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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: 08-12-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.148 Page: 1/2

Conference calls for debt cancellation (international conference on Mozambique's foreign debt in Maputo; p.1) + Frelimo Central Committee warns on poverty / Commission on electoral law created (by Mozambique parliament; p.2).

Date: 02-12-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.29 Page: 1/2

Feature: Transport minister defends CFM restructuring (Mozambique's publicly owned Ports and Railway company). NB: p.3-5 various short stories on recent developments in Mozambique – featuring in all bimonthly issues of Mozambique News Online.

Date: 00-12-98 Source: ViceVersa, Jrg.32, nr.4 Page: 13-30

ICT thema: serie art. over Informatie en Communicatie Technologie (ICT) in de Derde Wereld en m.n. Afrika, incl. stukje over ICT-gebruikers in Zuidelijk Afrika (p.22) en art. over Mozambique: Met internet is veel meer mogelijk dan met traditionele media (ICT-gebruikers en ontwikkelingen in Mozambique; p.26/27).

Date: 02-11-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.146 Page: 1/2

Government presents electoral bill (to govern the 1999 presidential and parliamentary elections in Mozambique; EU prepared to assist elections).

Date: 00-11-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 24

Samsam, nr.9, 1998: incl. special 'Brand in Mozambique' (p.4-15) – m.n. over de brandweer in Beira en de steun van de brandweer in Amsterdam.

Date: 00-11-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.268 Page: 8-13

Two drafts for the electoral law (to govern the 1999 presidential and parliamentary elections in Mozambique; p.8/9) + Constitutional amendments published (on powers of the president, constitutional rights and freedoms, prohibition of life imprisonment, dual nationality for Mozambican citizens, etc.; p.10-13).

Date: 20-10-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.145 Page: 1-4

New constitution to reduce presidential powers (details on draft consitutional amendments introduced in the Mozambican parliament; p.1/2) + Mozambique is world's ninth poorest country (p.4).

Date: 09-10-98 Source: Basler Afrika Bibliographien, No.5, 1998 Number of pages: 20 Religion embracing science? Female missionary ventures in Southern African anthropology: Dora Earthy and Mozambique, 1917-1933 (Deborah Gaitskell, Univ. of London); on the ethnographic research and publications of Dora Earthy, missionary in Mozambique between 1917 and 1930. (Notes)

Date: 03-10-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 12

Serie reportages van Paul Vugts en fotograaf Wubbo de Jong over Mozambique en m.n. de havenstad Beira (toerisme, watervoorziening, de brandweer van Beira, etc.) die stedenband met Amsterdam heeft. [Parool, 15/9-3/10/98]

Date: 00-10-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.267 Page: 14-17

Calls for peace in Congo (Mozambique government's position on the war in DR Congo; p.14-16) + UNDP Human Development Report 1998: data on Mozambique (poverty, human development, women's empowerment, etc.; p.16/17).

Date: 00-10-98 Source: Nieuwsbrief Amsterdam-Beira, Jrg.3, nr.3 Page: 1-6

Mozambikanen lopen stage bij Gemeente-waterleidingen (Margreet Ton; p.1-3) + De haven van Beira heeft veel aan de Amsterdamse steun (Mary-Ann Sandifort; p.3/4) + Lokale verkiezingen in Mozambique zijn een fiasco (Lonneke Lodder; p.5/6).

Date: 00-09-98 Source: AWEPA Bulletin, Vol.12, No.3 Page: 1-3

Local elections in Mozambique show disappointing turnout: report on & background to the local elections in Mozambique on June 30, 1998 (with fewer than 15% of the voters turning out).

Date: 00-09-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.266 Page: 4-9

No Mozambican troops for Congo (SADC efforts aimed at peace in DR Congo and Mozambique government position against military involvement in the conflict; p.4-6) + Supreme Court validates local election results (in spite of irregularities and strong criticism of the functioning of the Electoral Commission; p.6-9).

Date: 00-09-98 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.2, nr.3 Page: 32/33

Vrede in Cabo Delgado: fotoreportage van de Mozambikaanse fotograaf Sergio Santimano.

Date: 00-09-98 Source: Internationale Samenwerking, nr.9 Page: 40-41

Verslaggeving van een hongersnood: schokkende ervaringen van de Nederlandse ontwikkelingswerker Sander Essers tijdens de hongersnood in Nampula, Mozambique in 1982.

Date: 14-08-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 13

Sel. SAPA and SAn newspaper art. 7/6-14/8/98 on Mozambique: RENAMO sets conditions for 1999 general elections, plan to incinerate toxic waste in Mozambique criticised, abortions in Mozambique, Frelimo wins local elections, incentives for foreign investors, launch Maputo corridor, etc. [SAPA-AFP-IPS + Business Day, Sunday Independent on-line]

Date: 00-08-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.265 Page: 4-9

Local election results published: final count affirms high abstention rate, no self-criticism from CNE, comments, etc. (incl. results in all contested municipalities) + Fraud detected during municipal elections in Dondo in central Mozambique.

Date: 00-08-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 8

Going home: Mozambique revisited – the return of 1.7 million people to Mozambique in the early 1990s was one of the most successful refugee stories in modern times. But today, the country continues to live on a knife edge. [Refugees, UNHCR, Vol.2, No.112, 1998, p.4-10]

Date: 25-07-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 2

Letter Holger Jonasson to Henk vd Heuvel (NiZA) on outcome and implications of the local elections in Mozambique in July 1998.

Date: 21-07-98 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.21 Page: 1-8

Local election fiasco: critical comments and reports on the local government elections in Mozambique on June 30 (low turnout, poor organisation, excessive bureaucracy, indications of fraud and intimidation, few observers, etc.). (Editor: Joseph Hanlon)

Date: 21-07-98 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.21 Page: 15-22

Annex on local government elections, June 30, 1998: election results (3 p.) + photographic report (4 p.).

Date: 21-07-98 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.21 Page: 9-14

Diplomats break election law (not to have international observers; incl. role Dutch embassy in Mozambique; p.9/10) + The long road to elections (since 1996; p.10/11) + Forward to 1999 (on role elected local authorities and position of foreign donors on elections; p.11/12) + Teaching by example (impact foreign donors on politics in Mozambique; p.13/14).

Date: 20-07-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.139 Page: 1/2

Election results published after lenghty delay: Mozambique's first local government elections on June 30 show ruling Frelimo Party winning a majority in all 33 municipalities, but on voters turnout less than 15%.

Date: 13-07-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.138 Page: 1-3

Local elections hit by apathy and disorganisation (incl. provisional results municipal elections in Mozambique on 30 June by province; p.1/2) + IMF criticised despite 14% growth in economy (in 1997; p.3).

Date: 00-07-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.264 Page: 4-12

Shambles on polling day (low turnout and irregularities at the local government election on June 30; p.4/5) + Election campaign: Frelimo versus independents (report on campaign in Beira, Maputo a.o. cities; p.6-9) + The absent opposition (on boycott by Renamo and ineffective opposition parties; p.9-12).

Date: 15-06-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.136 Page: 2/3

Local elections: Elections commission denies UD claims (a.o. news on forthcoming local government elections in Mozambique).

Date: 07-06-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 10

Mansions rise amid ruins of Renamo: report on the situation in Renamo-stronghold Maringue, central Sofala province, at the start of the local elections campaign; incl. position local peasants. [Mail & Guardian on-line, 5/6/98]

Date: 00-06-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.263 Page: 4-9

Despite boycott, elections go ahead (preparations for local government elections in Mozambique on June 30, boycotted by Renamo; p.4-7) + Workers protest at low wages (at May Day rally in Maputo; incl. position organising trade union federations OTM and CONSILMO; p.7-9).

Date: 00-06-98 Source: SAPEM, Vol.11. No.8 Page: 4-9

Local elections: A return to 'one-party' rule – Fernanco Goncalves comments on the local government elections of June 30 in Mozambique (p.4-6) + Adjustment, social policy and poverty in a war torn country (Belmiro Rodolfo): economic adjustment policies of the Mozambican government and review urban and rural poverty in Mozambique (p.7-9).

