Nujoma (4 p.), position ex-Koevoet and SWATF in Namibia, etc.

**Date: 11-04-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**

A long 7 years: On founding and the future (Andre du Pisani, Univ. of Namibia); opinion art. on the efforts to give president Nujoma a third term in office, against background of the politics of patronage and culture of presidentialism, implications for constitutional and political democracy in Namibia, etc. [Namibian]

**Date: 00-04-97**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.6, No.2**      **Page: 24-31**

Parliament through mass participation (Bianca Gowases): review functioning of Namibia's parliament, esp. efforts to involve citizens in legislative process (p.24-26) + Reforming parliament (Mose P Tjitendero, Speaker National Assembly): conf. paper on 'Parliament as a proactive instrument for catalysing change' in Namibia (p.27-31).

**Date: 00-04-97**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.6, No.2**      **Page: 31-37**

Namibia's public sector: Continued peace or smaller service? (Henning Melber, dir. NEPRU); review reorganisation and transformation process of the public sector (ministries etc.) in Namibia in the last few years (p.31-34) + The influence of television: Educational or harmful? (review debate on this issue in Namibia; p.35-37).

**Date: 00-04-97**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.6, No.2**      **Page: 17-21**

Proposed trade agreement causes anxiety: concern among Namibian politicians and business over proposed free trade area agreement between South Africa and the EU, esp. implications for SACU, agricultural and fishing sectors in Namibia, report on SA-EU negotiations, etc.

**Date: 28-03-97**      **Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no 13**      **Page: 95**

Way open for SA to join Lomé Convention: Spain lifts its veto to South Africa's entry to the Lomé Convention. Incl. on-going criticism on beef-dumping by EU (damaging particularly Namibia).

**Date: 14-03-97**      **Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.10**      **Page: 78**

Beef war with Brussels may sour wider talks: intense South African pressure to end subsidised EU beef exports/dumping to SA (and Namibia) may affect trade talks on Free Trade Agreement.

**Date: 07-03-97**      **Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.9**      **Page: 72**

Rains bring hope as budget aims for deficit target: review Namibia's 1997/8 budget + Documents go to World Court: Namibia submits documents on Kasikili Island dispute with Botswana.

**Date: 07-03-97**      **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.9**      **Page: 14**

Himba outraged by dam plan: short review of Namibian government's hydro-electric dam project and the (possible) displacement of the local Himba people, despite concern over the project's feasibility.

**Date: 00-03-97**      **Source: NEPRU Viewpoint, No.7**      **Number of pages: 4**

Quarterly economic review: issues from the Namibian economy during the past three months – production and investment, prices and finance, government (economic policy) activity, employment and social conditions, trade and aid. (figures)

**Date: 00-03-97**      **Source: NEPRU Viewpoint, No.8**      **Number of pages: 4**

Focus on the annual budget 1997/98 (tabled in Namibian parliament on 5/3/97): introduction on economic environment and review (developments in) budget allocations, incl. figures.

**Date: 00-03-97**      **Source: INSIG, Maart 1997**      **Page: 12-15**

Namibie beur na bo!: "Namibie het moed vir die toekoms" a.o. art. on the current situation in Namibia – position of the poor not really improved, an Afrikaner family in Namibia, problems with the educational reforms in Namibia, etc.

**Date: 00-03-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 4**

Namibia National Anthem – Interview with its composer: Axali Doeseb (on his inspiration for writing the national anthem, his musical career, etc.).

**Date: 00-03-97**      **Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.54**      **Number of pages: 45**

Seven years independence: Current developments and future prospects in Namibia – Some topical highlights (NEPRU Disc. paper); review macro-economic framework (some indicators) in Namibia, scarcity of water, challenges of poverty reduction, human resources development, decentralisation, the struggle for civil society and political developments. (Bibliography)

**Date: 00-03-97**      **Source: IDOC Internazionale, 97/1**      **Page: 40-44**

... Opening the Pandora's Box ... on debate in Namibia about SWAPO detainees issue and calls for setting up a Namibian truth commission (David Lush).