Date: 00-05-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.262 Page: 8-13

Attorney-General warns of infiltration by organised crime (in Mozambique's police, customs service and judiciary; p.8/9) + Customs reforms defended (by Mozambican government against charges of continuing corruption in the service; p.11-13).

Date: 00-05-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.262 Page: 15-18

Elections, with or without Renamo: preparations for local government elections continue in spite of continuing boycott by Renamo a.o. smaller parties; incl. reports on election campaigning.

Date: 21-04-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.132 Page: 1/2

President delivers state of the nation address (general on economic situation, improvements in education and health, and legal system in Mozambique; p.1) + Attorney General warns of organised crime in Mozambique (p.2).

Date: 06-04-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.131 Page: 1/2

Positive outlook for Mozambique's economy in 1997 (incl. government criticism at Cahora Bassa project; p.1) + Municipal elections: news items on preparations for local government elections in Mozambique on 30 June 1999 (p.2).

Date: 06-04-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 23

Sel. PANA a.o. art. 12/2-6/4/98 on Mozambique: economic rela tions with South Africa, inflation in 1997, use water resour ces of Zambezi River basin, weekly magazine TEMPO reappears, EU ban on Mozambican fish, conflict with World Bank over cashew nuts industry, World Bank water project in Mozambique etc.

Date: 00-04-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.261 Page: 4-9

Renamo boycott hangs over polls (incl. position EU on the municipal elections; p.4-8) + Former governor runs in Beira (Francisco Masquil resigned from Frelimo in March to run as independent candidate for mayor in Beira; p.8/9).

Date: 00-04-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.261 Page: 10-14

Debate on labour bill concluded (p.10-12) + Bill on government ethics (p.12-14) – both on debates in Mozambican parliament on these bills, on workers and trade union rights and ethical principles to be followed by government officials in Mozambique.

Date: 24-03-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.130 Page: 1/2

Local elections delayed as Renamo softens stance (from 29 May to 30 June, 1999; p.1) + Cholera spreads to Quelimane (on cholera epidemic in Mozambique since August 1997; p.2).

Date: 21-03-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 16

Sel. SAPA a.o. art. 16/1-21/3/98 on Mozambique: tourist trade poises for takeoff (esp. in southern part Mozambique), study on Mozambique's coastal management unveiled, cholera epidemic hits Mozambique, heavy rains and landslides in Zambezia province, etc. [SAPA-IPS-AFP, PANA a.o.]

Date: 18-03-98 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.20 Page: 1-8

Local elections delayed 1 month (new date: 30 June 1998) / Registration higher than expected (p.1-4) + Dhlakama looks to 1999 and 1994 (int. with Renamo president on his party's position toward to the local government elections) / Renamo leaves CNE (Elections Commission) / No foreign observers (p.5-7).

Date: 16-03-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 10

Sel. PANA, SAPA & SAn newspaper art. 17/2-16/3/98 on the first municipal elections in Mozambique (scheduled for May 29): possible postponement to June 30, Renamo's continued boycott position, etc. [PANA, SAPA-AFP, Business Day online]

Date: 09-03-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.129 Page: 1/2

Cool response to Renamo boycott threat (of local government elections in Mozambique; p.1) + Assembly discusses foreign workers (Mozambican MP's support proposals to limit employment of foreign workers; p.2)

Date: 00-03-98 Source: AWEPA Bulletin, Vol.12, No.1 Page: 2-4

Local elections in Mozambique: Civic and political education conducted by AWEPA (p.2/3) + Who rules Mozambique? (public debate AWEPA & NiZA in Feb. 1998 on Mozambique's dependency of foreign aid; p.3) + New land law increases peasant rights in Mozambique (p.4)

Date: 00-03-98 Source: Human Rights Watch, Vol.10, No.1(A) Number of pages: 19 Clinton administration policy and human rights in Africa: review human rights developments and U.S. policy in West Africa, East and Central Africa (incl. Burundi, DR Congo, Kenya, Rwanda and Uganda; p.7-15) and Southern Africa (Angola, Mozambique, Zambia and South Africa; p.15-18).

Date: 00-03-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.260 Page: 4-9

Elections: Renamo cries fraud (around municipal elections in Mozambique; p.4-8) + Crisis in the UD (Democratic Union – coalition of smaller opposition parties; p.8/9).

Date: 00-03-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.260 Page: 17/18

Human rights under US scrutiny: critical comment on annual US State Department report on the human rights situation in Mozambique, spec. on its sections dealing with women (in parliament etc.) and press freedom in Mozambique.

Date: 00-03-98 Source: The ACP-EU Courier, No.168 Page: 6-30

Country report – Mozambique: Land of opportunity? (general introduction; p.6-8), interview with President J. Chissano (p.9-11), transport corridors in Mozambique (p.12-14), int. with Renamo leader A. Dhlakama (p.15/16), economic news, job creation, rebuilding health and education systems (p.25/26), etc. + review Mozambique-EU cooperation (p.28-30).

Date: 24-02-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.128 Page: 1/2

Details of payments to Renamo published (money from Western companies prior to the 1992 Mozambican peace agreement; p.1) + Voter registration results announced (for municipal elections in May 1999; p.2).

Date: 13-02-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.15 Page: 2/3

Feature: New electoral registration – Renamo demands (for May 1999 municipal elections in Mozambique).

Date: 00-02-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.259 Page: 4-9

Dhlakama insists on private army (personal security force for Renamo leader Afonso Dhlakama; p.4-6) + Renamo members boycott CNE (National Elections Commission; p.7-9).

Date: 00-02-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.259 Page: 14-17

Storms, instead of drought, batter Mozambique (in spite of strong 'El Nino' this year; p.14-16) + Police shoot striker dead (during strike of employees of USowned security firm Wackenhut in Maputo; p.16/17).

Date: 30-01-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 19

US State Department: Mozambique 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 and childrenand racial or ethnic minorities, worker rights, etc. [www.state.gov/www/global/human_rights/1997]

Date: 26-01-98 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.126 Page: 2-4

Renamo call to annul voter registration (alledging it was fraudulent; p.2) + Rains bring hope and death (in different parts of Mozambique; p.3) + Growth in sugar production expected/Cotton harvest up 40% (p.4).

Date: 23-01-98 Source: Africa Confidential, Vol.39, No.2 Page: 7

Mozambique: Peace pains (local elections will help democracy as the economy booms – amid hugh unemployment).

Date: 23-01-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.14 Number of pages: 7

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: 1988 Boom year for investment in Mozambique? (p.2/3) + short art. (cholera epidemic, forthcoming local elections, etc.).

Date: 07-01-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.13 Number of pages: 8

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Cholera – the new enemy (on cholera epidemic in Mozambique; p.2-4) + short art. (popular support for pres. Chissano, philosophy in Mozamb. schools, etc.).

Date: 00-01-98 Source: DOK. 11.4 Page: 41-54

Drinkwater & sanitatie en ontwikkelingssamenwerking (Ministerie van Buitenlandse Zaken; 72 p.): publ. over resultaten van de Nederlandse ontw.samenwerking; o.a. hoofdstuk over Mozambique – herstel na burgeroorlog, m.n. op platteland, en betekenis drinkwatervoorziening en sanitatie voor plattelandsbewoners.