**Date: 13-02-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 13**

Sel. SAPA and SAn newspaper reports 13/1-13/2/97 on recent developments in Namibia: deep water fishing rights granted to five fishing companies, furore over anti-gay statements by president Nujoma and SWAPO

officials, concerns about position San-groups in Namibia, influx of Asian traders, etc.  
[SAPA + The Namibian/M&G online + Business Day online]

**Date: 10-02-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 36**

3 Daily newspapers from Namibia, issues Monday 10/2/97: the "Namibian" (English/African language), "Republikein" (Afrikaans/English) and "Allgemeine Zeitung" (German) – articles on various current issues in Namibia and Southern Africa.

**Date: 06-02-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 24**

Issue of "New Era" newspaper from Namibia, 6-9 Febr. 1997: incl. art. on (illegal) strike workers at garment factory in Export Processing Zone (p.1/2), relationship between state and press in Namibia (p.3), various cabinet decisions last week (p.9), US human rights report on Namibia (p.21), etc. (English/Afrikaans/African languages)

**Date: 00-02-97**      **Source: Internationale Samenwerking, nr. 2**      **Page: 20-23**

"Wij moeten vooral op onze eigen capaciteiten vertrouwen": interview met Namibische president S.Nujoma (visie op ontwikkeling van zijn land, eigen positie enz.).

**Date: 00-02-97**      **Source: Namibia Development Briefing, No. 9 & 10**      **Page: 2-4**

NGO's call for the promotion of land tenure system in communal areas: NANGOF position on the system of group tenure for communities living on communal land and in informal urban areas (p.2/3) + Controversial Sale of Liquor Bill (debated in parliament in Namibia; a.o. to control illegal shebeens; p.4).

**Date: 00-02-97**      **Source: Namibia Development Briefing, No. 9 & 10**      **Page: 5-9**

Violence against women and children: multi-media campaign launched in Namibia in 1996 (p.5) + Water price: bulk water price in Namibia to rise by 20% in the near future (p.6) + Okavango water plan may be postponed: tripartite steering committee set up to study the basin (p.8/9).

**Date: 30-01-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 10**

U.S. Department of State: Namibia Country Report on Human Rights Practices for 1996 – incl. sections on violations of the integrity of the person (prisoners etc.), civil liberties (freedom of press, religion etc.), political rights and worker rights + discrimination of women, children, minorities etc. in Namibia.  
[www.state.gov]

**Date: 27-01-97**      **Source: DOK. 11.4**      **Number of pages: 16**

Letter Gottfried Wellmer on the beef exports from South Africa and Namibia to the EU + related documents July-Oct. 1996 (criticism EU Export Refund zoning of SA, position SA Feedlot Association, the Meat Board of Namibia on EU export subsidies on meat to SA, etc.).

**Date: 24-01-97**      **Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13 no.3**      **Page: 14**

Nujoma eyes third term as president: growing speculation Namibian president may change the constitution in order to get a third term as president.

**Date: 00-01-97**      **Source: SAPEM, Vol.10, No.3&4**      **Page: 47/48**

Namibia: Decolonizing the mind (Henning Melber); examination of the arguments used in Europe to justify the violent colonisation of Africa, spec. Namibia, and their impact on the development of a national culture in Namibia. (References)

**Date: 00-01-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 20**

Special survey: Namibia – King of the Kalahari – series of art. on the economic situation in Namibia, both in general and spec. on the manufacturing and commerce sector, the money market, fishing and mining industries, trade relations with the UK, tourism in Namibia, Walvis Bay, etc.  
[Business in Africa, January-March 1996, p.41-61]

**Date: 00-01-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 13**

International Rivers Network – Southern Africa Campaign: Namibia; sel. documents on the Epupa Hydro-electric Scheme in Northwestern Namibia, incl. Statement by affected people on Epupa Dam (31/10/96; 4 p.) + art. from IRN's "World Rivers Review" May 1995-Dec.1996 on the Epupa Dam, resistance local Himba people, etc.      [www.irn.org/irn/programs/safrica]



**p.13-19:            Anvullend overzicht bronne Namibië – ECONOMIE 1997-1998**  
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**Date: 22-12-98            Source: DOK. 6.2            Number of pages: 25**

Sel. art. 14/10-22/12/98 from The Namibian online on the controversial Epupa hydropower scheme in the lower Kunene River, incl. its significance for Namibian electricity capacity, criticism at Epupa feasibility study, water (and drought) situation in Namibia, etc.