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – July 1996): basic (statistical) information on 34 districts in Mozambique, a.o. on their population, land use (agriculture, water, food security, etc.), commercial sector and social sectors (health, education and civil society). (Maps, figures & tables)

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – July 1996): basic (statistical) information on 34 districts in Mozambique, incl. Gaza Province – districts of Chicualacuala (19 p.), Mabalane (19 p.) and Massangena (17 p.) + Manica Province – districts of Barue (18 p.), Gondola (21 p.), Guro (20 p.), Machaze (17 p.), Macossa (17 p.) & Manica (18 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – July 1996): basic (statistical) information on 34 districts in Mozambique, incl. Manica Province – districts of Mossurize (18 p.), Sussundenga (17 p.) and Tambara (18 p.) + Niassa Province – districts of Lago (16 p.), Lichinga (15 p.), Mandimba (14 p.), Mecanhelas (18 p.) and N'gauma (18 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – July 1996): basic (statistical) information on 34 districts in Mozambique, incl. Sofala Province – districts of Caia (22 p.), Chemba (19 p.) and Chibabava (18 p.) + Tete Province – districts of Angonia (24 p.), Cahora Bassa (16 p.), Changara (18 p.), Chifunde (15 p.) and Chiuta (16 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – July 1996): basic (statistical) information on 34 districts in Mo zambique, incl. Tete Province – districts of Macanga (17 p.), Magoe (15 p.), Maravia (17 p.), Moatize (15 p.), Mutarara (19 p.), Tsangano (16 p.) and Zumbu (16 p.) + Zambezia Province – districts of Milange (20 p.) and Morrumbala (22 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 35 districts in Mozambique, a.o. on their population, land use (agriculture, water, food security, etc.), commercial sector and social sectors (health, education and civil society). (Bibliography + maps, figures & tables)

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 35 districts in Mozambique, incl. Niassa Province – districts of Cuamba (17 p.), Majune (14 p.), Marrupa (16 p.), Maua (16 p.), Mavago (16 p.), Mecula (16 p.), Metarica (16 p.), Muembe (16p.), Nipepe (16p.), Sanga (16p.)

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 35 districts in Mozambique, incl. Sofala Province – districts of Buzi (18p), Cheringoma (17 p.), Dondo (18 p.), Gorongosa (17 p.), Machanga (17 p.), Maringue (17 p.), Marromeu (17 p.), Muanza (16 p.) and Nhamatanda (18 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 35 districts in Mozambique, incl. Cabo Delgado Province – districts of Ancuabe (17 p.), Balama (17 p.), Chiure (17 p.), Ibo (14 p.), Macomia (17 p.), Mecufi (16 p.) Meluco (15 p.), Mocimboa da Praia (17 p.) and Montepuez (18 p.).

Date: 00-01-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: (110)

Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 35 districts in Mozambique, incl. Cabo Delgado Province – districts of Mueda (16 p.), Muidumbe (16 p.), Namuno (16 p.), Nangade (15 p.), Palma (16 p.), Pemba (16 p.) and Quissanga (15 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 32 districts in Mozambique, a.o. on their population, land use (agriculture, water, food security, etc.), commercial sector and social sectors (health, education and civil society). (Bibl. + maps, figures & tables)

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 32 districts in Mozambique, incl. Zambezia Province – districts of Alto Molocue (17 p.), Chinde (19 p.), Gile (17 p.), Gurue (17 p.), Ile (17 p.), Inhassunge (16 p.), Lugela (17 p.), Maganja da Costa (16 p.), Mocumba (18 p.) and Mopeia (19 p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 32 districts in Mozambique, incl. Zambezia Province – districts of Namacurra (16p.), Namarroi (17p.), Nicoadala (17p.) and Pebane (17p.) + Nampula Province – districts Angoche (19p.), Erati (17p.), Lalaua (16p.), Malema (17p.) and Mecuburi (17p.).

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 32 districts in Mozambique, incl. Nampula Province – districts of Meconta, Memba, Mogincual, Mogovolas, Moma, Monapo, Mossuril, Muecate, Murrupula, Nacala, Nacaroa, Namopula and Ribaue. (all 16-19 p.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 454

Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 26 districts in Mozambique, a.o. on their population, land use (agriculture, water, food security, etc.), commercial sector and social sectors (health, education and civil society). (Bibliography + maps, figures & tables)

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 26 districts in Mo zambique, incl. Gaza Province – districts of Bilene, Chibuto , Chigubo, Chokwe, Guija, Mandlakazi, Massingir & Xai-Xai + Inhambane Province – districts Funhaloure, Govuro, Homoine, Inharrime and Inhassoro. (all 16-20 p.)

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Mozambique District Development Profiles (UNHCR/UNDP – Dec. 1997): basic (statistical) information on 26 districts in Mozambique, incl. Inhambane Province – districts of Jangamo, Mabote, Massinga, Morrumbene, Panda and Zavala + Maputo Province – districts of Boane, Magude, Manhica, Marracuene, Matutuine, Moamba and Namaacha. (all 16-20 p.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies, Vol.24, No.1, 1998 Page: 37-60 Violence and social change in a border economy: war in the Maputo hinterland, 1984-1992 (JoAnn McGregor) — Stereotypes in the existing literature of a wartime polarization between rural, traditionalist Renamo communities living in isolation from the market and modern, urban society loyal to the government of Mozambique are inadequate and misleading. This is especially true for the borderlands of the Maputo hinterland, where Renamo developed crucial international networks of support in neighbouring South Africa and Swaziland. In the districts of Matutune and Namaacha, the focus of this paper, Renamo was able, or tried, to elicit support from different sections of the society. The paper first describes the background to the effects of the economic crisis which preceded the war's arrival in Matutune and Namaacha in 1984. Subsequent sections turn to the war itself, detailing government and rebel relations with civilians, the process of depopulation and the nature of military predation on, and involvement in, the cross-border economy and trade supplying the capital city. (Notes, ref.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies, Vol.24, No.1, 1998 Page: 141-160 'This neighbour is not my uncle!': changing relations of power and authority on the Mueda plateau (Harry West) — At independence in 1975, the Frelimo government abolished chieftaincy in Mozambique. Two decades later, Mozambicans are discussing the role to be played by 'traditional authority' in the postcivil war era. Current debates focus on whether or not kin-based political institutions can be considered 'legitimate' expressions of political community in the context of democratic decentralization. In this article, the author approaches the issue of 'traditional authority' as discussants on both sides have not yet done. By examining in detail the complex history of power relations in a specific local context, he illustrates transformations wrought upon kinship-based political institutions and authority figures which add shades of grey to the often black and white arguments over the political 'legitimacy' of 'traditional authority'. The author shows that 'tradition' and political 'legitimacy' are historically situated cultural constructs subject to continuous reworking. The article focuses on the Mueda plateau in the northern Cabo Delgado province, where the inhabitants continue to turn toward family elders in a variety of contexts, despite decades of Frelimo attempts to eliminate kin-based political institutions. (Notes, ref.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies, Vol.24, No.1, 1998 Page: 161-189 Constructing opposition in Mozambique: Renamo as political party (Carrie Manning) — This article examines the transformation of Renamo from a guerrilla movement, long perceived both abroad and by many Mozambicans as a puppet of the South African apartheid regime, into a political party capable of effectively contesting Mozambique's 1994 general elections. A good deal of attention has correctly been focused on the role of the international community in funding Renamo's 'political miracle'. This article seeks to dig a bit deeper into the nature of Renamo's 'political development' by exploring its attempts to construct a political core during the latter years of the war, in order to boost its image at home and aboad and, eventually, to prepare for a peace agreement. The article differs from other studies on Renamo in two ways: it focuses on nonmilitary aspects of Renamo's organization (in particular its recruitment system), and looks at Renamo from the perspective of those who found themselves serving in the organization's political and administrative structures at the end of the war (1992). (Notes, ref.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies, Vol.24, No.1, 1998 Page: 191-205