**Date: 00-12-98            Source: NEPRU viewpoint, No.19            Page: 1-4**

Quarterly review of the Namibian economy: prices and finance, production and investment, government activity, employment and social conditions, trade and aid. (Tables)

**Date: 00-12-98            Source: Sister Namibia, Vol.10, No.5&6            Page: 4-7**

The Queen of Diamonds speaks: int. with Inge Zaamwani, recently appointed as Managing Director of Namdeb (diamonds producing company of Namibia; biographical; p.4/5) + AIDS is a disease, not a sin: int. with roman catholic AIDS activist sister Raphaela Haendler on the AIDS problem in Namibia (p.6/7).

**Date: 00-11-98            Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.65            Number of pages: 22**

Twinning for development: Cooperation between public institutions in Norway and Namibia (Henning Melber & Inge Tvedten); review of the development cooperation between Norway and Namibia spec. in the fisheries and oil sector, incl. twinning in Norwegian development aid and institutional cooperation as a development strategy. (Notes & bibliography)

**Date: 00-11-98            Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.66            Number of pages: 18**

Construction and brick-making in north central Namibia (Dirk Hansohm); examination of the construction and brick-making sectors in the (rural) area around Ondangwa and Oshakati in Ovamboland, Namibia. (Tables & references)

**Date: 01-10-98            Source: DOK. 11.4            Number of pages: 9**

African minerals: diamonds – general description diamond mining industry in (Southern Africa) and profiles of main (international) diamond mining companies operating in South Africa, Namibia and esp. Angola: Branch Energy Ltd, Diamond Works Ltd, Endiama, Southern Era, De Beers Consolidates Mines Ltd, Namibia Minerals Corp., etc. [www.mbendi.co.za]

**Date: 00-10-98            Source: DOK. 11.4            Page: 20-27**

Buitenlandse Markten (EVD; 40 p.), Zuidelijk Afrika special: o.a. Nederlandse machinefabriek Rijva in Zuid-Afrika (p.20/21), Zuidelijk Afrika wil eigen landbouwproductie opvijzelen (p.22/23), Exporten investerings-instrumentarium (o.a. mbt Zuidelijk Afrika; p.24/25), de Namibische economie en marktregels (p.26/27).

**Date: 00-10-98            Source: DOK. 9.3            Page: 125-131**

Reader EU-SADC Conference in Vienna, 12-14/10/98 (270 p.): section 4 – EU/Southern African economic relations – a model?; incl. Alexactus T. Kaure, Namibia: Anticipating the post-Lome era with mixed feelings.

**Date: 18-09-98            Source: DOK. 6.2            Number of pages: 20**

Sel. art. 1/6-18/9/98 from the Namibian on-line about the controversial Epupa hydro-electric power dam in the Kunene region (incl. positions Namibian and Angolan governments and opposition local Himba people) + related water/electricity issues in Namibia.

**Date: 09-09-98            Source: DOK. 6.2            Number of pages: 9**

Sel. PANA & Namibian on-line art. 23/6-9/9/98 on environmental issues in Namibia: launch Torra Conservancy in Kunene Region, plan to generate electricity by means of solar energy, Namibia rejects waste from the USA, etc.

**Date: 03-09-98            Source: DOK. 6.1/2            Number of pages: 20**

Sel. Namibian on-line art. 2/6-3/9/98 on economic issues and developments in Namibia: general economic performance Namibia, SACU close to trade deal with other SADC-countries, economic integration in the region, impact aid on economic development in Namibia, affirmative action in Namibia, etc.

- Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.3**      **Page: 1-11**  
Did nature compensate Namibia with diamonds? + The coastal geology of Namibia (Gabi Schneider & Roy Miller); general review of the development of diamond mining in Namibia in the 20th century and the present mining operations in the country + geological background to the diamond findings in Namibia.
- Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.3**      **Page: 11-21**  
The search for oil (p.11-13) + Salt, guano and other minerals (p.14-21) (Gabi Schneider & Roy Miller); Namibia's (offshore) oil and gas industry in the 1990s + production of salt and mining of various minerals, mainly along the coast in Namibia.
- Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: NEPRU viewpoint, No.18**      **Page: 1-4**  
Quarterly review of the Namibian economy: prices and finance, production and investment, government activity, employment and social conditions, trade and aid. (Tables)
- Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: NEPRU Occasional Paper, No.13**      **Number of pages: 33**  
Namibia since independence: Lessons from the East Asian 'Miracle' (Thomas Hastings); introduction to Namibia and the East Asian miracle + lessons for Namibia in relation to human capital, macroeconomic stability, export-promoting strategies and the imperative of shared growth + recommendations. (Tables, notes & references)
- Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.63**      **Number of pages: 22**  
The market for millet and millet products (Cathy Presland & Akiser Pomuti); review of the policy framework for and the production of millet in Namibia, the market size, structure and prices, potential demand and constraints and possible interventions. (Tables, notes & bibliography)
- Date: 00-09-98**      **Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.64**      **Number of pages: 16**  
Namibia's trade with Angola (Klaus Schade); indicators (also on immigrants from Angola), traded goods, recent economic activities, multiplier effects, constraints and future perspective of the trade between Namibia and Angola. (Tables)
- Date: 31-08-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.12**      **Page: 1-3**  
Feature: Wiring up a government (on telecommunications situation in Southern Africa and spec. Namibia).
- Date: 13-08-98**      **Source: Namibia News Online, No.11**      **Page: 1-2**  
Feature: Battling to bridge the gap (huge shortage of human resources in the public, parastatal and private sectors in Namibia, esp. lack of skills among the labour force).
- Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: NEPRU viewpoint, No.17**      **Page: 1-4**  
Focus on the SADC free trade area (FTA): introduction and conceptual clarification, the SADC, the current level of SADC trade, the SADC trade protocol and concluding remarks. (+ other regional arrangements of which Namibia is a member; p.4)
- Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: NEPRU viewpoint, No.15**      **Page: 1-4**  
Off-shore resources in Namibia – An Expo '98 viewpoint: offshore resources and infrastructure in perspective and in the Namibian economy, marine diamond mining, fisheries and the Namibian economy, off-shore gas resources, salt production, coastal waters and power needs. (Tables)
- Date: 00-08-98**      **Source: Sister Namibia, Vol.10, No.3**      **Page: 20-22**  
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- Date: 00-07-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.2**      **Page: 19-23**  
Highway to economic growth: Bianca Gowases review the economic impact of the Trans-Kalahari & Trans-Kgalagadi highways (linking Namibia and Botswana with Gauteng in South Africa) and the importance of Namibia's economic links with other SADC countries.

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Namibia: Economic Review and Prospects 1997/1998 (NEPRU); Namibia and the world economy + review economic sectors: agriculture (p.6-12), fisheries, mining, manufacturing, energy, construction, retail, tourism (p.28-30), transport and communication, financial and government sector + economic indicators. (Tables, figures & references)

**Date: 00-06-98**      **Source: NEPRU viewpoint, No.16**      **Page: 1-4**

Quarterly review of the Namibian economy: prices and finance, production and investment, government activity, employment and social conditions, trade and aid. (Tables)

**Date: 00-06-98**      **Source: NEPRU Working Paper No.62**      **Number of pages: 27**

Namibian Business Climate: A Survey In Relation to SADC (Jacob Ntinton Oranje); results survey among the business community in Namibia on the business climate in the country, importance of SADC-sectors for business, trade barriers in the SADC region, etc. (Notes, tables & figures)

**Date: 01-04-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.1/2**      **Number of pages: 25**

Sel. art. from the 'Namibian' 10/2-1/4/98 on economic issues and developments in Namibia: agreement on diamond mining between Namibia and Russia, the 1998/99 budget (comments), economic policy Namibia, the land question, privatisation issue, etc. (most art. by economic consultant Robin Sherbourne).