Disarmamemt in Mozambique (Alex Vines) – In October 1992, a ceasefire in Mozambique was finally agreed upon. The ceasefire signalled the start of a peace process, supervised by the UN's Operation in Mozambique (ONUMOZ). Disarmament was implicit in ONUMOZ's mandate, as a part of demobilization. The UN, however, failed to provide the political and financial resources to ensure that weapons were properly collected and decommissioned. This failure has had serious consequences, especially for South Africa. Post-UN disarmament in Mozambique has been more successful. Since 1995 disarmament has gained speed, and the old weapon caches are no longer such a serious threat to internal security. Ironically, it is South Africa that has suffered most from the peace -dividend, as large numbers of light weapons flowed out of Mozambique. However, joint South Africa-Mozambique police operations (Operations Rachel I-III), and a change in market demands for guns in South Africa, have seen a decline both in the arms trade from Mozambique, and in the illegal retention of AK-47s inside Mozambique. Mozambique's challenge now lies in controlling the flow of new illegal weapons into southern Africa, and the links of senior officials to crime syndicates. (Notes, ref.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Jnl of Southern African Studies, Vol.24, No.1, 1998 Page: 207-222 'A baby who does not cry will not be suckled': Amodeg and the reintegration of demobilised soldiers (Jessica Schafer) - This article examines postwar politics in Mozambique through a case study of the demobilized soldiers' association, Amodeg (Associaáao Moáambicana dos Desmobilizados da Guerra). Amodeg was created towards the end of the war and reflected the government's move towards multipartyism in the new constitution of 1990. Amodeg is of particular interest because of the special status of demobilized soldiers in the postwar period. Amodeg's incorporation of demobilized soldiers from the armies of both Renamo and Frelimo also provided an important testing ground for the government's commitment to multiparty politics and reconciliation. After a brief history of Amodeg, the author focuses on the relationships between Amodeg, the State and donors/implementing agencies in the international community. Subsequently, she assesses the extent of Amodeg's autonomy and its ability to represent its members. She shows that Amodeg's autonomy was restricted by its material dependence on the government and international agencies. International agencies' insistence on 'civic education' undermined Amodeg's capacity to meet its members demands, address fundamental obstacles to reintegration or promote reconciliation. Yet, the organization has managed to mobilize its constituency to press for their rights and to show its members how to influence the government. (Notes, ref.)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Review of African Political Economy, No.75, 1998 Page: 124-132

Quantos somos?: the second national population census of Mozambique (Graham Harrison) — Between 1 and 15 August 1997, Mozambique had its second country-wide population census. This briefing outlines how the census ran — an operation of considerable scale in an extremely poor and war-damaged country, and raises some broader questions relating the census to Mozambique's contemporary politics. The author discusses the history of the census, the first postindependence census of 1980, the 1997 census in Cabo Delgado, and the politics of the census, in particular as part of a broader process of national consolidation. There was general consensus that the population census had been a success, although not all areas had been covered. In sum, it would appear that the census was not a 'Frelimo census'; however, there were allegations on a local level of party political intrigue. (Bibliogr., notes)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Transformation, No.35, 1998 Page: 1-48

Dhlakama e maningue nice!: an atypical former guerrilla in the Mozambican electoral campaign (M. Cahen) – Discusses some of the complexities of politics in Mozambique with the focus on RENAMO leader Afonso Dhlakama. Analyses internal factors and the dilemmas of nation building in Africa.

Date: 23-12-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.12 Number of pages: 7

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Heavy penalties for illegal trading in medicine (p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique (Renamo no to national budget, Swazi demand on Mozambique territory, workers' protest in Maputo harbour, etc.).

Date: 04-12-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.123 Page: 1+2+4

Cholera epidemic sweeps south of country (p.1) + President warns of dangers of deforestation (as result of reckless agricultural practices in Mozambique; p.2) + Somali refugees (in Kenya) claim Mozambican roots (ancestors came from Mozambique as slaves; p.4).

Date: 01-12-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.11 Number of pages: 6

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Reintroduction of conscription – Renamo boycotts government's bill (p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique (IMF satisfied with Mozambican progress in economic development, demining program in Mozambique, etc.).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: CPS Research Reports, No.61 Number of pages: 117

New capacities for old? Prospects for public-private partner ships in service delivery in South Africa, Angola and Mozamque (Simon Stacey): background and theory, review policy and players + chapters on telecommunications (p.43-60), water (p;61-80) and housing (p.81-92) in South Africa + on Mozambique and Angola (p.93-104) + Conclusion. (Notes)

Date: 22-11-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 2

Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin – extra edition on the date of the local elections in Mozambique now set on Friday 29 May 1998.

Date: 05-11-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 8

Sel. PANA reports 1-3/11/97 on Mozambique: parliament approves reintroducing military conscription (opposed by Renamo; 3 p.) + president Chissano on corruption in Mozambique (2 p.) + statement Mozambican Debt Group questioning the World Bank/IMF position on Mozambique's debt (4 p.).

Date: 00-11-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.256 Page: 8-12

Human Rights League publishes its first report (on human rights situation in Mozambique, May 1995 – December 1996; summary report, esp. on misconduct by the police (p.8/9) + Local election date altered: Mozambican parliament postpones municipal elections (until April 1998 or later) after fierce debate with and between opposition parties (p.10-12).

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 (CSVR & 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 (CSVR & Oxfam); incl. Physical, psychological and political displacement in Angola and Mozambique (F. Tunga Alberto; 4 p.).

Date: 30-10-97 Source: BAB Working Paper, No.8/1997 Number of pages: 13

Angola and Mozambique: the weight of history (Patrick Chabal , King's College London); historical examination of the colonial period and anti-colonial struggle in resp. Angola and Mozambique and the possible lessons for re-interpreting the developments in both countries since independence and their current situations. (Notes)

Date: 29-10-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.10 Number of pages: 6

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Witch craft gets the blame (on health problems of rural people in Tete province; p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique.

Date: 22-10-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.120 Page: 1+4

Local elections not possible before April 1998 (incl. launch voter education campaign and voter registration in November /December 1997 in Mozambique; p.1) + Tourist complex in Gaza province opens / Blanchard starts re-stocking Maputo Elephant Reserve (part of his eco-tourism project in southern Mozambique; p.4).

Date: 13-10-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.9 Number of pages: 6

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Red tape and corruption (on bureaucratic and corruption problems Mozambique; p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique.

Date: 09-10-97 Source: DOK. 10.1 Number of pages: 15

Brief Min. van Ontwikkelingssamenwerking Pronk aan Tweede Kamer met verslag van zijn werkbezoek aan Mozambique in aug. 1997, m.n. over de samenwerkingsrelatie Mozambique-Nederland (hoofdpunten Nederlands ontwikkelingsbeleid t.a.v. Mozambique, gezondheid, onderwijs, milieu, vrouwen, macroeconomische steun, Beira, rurale ontwikkeling, etc.).

Date: 08-10-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.119 Page: 2

Human rights report published: report local Human Rights League on human rights situation in Mozambique in 1996, incl. many cases of police misconduct, issues of domestic and labour disputes, poor prison conditions, etc.

Date: 00-10-97 Source: Nieuwsbrief Amsterdam-Beira, Jrg.2, nr.2 Page: 2/3

Amsterdammers in Beira: interview met Jan en Frouke Draisma (sinds 1970 werkzaam in Mozambique).

Date: 00-10-97 Source: SADC Today, Vol.1, No.5 Page: 10

Mozambique: a country with capacity to transform – interview with Mozambican president Chissano on his long-term vision on Mozambique, its economic policies, regional cooperation, etc.

Date: 00-10-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 9

Mozambique – under new management (Joseph Hanlon): How an African country came to be controlled by international businesses and aid agencies. [Soundings, No.7, p.184-194]

Date: 00-10-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.255 Page: 4-9

Corruption in the judiciary: report on meeting Judicial Council of Mozambique in September on this issue (p.4/5) + Private sector conference: report on fourth annual meeting between Mozambican government and business sector, about tax reform, continuing bureaucratic problems, corruption, the investment climate in Mozambique, etc. (p.6-9).

Date: 00-10-97 Source: Awepa Bulletin, Vol.11, nr.3, 1997 Page: 5-10

Conference on Refugees of the Period of Destabilisation (in Nelspruit, South Africa, June 1997): general conclusions & recommendations (mainly on Mozambican refugees in South Africa; p.5-7) + National seminar for the political parties in Mozambique (org. AWEPA, Sept.1997; p.8/9) + Mozambican parliamentarians visit South Africa, Zimbabwe and Angola (p.10).

Date: 00-10-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 18

Groen licht voor Afrika – Landenstudie: Mozambique en wederopbouw (Evert Vermeer Stichting); m.n. overzicht civil society (incl. rol donoren) en de activiteiten van de Nederlandse overheid in Mozambique + conclusies en aanbevelingen m.b.t. de bijdrage van Nederland aan de wederopbouw van het land. (Literatuur)

Date: 25-09-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.8 Number of pages: 7
Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Program me against poverty – are the right people getting the aid? (guestions around poverty allevation project financed by ADB; p.1/2) a.o. short art. on

recent developments in Mozambique.

Date: 09-09-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.7 Number of pages: 6

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Realism strikes home – education for all in 2010 (slow process of rebuilding Mozambique's educational network; p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique (a.o. UNESCO project to support Radio Mozambique to set up community radios).

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.19 Page: 1-6

Local elections postponed: May 1998 is most likely the new date; incl. chronicle of the delay, election commission starts, donor funds and NGO activities in relation to the elections.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.19 Page: 6-8

What role for 'traditional leaders'? – review debate about their role in Mozambique since the 1980s, incl. impact of the land law on their position.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.19 Page: 26-32

Documents on local government (elections) in Mozambique – mostly in Portuguese (p.26/27) + New books and reports on Mozambique – reviews (p.28-32).

Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 5

Literatuurlijst – Mozambique (Sandra Debets, DDI/DOC-DAF): Lijst Ministerie van Buitenlandse Zaken, Dienst Documentaire Informatievoorziening met bronnen 1996/97 in hun bestand over Mozambique.

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).

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

Date: 25-08-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.6 Number of pages: 8

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Impending drought treat to Mozambique (incl. possible impact on agriculture and food production in country; p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique (iron reduction plant for Beira city, bankworkers to be fired, etc.).

Date: 09-08-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.5 Number of pages: 8

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: New land law for Mozambique (giving peasants title deeds on land on which they have worked for at least 10 years; p.2-4) a.o. short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique

Date: 08-08-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.116 Page: 1+2

Population census begins: Mozambiques's second national population census, scheduled to run from 1-15 August 1997 (p.1) + Transport links central to Maputo Corridor: transport ministers Mozambique and South Africa on the role of the private sector, upgrading transport links, planned industrial projects and ecotourism in the Maputo Corridor (p.2).

Date: 01-08-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.115 Page: 1-4

South Africa to finance mine clearance in Mozambique (incl. progress and delays in Mozambique's demining programme and role of foreign donors and companies involved; p.1/2) + Mozambican parliament debates bills on environmental conservation, the electricity industry and land tenure policy (p.2-4).

Date: 00-08-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.253 Page: 17-20

Customs claim sucesses: esp. against smuggling between Mozambique and South Africa (p.17/18) + Elections Commission sworn in: report on start work National Elections Commission and problematic preparations for forth coming local government elections in Mozambique (p.19/20).

Date: 26-07-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.4 Number of pages: 5

Fortnightly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Mozambique cashew nuts production problems (p.1/2) + other short stories on recent developments in Mozambique (refugees in South Africa want to come home, maternity leave rights ignored by employers, etc.).

Date: 17-07-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.114 Page: 1+4

Third developments corridor to be launched (in northern province of Nampula) + Privatised companies doing well (according to Mozambican government) (p.1) + Gencor approves aluminium smelter (to be built in southern Mozambique) + South African immigrant farmers due to start agricultural and livestock production in August. (p.4)

Date: 17-07-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.114 Page: 2/3

Assembly discusses land law: debate in parliament Mozambique on government bill on land tenure policy, esp. position Renamo on land privatisation and traditional authorities, women's rights (in rural areas), etc.

Date: 17-07-97 Source: DOK. 10.1 Number of pages: 4

Beantwoording Tweede Kamervragen door diverse ministers in juli 1997 m.b.t. de handel in ivoor – incl. handel in paspoorten via Internet (o.a. uit Mozambique; 1 p.).

Date: 00-07-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 12

VSO Nieuws, nr.2, zomer 1997: special over Mozambique, met korte reportages uit Mozambique, interview met VSO-ers over hun ervaringen in het land, etc. (Voluntary Service Overseas)

Date: 00-07-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.252 Page: 4-8

Election date in dispute: debate about date Mozambique's first municipal elections in Dec.1997 or later (p.4-6) + Showdown in Maringue: report on clashes between Renamo demonstrators and the riot police in various places in Mozambique (p.6-8).

Date: 00-07-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.252 Page: 11-15

HIPC initiative in danger: IMF threatens to block Mozambique qualifying for World Bank debt relief (p.11-13) + Mozambique now world's tenth poorest country (according to UNDP annual report; p.13-15).

Date: 00-07-97 Source: World Bank Findings, Africa Region, No.90 Number of pages: 5 War-to-peace transition in Mozambique: the Provincial Reintegration Support Programme – report on World Bank programme in Mozambique since mid-1994 aimed at reintegrating ex-combatants in society on a provincial level. [www.worldbank.org/aftdr/findings/english]

Date: 00-07-97 Source: Politeia, Vol.16, No.2, 1997 Page: 50-59

Political-constitutional change in Angola and Mozambique since independence: a comparative perspective (J. Kirsten & M. Bester) – Highlights the similarities and differences in the postcolonial political constitutional change in Angola and Mozambique from 1975 to 1994.

Date: 27-06-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12, no.24 Page: 187

SA's Gencor smelter will be largest private investment: report on Mozambique's largest privvate investment by SA mining company Gencor in Maputo to smelt aluminium.

Date: 27-06-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12, no.24 Page: 188

Sweden cancels debt: Sweden agrees to cancel two-thirds of debt service owned to Mozambique for the period 1995-1999 (in line with decision reached by Paris club of Western creditors November 1996).

Date: 23-06-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.2 Number of pages: 6

Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Mozambique's rocky road to democracy (esp. on

continuing conflicts between Renamo and the Frelimo government; p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in Mozambique (SADC theatre festival in Maputo, polio & menigitis in Mozambique, etc.).

Date: 18-06-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.112 Page: 1+2+4

Dhlakama promises more protests (Renamo against "misgovernment" in Mozambique; p.1) + UN Development Report (findings on socio-economic conditions Moz.; p.2) + Mozambique government's commitment to improve conditions of children / Maputo top security prison condemned as slaughter house (p.4)

Date: 13-06-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.22 Page: 171

Date given for first local elections: local elections set on December 27, 1997. Incl. (some of the) functions and powers of the elected local governments. + Germany pardons debt: Germany agrees to pardon and reschedule Mozambican debt.

Date: 09-06-97 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.1 Number of pages: 6
Bi-monthly update of news from Mozambique – feature: Havoc of landmines in Mozambique (progress Mozambique's demining programme; p.2/3) + short art. on various recent developments in country (pregnancy still high for women of Mozambique, night shelter for street children, etc.).

Date: 05-06-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.111 Page: 1-3

Frelimo Congress elects new Central Committee: report 7th Frelimo Congress in Maputo in May 1997, incl. (largely new) membership of Central Committee, election Political Commission a.o. officials, report outgoing Central Committee, new Frelimo programme, etc.

Date: 00-06-97 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.1, Nr.2 Page: 4/5

"De enige moraal is: ik, ik, ik" – interview met Janet Mondlane, grand old lady van Mozambique; over het gebrek aan demokratie in Mozambique, de (teleurstellende) politiek van Frelimo na de onafhankelijkheid, huidige situatie in het land, etc. (inkl. biografische details).

Date: 00-06-97 Source: Mozambique Peace Process Bulletin, No.18 Number of pages: 12 Short reports on recent developments in Mozambique, esp. on Local elections in 33 cities, the political process and the role of foreign donors in Mozambique (p.1-6) + Creating local government (details on the process; p.7-12). [published by AWEPA; editor: Joseph Hanlon]

Date: 00-06-97 Source: AWEPA Bulletin, Vol.11, nr.2 Page: 4-6 a.o. Review recent political developments in Mozambique (on municipal elections, parliament, etc.).