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**Date: 27-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 8**

Mbumba on the budget: interview Namibian Minister of Finance Nangolo Mbumba on the 1998/99 budget he presented in Parliament (various aspects of budget and position Ministry of Finance). [Namibian]

**Date: 21-03-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Page: 21-48**

New Era – 8th Anniversary of Independence Special (48 p.): a.o. art. on cultural diversity and policy in Namibia (p.21-23), Etosha Fisheries: a profitable joint venture (p.26), macro-economic overview Namibia (by NEPRU; p.32-37), poverty and unemployment in Namibia (Henning Melber; p.40/41) + sports in Namibia (p.44/45+48).

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Wrong diagnosis, mistaken prescription: Structural Adjustment Programmes and Africa's underdevelopment (paper Tertiary Education Min. Nahas Angula for Namibia Economic Working Group 17/2/98); negative impact SAP's on economies of developing countries, incl. short section on Namibia. (References)

**Date: 00-03-98**      **Source: NEPRU viewpoint, No.14**      **Page: 1-4**

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Namibian Trade and Investment Delegation to The Netherlands & Belgium, 22-28 March 1998: foreword by president Nujoma a. o. + short presentation of Namibian companies (p.7-12) and tourism organisations (p.13-20) represented in delegation. (Namibia National Chamber of Commerce and Industry in conjunction with the Netherlands institute for Southern Africa)

**Date: 00-03-98**      **Source: NEPRU Research Report, No.16**      **Number of pages: 117**

Monetary options for Namibia (Brian Kahn a.o.): examination of the implications of Namibia's participation in the Common Monetary Area (CMA) of South Africa and the BLNS-countries, incl. review macroeconomic (financial) policy in SA and developments in the financial, fishing, banking and insurance sectors in Namibia. (Tables, figures, notes & bibliography)

**Date: 12-02-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 24**

Sel. art. from the 'Namibian' 9/1-20/2/98, on the planned Epupa hydropower scheme (dam) in the Kunene River: debate over results Epupa feasibility study, resistance local Ovahimba communities against plan, economic impact project, power and water situation Namibia, etc.

**Date: 00-02-98**      **Source: The Shopsteward, Vol.7.1**      **Page: 29-31**

Namibian unions target the economy: report NUNW 2nd national congress, incl. position on economic policy, organisational issues, international relations, etc.

**Date: 00-02-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 47**

Namibia Development Trust – Workplan for 1998 (NDT): review future plans description development programs NDT in areas of gender, small business, agriculture and human resources (23 p.) + Annexes with NDT Schematic Workplan, organogram and budget 1998 (24 p.).

**Date: 00-02-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.1/2**      **Number of pages: 20**

The Epupa Debate: A summary of some of the key issues around the proposed hydropower scheme on the lower Cunene River (at Namibian-Angolan border); collection of art. by Dainne Hubbard of the Legal Assistance Centre in Windhoek which appeared in The Namibian during November 1997-January 1998. (map)

**Date: 23-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 7**

The Epupa debate: Electricity needs and alternative energy sources (by Legal Assistance Centre, Windhoek): review current and future electricity sources for Namibia and possible alternatives for hydroelectric power (from Epupa dam). [Namibian]

**Date: 22-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 40**

Epupa Feasibility Study: Reviews by southern African & international experts (International Rivers Network); on different aspects of the Epupua hydropower project – social impacts, economics, alternative energy, aquatic ecology, hydrology, simulations & general comments. [www.irn.org/programs/safrica/epupareview]

**Date: 21-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 4**

Press release International Rivers Network: Epupa Dam feasibility study to poor to use, experts say (incl. summary most important findings of reviewers of this study on the Epupa Dam project in Namibia).

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.1**      **Page: 1-6**

Namibia: Anticipating the post-Lomé era with mixed feelings (Alexactus T Kaure); review current trade and aid relations between Namibia and the EU and the implications of the debate about the renewal of the Lomé Convention for Namibia.

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.7, No.1**      **Page: 15-19**

Competition policy: Protectionist or competitive (Theodora Nandjaa); report consultative forum in Windhoek on Namibia's international trade competition policy, incl. position several Namibian companies, trading under the SACU Agreement, various policy proposals, etc.