Date: 00-06-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.251 Page: 10-14

Economic success pleases donors: report annual meeting World Bank's Consultative Group on Mozambique, Paris, 15-16/5/97; incl. background on Mozambique's economic performance in 1996 and continuous foreign debt problem, funding pledges for 1997, etc.

Date: 00-06-97 Source: DOK. 11.4 Number of pages: 40

Mining & Business in Southern Africa, Vol.6, No.1: a.o. art. economic integration and developments in Southern Africa, the region's investment potential, mining technology in the SADC, joint Zimbabwe-Mozambique iron & gas project (p.9/10), position Anglo American Corporation, etc.

Date: 31-05-97 Source: Monthly Regional Bulletin 6/5 Page: 9-10

Donors pledge \$560m in aid, debt relief measures called for: report on donor aid to Mozambique debt problem, UN Development Programme (UNDP) backs calls for relief. Incl. some facts on Mozambican debt.

Date: 22-05-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.110 Page: 1-3

Frelimo opens seventh congress (incl. opening speech pres. Chissano, foreign delegates at congress, etc.; p.1) + World Bank Consultative Group on Mozambique: annual meeting in Paris – PM Mocumbi on results meeting, foreign financing and economic policy in Mozambique, position World Bank, IMF and UNDP on the economy, foreign debt Mozambique, etc. (p.2/3).

Date: 19-05-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 14

Sel. press bureau/newspaper art. 18/2-19/5/97 on Mozambique: political offensive by Renamo, international donor pledges to Mozambique,, cooperation with China, environmentally controversial land deal with American billionaire, women gain little from economic reforms, profile Graca Machel, Mozambique quits Comesa, etc. [SAPA, IPS, AFP, Star]

Date: 15-05-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 4

Hoe het armste land ter wereld overleeft: m.n. over betekenis van de 'informele sector' in Mozambique (veel foto's). [FNV Magazine]

Date: 08-05-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.109 Page: 1+2

Extra session for Assembly to discuss land bill (a.o. bills, incl. final debate in parliament on municipalisation of Mozambique; p.1) + Modernisation of transport links (in Maputo Corridor to South Africa; p.2) + Water

supply project to cost \$150 million (National Project of Water Supply Development in Mozambique to start end 1997; p.4).

Date: 07-05-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 44

Descentralização e poder local – relatorio (Carlos Serra & Guilherme Mbilana; Maputo): research study of perceptions of the various actors on the (dis)advantages of the decentralisation process in Mozambique, incl. centre/north vs south issue, 'centre-periphery syndrom', informal decentralisation + recommendations. (Notes & bibliography) (in Portuguese)

Date: 00-05-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 21

Relatorio sectoral da communicacao social (UNRISD/PSISS, War -Torn Societies Project) – Mozambique Country Report (by Salamao Moyana): examination of how the Mozambican media are being used as means of propaganda in support or against the political forces in power and their role in the process of democratisation and national reconciliation. (in Portuguese)

Date: 00-05-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.250 Page: 3

An inconvenient date: editorial comment on the date for the local elections in Mozambique – 27 December 1997, right in the middle of the festive season (arguing for postponement).

Date: 00-05-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.250 Page: 5-13

Dhlakama in Germany (in April 1997, mainly trying to secure financial support for Renamo; p.5/6) + Renamo amendments all defeated (detailed report on parliamentary debate in April on the 1997 local government elections in Mozambique, rejecting all Renamo criticism on local authorities bills, election process, etc.

Date: 22-04-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.108 Page: 1+2

President calls for management and protection of water (water resource management top priority Mozambique; p.1) + President rallies against (municipal) election boycott (as treathened by Renamo) / President to visit United States (in April 1997). (p.2)

Date: 22-04-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.108 Page: 3/4

International business round-up: Mauritanian businessmen visit Mozambique, Mozambican and Malaysian businessmen meet, calls to avoid land privatisation and government funds for Mosagrius (agricultural project in Niassa with South African farmers).

Date: 14-04-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 2

Mozambique explores policies for a precious resource – water : results survey on the high costs of water supply to poor people in Maputo, Mozambique (Sandra Gitner & Sarah Keener). [EDI (Economic Development Institute) Forum, Vol.1, No.3]

Date: 09-04-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.107 Page: 1+2

World Food Programme aims for food security in Mozambique (4 years donor-supported programme; p.1) + Security stepped up at border with South Africa (illegal migration into SA; p.2) + Opposition coalition expanded (Democratic Union, contesting the municipal elections at the end of 1997; p.4).

Liberal democracy vs. popular democracy in southern Africa (John S. Saul) — This article accompanies an essay reviewing recent literature on 'transitions to democracy' which will be published in the next issue of 'Review of African Political Economy'. There the author contrasts two approaches to the understanding of democratization — the 'political economy of democratization' approach and the more pessimistic 'political science of democratization' approach. The present article analyses two cases of transition in southern Africa which both seem to epitomize the 'political science' approach, yet to contain the longer-term possibility of 'popular democracy'. In South Africa the left accepted the necessity of a negotiated transition to obviate the risk of civil war. However, the ANC, to retain the 'confidence' of local and external capital and of foreign governments, has had to demobilize its popular support. What keeps a progressive agenda alive are the pressures from trade unions, civics, women's organizations etc. In Mozambique, the transition has been less euphoric, more a matter of transition from authoritarian rule and from war than to a democratic regime. As in South Africa, the transition would seem to disempower popular forces, but outside the electoral arena, there are instances of resistance and struggle within civil society. (Bibliogr., notes, ref.)

Date: 00-04-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.249 Page: 3-13

Editorial + report on debate in parliament on Renamo's terrorist role (still defended) in the past (p.3-5) + Bitter debates on local authorities: detailed report on parliamentary debate about the government's bills on municipalities and local elections in Mozambique (esp. on criticism opposition party Renamo; p.6-13).

Date: 00-04-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.249 Page: 14-16

State of the Nation address by president Chissano in Mozambique's parliament on 14 March 1997: mainly on 1996 bill about public holidays at Islamic sacred dates, rejected by Supreme Court as unconstitutional and referred back to parliament + Money for political parties (continuing issue of Renamo debt from '94 elections, incl. figures on fin. support; p.15/16)

Date: 21-03-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.106 Page: 1/2

President acclaims tangible advance in economy: speech in parliament on situation in areas affected by recent floods, improvements in Mozambique's economy, alarming rise of crime and the importance of forthcoming census (p.1) + President denies political discrimination in civil service (as claimed by opposition – debate following his speech; p.2).

Date: 07-03-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.105 Page: 1+4

150,000 flood victims in Tete province of Mozambique (incl. possible role of Cahora Bassa dam in flooding; p.1) + Assembly pass bill on local authorities (in spite of fierce opposition by Renamo; p.4).

Date: 00-03-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.248 Page: 4-7

Mozambique bans landmines (report 4th International NGO Conference on Landmines in Maputo, February 1997; p.4-6) + Theses for Frelimo Congress (to be held in May 1997): summary of theses by Frelimo Central Committee for congress – on socioeconomic policies, reintroduction of conscription, etc. (p.6/7)

Date: 00-03-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.248 Page: 8-14

Local election bills debated: Mozambique parliament starts with debate on seven local authority/elections bills, vigorously criticised by Renamo (details on contents bills and position Renamo).

Date: 00-03-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.248 Page: 14-17

Severe floods in central provinces (Sofala, Manica and Tete, following heavy rains in January and February; p.14/15) + World Bank changes its line (of stripping the Mozambican cashew industry of protection; incl. other support programmes World Bank to Mozambique (p.16/17).

Date: 27-02-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.104 Page: 1-3

President visits flood regions in Mozambique (incl. appeal for international aid; p.1) + Large 1996 harvest, despite early floods (1995 & 1996 figures on agricultural products in Mozambique; p.2) + World Bank projects to be reappraised (in Mozambique) + World Bank changes line on cashew nuts (protection Mozambican cashew processing industry) (p.3).