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 10**

Overview of the Namibian Economy (Dirk Hansohm & Moono Mupotola-Sibongo; NEPRU): summarised review situation of Namibia's economy, both in general and for the main economic sectors. (Tables, figures, references & literature)

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 6.1/2**      **Number of pages: 14**

4 Papers on the implications of the Post Lomé debate for Namibia (from workshop Namibian Parliament in Sept. 1997): on trade aspects (Lomé trade preferences; 4 p.), financial and technical cooperation (Lomé aid arrangements and EU aid to Namibia; 6 p.), the agricultural sector (esp. meat; 2 p.) + recommendations from the workshop on these aspects (2 p.).

**Date: 00-01-98**      **Source: DOK. 11.4**      **Number of pages: 96**

Sida Support to Telecom in Southern Africa (Sida Evaluation 98/1): evaluation report on Sida's support to the telecom sector in Southern Africa in the 1990s, with spec. attention to Angola, Mozambique, Namibia and Tanzania; incl. (critical) comments by Sida on report. (Notes)

**Date: 22-12-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 2**  
 Water demand hurts coastal environment (on the environmental and economic need for a desalinated water producing plant in Namibia). [Namibian, 19/12/97]

**Date: 09-12-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 10**  
 Sel. docs. Nov/Dec.1997 on the development plans for the Kudu off-shore gas field in Namibia (by Shell, Escom a.o.) – possible impact on Namibia's energy supply and economy. [Reuters, Namibian]

**Date: 00-12-97**      **Source: NEPRU Viewpoint, No.13, Dec.1997**      **Number of pages: 6**  
 Quarterly Review of the Namibian economy: production and investment, prices and finance, government activity, employment and social conditions + trade and aid. (Figures)

**Date: 00-12-97**      **Source: NEPRU Economic Newsletter, No.8**      **Page: 9-15**  
 Amplifying the undertones in the Namibian privatisation debate: Economic structural reforms, redistribution and equity (by Phanel Kaapama, NNCCI). (Notes & references)

**Date: 00-12-97**      **Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies; Vol.23, No.4, 1997**      **Page: 585-613**  
 Namibian-De Beers State-firm relations: cooperation and conflict (Kempton, Daniel R. & Du Preez, Roni L.) – This article argues that State-firm relations are an increasingly important fact of international relations. Using a version of the obsolescing bargain model, it examines the relations between Namibia and the South African diamond mining company De Beers, particularly the bargaining that has occurred since Namibian independence in 1990. The authors conclude that Namibian independence altered both the bargaining power and interests of the two sides. Independence gave Namibia the ability to create more effective legislation and economic structures to limit and guide its domestic diamond industry. At the same time changes in the international diamond world, particularly the growing challenge from Russia, weakened De Beers' bargaining power and increased its need to solidify its African base. Once SWAPO became the government, its interests also changed. Before independence SWAPO viewed the mining of its diamonds as an unmitigated form of exploitation by De Beers. After independence it needed De Beers' technology, investments and access to international markets to provide the State with export revenues and its people with salaries. The changes in bargaining power and interests have brought about numerous changes in Namibian-De Beers relations. While the 1994 Namibian -De Beers agreement provided the most visible evidence of this change, the terms of the relationship have continued to evolve. (Notes, references)

**Date: 24-11-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 14**  
 The Dam Question – The Epupa Debate (parts 1&2): overview by Legal Assistance Centre of the Epupa dam scheme, esp. on results first feasibility study of project (10 p.) [Namibian on-line, 14+21/11/97] + Christian Science Monitor on impact dam on local Himba people (2 p.) + Letter Epupa Action Committee explaining their protest against dam (2 p.).

**Date: 31-10-97**      **Source: Monthly Regional Bulletin 6/10**      **Page: 11**  
 Lack of investment opportunities means funds move to SA: local funds invested in South Africa due to lack of opportunities in Namibia itself.