Date: 25-02-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 10

Sel. pressbureau and SAn newspaper reports 9/1-25/2/97 on recent developments in Mozambique: emergency appeal for flood victims, UNDP programme for rural development and envi ronmental protection in Mozambique, new-found vibrancy in Mozambique press, etc. [SAPA/PANA + M&G/Business Day online]

Date: 21-02-97 Source: DOK. 9.3 Number of pages: 34

EU – ACP trade in 1995: set of tables for sel. ACP-countries with 1995 EU trade statistics (principal products), incl. imports/exports tables on all ACP and COMESA-countries, SADC incl. SA, Mozambique, etc. (2 pages each).

Date: 07-02-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.5 Page: 40

Germany to be main poll funder: Germany main funder for municipal elections due to be held November 1997. Iranian submarine facility denied: Mozambique denies giving Iran submarine facilities, though military links believed to exist.

Date: 06-02-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.103 Page: 1

Bank meets to review success in economy: report Bank of Mozambique on the economic situation and developments in 1996 in Mozambique, incl. balance of payments, inflation, etc.

Date: 00-02-97 Source: Southern Africa Report, Vol.12, No.2 Page: 30-32
Stealing the peace dividend: bookreview of "Peace without profit: How the IMF blocks rebuilding in Mozambique" by Joseph Hanlon (James Currey, Oxford & Heinemann, 1996; 176 p.)

Date: 00-02-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.247 Page: 6-9

Privatisations nears completion (report on mixed results privatisation programme of the Mozambican government; p.6-8) + Fare rises for Maputo transport (report on bus fare increases in January, incl. criticism by trade union federation OTM; p.8/9).

Date: 00-02-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.247 Page: 15-17+24

Dramatic fall in inflation (low 1996 inflation figures in Mozambique, incl. improving balance of payments and continuing foreign debt problem; p.15) + Renamo and local elections (different positions by Renamo leaders on the local elections in Mozambique, scheduled for the end of 1997; p.16/17+24).

Date: 30-01-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 16

U.S. Department of State: Mozambique 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 Mozambique. [www.state.gov]

Date: 24-01-97 Source: Southscan, Vol. 12 n0.3 Page: 23-24

Renamo threatens poll boycot: (political) problems on this year's local elections in Mozambique. + More pay for ex-combatants: UN Development Programme to give additional money to demobilised Renamo and govt soldiers (small oubreaks of violence had occurred).

Date: 23-01-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.102 Page: 1+2

Renamo threatens to boycott local elections (Renamo criticism of government plans for municipal elections Mozambique at the end of 1997; p.1) + Refugees en route to South Africa using Mozambique as a corridor (incl. role UNHCR; p.2).

Date: 17-01-97 Source: Southscan, Vol.12 no.2 Page: 16

Cashew industry jobs decimated: short review (state owned) cashew industry, liberalised and workers made redundant. + Privatisation nears end: Mozambican privatisation programme reportedly almost completed.

Date: 08-01-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.101 Page: 1+4

Central Bank pledges fight against inflation in Mozambique + Foreign investment on increase in 1996 + \$250 million in Swedish aid to Mozambique over the next five years (p.1) + Increase in Mozambican miners in South Africa (incl. figures on & living conditions of Mozambican miners in SA) + Massive coal investment planned in Tete (by SA company JCI) (p.4).

Date: 00-01-97 Source: SAPEM, Vol.10, No.3&4 Page: 20/21

Zimbabwe: A second revival for the Beira Corridor – review launch Beira Development Corridor in Dec.1996, role Beira Corridor group (BCG) & participating countries (Zimbabwe, Mozambique), role South Africa, etc.

Date: 00-01-97 Source: SAPEM, Vol.10, No.3&4 Page: 23+25

Mozambique" A candid look at economic reform – Soares Nhaca, general secretary of Mozambique's federation of trade unions OTM-CS, argues that the country's workers have borne the brunt of the World Bank/IMF sponsored economic reforms and that they have well fallen below expectations.

Date: 00-01-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.246 Page: 6-12

Assembly passes drugs law (incl. debate about equating canna bis with hard drugs in Mozambican parliament; p.6/7) + 1997 plan and budget debated (report on parliamentary debate on the government budget for 1997 in December, incl. background to economic and financial policies of the Mozambique government; p.8-12).

Date: 00-01-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.246 Page: 13-18+24

Battles over local authority law: parliament adopts government bill formally establishing directly elected local authorities in Mozambique (p.13-16) + Newly appointed Interior Minister attacks corruption and abuse of power in police force (p.16/17) + Cashew export tax reduced (threathening Mozambique's cashew processing industry; p.17/18+24)

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 11.1 Number of pages: 17

Whose water supply? Costs, management and maintenance in southern Africa (Paul Taylor, Univ. of Zimbabwe): introductory art. (3 p.) on series of art. by various authors about water supply and management in Namibia (4 p.), Botswana (3 p), Mozambique (3 p.) and South Africa (4 p.). (References) [from: Waterlines, Vol.15, No.3, Jan.1997, p.6-13+19-28]

Date: 00-01-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 21

From bullets to ballots – Mozambique's vote for democratic governance: Electoral assistance to postconflict societies (USAID); report on the October 1994 elections in Mozambique (background, conduct, outcome, consequences, etc.) and the international assistance to Mozambique around the elections (esp. by USAID).

Pagina 18- 23: Aanvullende bronnenlijst over de economie van Mozambique in 1997-1998 Page 18- 23: Additional list of sources on the economy of Mozambique in 1997-1998

Date: 21-12-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 8

Mozambican parliament questions debt management (report conference Mozambican MPs and NGOs in Maputo; 2 p.) + sel. art. Business Day online 2-15/12/98 on Mozambique's economy (Beira smelter project, Pande gas field, Mozambique – US bilateral investment agreement).

Date: 00-12-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.269 Page: 4-7

Impasse over natural gas agreement (between Mozambique government and US corporation Enron over gas option deal on the Pande field; p.4/5) + New customs procedures introduced (incl. criticism of procedures from Mozambique's business sector; p.6/7).

Date: 00-12-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.269 Page: 9-15

Question time in the Assembly (debate in Mozambican parliament about various economic and labour issues; p.9-11) + Frelimo Central Committee meets (in November 1998; on various socio-economic issues; p.14/15).

Date: 00-11-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.268 Page: 13-16

SADC transport protocol discussed (report SADC-EU conference on transport and communications in Southern Africa; p.13-15) + HIV positives form association in Maputo (p.16).

Date: 24-10-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.27 Page: 1/2

Feature: Transport protocol for Mozambique and the SADC (on SADC-EU conference on transport in Southern Africa).

Date: 08-10-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.144 Page: 1/2

Consultative group meets 1999 financing needs (report World Bank's Consultative Group on Mozambique meeting on 25/9/98, esp. on socio-economic situation in Mozambique).

Date: 05-10-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.26 Page: 1/2

Feature: Private sector concerned about red tape (new rules on the requirements for starting up commercial or industrial enterprise in Mozambique).

Date: 00-10-98 Source: DOK. 11.4 Page: 29

Buitenlandse Markten (EVD; 40 p.), Zuidelijk Afrika special: o.a. Mozambique is vooral investeringsmarkt.

Date: 00-10-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.267 Page: 6-10

Fourth private sector conference in Maputo, 16/9/98 (detailed report on debate about the situation and problems of the private sector in Mozambique, deregulation/liberalisation policies of the government, etc.).

Date: 00-10-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.267 Page: 10-14

Consultative Group meets in Maputo (22-24/9/98): report meeting World Bank's Consultative Group on Mozambique, incl. monetary policy of the government, foreign funding of socio-economic development plans in Mozambique, NGO's for total write-off of the country's foreign debt, etc.)

Date: 24-09-98 Source: DOK. 7.4 Number of pages: 14

Africa News Update (Norwegian Council for Africa): series of short art. on current developments in (Southern) African countries, incl. Mozambique (economy, position on donors, debt repayments; p.3-6).