**Date: 30-10-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 18**  
 Sel. art. 3-29/10/97 on the controversial Epupa dam scheme in Namibia, incl. continued resistance by local Ovahimba people, results feasibility study on the Epupa hydropower project (socio-economic, environmental and technical aspects), alternatives proposed by environmental groups, etc. [International Rivers Network + Namibian on-line]

**Date: 00-10-97**      **Source: Namibia Review, Vol.6, No.3**      **Page: 25-30**  
 To be or not to be a least developed country? On efforts Namibia since independence to get this status, incl. various economic and social indicators involved (p.25-27) + High price for pothole free road network: report on road improvement programme of the Namibian government (p.28-30).

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 Report of the ACP-EU future relations workshop held on 18 & 19 September 1997 by the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Economics (National Assembly of Namibia); review trade aspects and financial and technical cooperation aspects of the ACP-EU cooperation and their implications for Namibia + recommendations on these issues. (Appendices)

**Date: 26-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 31**

'The Great Epupa Divide' a.o. documents June-Sept. 1997 on the controversial Epupa hydroelectric project and dam in the Kunene River in northern Namibia, incl. resistance by local Himba people, efforts Namibian govt to push through project, police harassment of protesters, European NGO's support protest, etc. [Namibian on-line + World Rivers Review]

**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: NEPRU Viewpoint, No.12**      **Page: 1-4**

Quarterly economic review: prices and finances in Namibia, government activity, employment and social conditions, production and investment + trade and aid.

**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: (468)**

Sel. issues April + August 1997 of 8 Namibian daily/weekly newspapers: a.o. New Era, 18/8/97 – a.o. speech pres. Nujoma at SWAPO CC-meeting (p.1/2), Walvis Bay-Maputo Corridor proposed (p.4), government launches SME Programme a.o. economic news (p.9), Namibia University College of Agriculture expected to start in 1998 (p.14).

**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: (460)**

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**Date: 00-09-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: (468)**

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**Date: 00-06-97**      **Source: NEPRU Viewpoint, No.10**      **Page: 1-4**

National Development Plan 1 (Namibian government's capital investment programme 1995-2000): aims and background, survey of some users of NDP1, the performance of the economy, decentralisation and conclusion. (Figures)

**Date: 00-06-97**      **Source: NEPRU Viewpoint, No.11**      **Page: 1-4**

Quarterly economic review: production and investment in Namibia, government activity, employment and social conditions, prices and finance + trade and aid. (Figures)

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**Date: 00-04-97**      **Source: NEPRU Working Paper, No.55**      **Number of pages: 25**  
 Renewal in Africa? The informal sector and its promotion in Namibia (Dirk Hansohm); examination of the development of the informal sector in Namibia and its promotion in recent years (based on on-going research programme NEPRU). (References)

**Date: 00-04-97**      **Source: DOK. 6.2**      **Number of pages: 20**  
 'Traffic' (magazine, Windhoek), Issue 1, April 1997: various art. on road safety and other transport issues in Namibia.

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 Problems with the establishment of a national currency and independent monetary policy for a LDC: The Namibian case (Sophie Chauvin; PhD thesis, sel.); incl. Namibia's (financial) position within Southern Africa (SACU etc.). (Notes)

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 Namport: Flagship for economic growth – promotional brochure of the Namibian Ports Authority: overview, development strategy, investment opportunity, Namport contacts and plans for future development (esp. of Walvis Bay harbour).

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 Regional integration in post-apartheid southern Africa: the case of renegotiating the Southern African Customs Union (Gibb, Richard) – Regional economic cooperation and integration throughout southern Africa is experiencing a fundamental realignment in the post-apartheid era. This paper examines the Southern African Customs Union (SACU) between Botswana, Lesotho, Namibia and Swaziland (BLNS) and South Africa. It shows that the Customs Union is extremely important for South Africa and crucial for the BLNS countries. Since the late 1970s, however, the member States of SACU have been dissatisfied with its functioning and performance. In the context of the present renegotiations, the current paper examines some of the key features of the Union and the positions of BLNS and South Africa. It argues that SACU cannot be understood in regional terms alone. Multilateralism and international regionalism, although associated with different modes of international regulation, have an important influence on the nature and evolution of trading arrangements in the subcontinent. (References)