Date: 08-09-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.142 Page: 1/2

New road programme announced (by Mozambican government; p.1) + Steel factory proposed for Maputo (agreement with SA and US companies, incl. economic impact planned factory; p.2).

Date: 00-09-98 Source: Monthly Regional Bulletin, Vol.7, No.9 Page: 7-11

Mozambique: Banking is profitable business (commercial banks are doing well under improving macro-economic situation in Mozambique; p.7/8) + Region: Mozal construction starts (new aluminium smelter, with large South African interests, outside Maputo, incl. economic impact of project; p.10/11).

Date: 00-09-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.266 Page: 9-14

Agreement signed on steel factory in Maputo area (between Mozambican government, IDC of South Africa and US company Enron; incl. economic and environmental impact of project; p.9-11) + Disquiet over plans to incinerate toxic waste in Mozambique (mainly on protest environmental groups & position Mozambican government; p.11-14).

Date: 00-08-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.265 Page: 12-15

Revised statistics for 1997 (showing much higher economic growth than the provisional figures; incl. criticism of significance growth figures; p.12/13) + MOZAL foundation stone laid (new aluminium smelter outside Maputo – investment by Billiton, Mitshubishi and South Africa's IDC; p.14/15).

Date: 00-07-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.264 Page: 12-16

Redundancy pay for cashew workers (large scale unemployment for cashew workers because of World Bank imposed liberalisation of the industry in past three years, incl. position cashew workers union SINTIC; p.12-14) + Cahora Bassa power for the south of Mozambique (following negotiations with major shareholder Portugal; p.15/16).

Date: 16-06-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 2

Alles moet anders: de haven van Beira leert van Amsterdam (Peter Wagenaar); modernisering en privatisering van de haven van Beira m.m.v. Amsterdamse deskundigen. [NRC]

Date: 00-06-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.263 Page: 9-11

EU blackmail suspected over fish (continuing EU ban on import of Mozambican fresh fish; p.9/10) + Tax break for the rich (on tax system reforms by Mozambique government; p.11).

Date: 00-06-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.263 Page: 15/16

HIPC's dubious figures: criticism of World Ban/IMF figures on Mozambique's debt and economy, which undermine the debt relief programme for Mozambique of the HIPC initiative.

Date: 00-06-98 Source: SAPEM, Vol.11. No.8 Page: 10-13

Policy prescriptions and conditionalities: the World Bank does it again: Backson Sibanda (UNEP) criticises IMF/World Bank's policy on the cashew industry in Mozambique, incl. economic profile Mozambique (p.13).

Date: 19-05-98 Source: MNA-AIM Reports, No.134 Page: 2

New figures bring debt relief into question (comments on latest HIPC initiative deal on Mozambique).

Date: 19-05-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 7

Sel. art. 22/4-15/5/98 from the Mail & Guardian on-line on Mozambique: illegal Mozambicans entering South Africa, economic growth rate in Mozambique, Mozambique in search for foreign investors, etc.

Date: 00-05-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.262 Page: 4-7

Roads programme a disaster (former World Bank representative in Mozambique, Roberto Chavez, on the failure of Mozambique 's road programme – funded by the World Bank; p.4-6) + HIPC 'decision point' reached (World Bank and IMF formally declared Mozambique on 7 April eligible for the HIPC debt relief initiative; p.6/7).

Date: 09-04-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 12

'Massive debt relief on the way for Mozambique' [Business Day online] a.o. art.7-9/4/98 on the World Bank debt relief package for Mozambique – World Bank press release, AIM news item (HIPC decision point reached) and commentary J. Hanlon (Mozambique debt 'relief' means higher debt payments).

Date: 00-04-98 Source: INZET magazine, nr.36 Page: 7/8

Wie regeert Mozambique? Macht van hulpverleners en Wereldbank groot (Madeleine Maurick); Luisa Diogo, Mozambikaans staatssecretaris van Financien, over de onevenredige invloed van buitenlandse donoren op de interne Mozambikaanse besluitvorming.

Date: 00-04-98 Source: Monthly Regional Bulletin, Vol.7, No.4 Page: 9/10

Mozambique: Debts go in World Bank deal but service payments remain high (international debt situation of Mozambique).

Date: 00-04-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 64

Environmental impact assessment for a Hot Briquetted Iron (HBI) project near Beira, Mozambique – Final Scoping Report (Project Proponent: JCI Limited); background and base case for the HBI project, description affected environment, environmental impact assessment, potential environmental impacts and specialist studies (last section incomplete).

Date: 31-03-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.18 Page: 1/2

Feature: Mozambican debt - how heavy is the burden? (now more than seven billion US dollars).

Date: 25-03-98 Source: DOK. 10.1 Number of pages: 1

Persbericht Ministerie van Economische Zaken: Resultaten handelsmissie naar Zimbabwe en Mozambique (staatssecr. van economische zaken Anneke van Dok – versterking economische samenwerking van Nederland met beide landen).

Date: 00-03-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.260 Page: 12-17

Customs performance better than planned (in 1997; p.12/13) + Cashew industry demands compensation (from World Bank for heavy losses as result of liberalisation of trade in raw cashews imposed by the Bank in 1995; p.14-17).

Date: 00-03-98 Source: Zuidelijk Afrika, Jrg.2, nr.1 Page: 15-18

Van wie is Mozambique: IMF en donoren belemmeren wederopbouw – Joseph Hanlon over de harde economische politiek van de Mozambikaanse regering o.i.v. IMF en Wereldbank en de toenemende afhankelijkheid van het land van buitenlandse donoren + Int. met Luisa Diogo, staatssecr. van financien, over het financieel-economisch beleid van de Mozambikaanse regering.

Date: 00-03-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 2

Beira Corridor goes private: suspicions surround decision to wind up the Beira Corridor Group (BCG) in December last year, only to replaced it with a private company pursuing the same objectives. [South African Economist, March 1998]

Date: 27-02-98 Source: Mozambique News Online, No.16 Page: 1/2

Feature: Oil agreement between Mozambique and BP (giving BP exclusive rights to a prospective offshore drilling area in the Zambezi Delta).

Date: 19-02-98 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 12

Sel. SAPA a.o. art. 20/1-19/2/98 on Mozambique's debt problem: Eurodad HIPC Update on Mozambique, Mozambique not satisfied with Paris Club debt relief (80%, but not enough), background debt issue, etc. [SAPA-AP-AFP-IPS, AIM, Business Day online]

Date: 26-01-98 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.126 Page: 1

Paris Club caps debt relief at 80 per cent (at meeting 21/1/98, but Oxfam a.o. state that this is not enough to bring Mozambique's debt down to sustainable levels).

Date: 12-01-98 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.125 Page: 1

President predicts 9.5 per cent economic growth in 1998 / Investment earned Mozambique government \$335 million between 1985 and 1997 (from National Direct Investment projects).

Date: 00-01-98 Source: TIPS Working Paper No.7 Number of pages: 56

The problems and prospects of Mozambique's three corridors: A case study in regional integration in Southern Africa (Geoffrey Wood, Rhodes Univ.); Mozambique's socio-political context, transport corridors in Southern Africa, impact of regional trade blocs and key policy issues and options for regional integration. (Notes, bibliography, maps & figures)

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.258 Page: 10-13

Plan and budget for 1998: PM Mocumbi on the results of the government's economic programme in 1997 and plans for 1998, the impact of debt relief measures, scepticism in parliament of some government targets, etc.

Date: 00-01-98 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.258 Page: 17/18

World Bank's country director for Mozambique, Phyllis Pomerantz, spreads disinformation about the impact of its cashew industry liberalisation programme on Mozambique (esp. in Nordic countries).

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: 17-12-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 14

World Bank lobbies for Mozambique debt relief (against its own debt relief guidelines; 1 p.) [Business Day on-line] + Mozambican civil society attacks World Bank over its country assistance strategy (statement by Mozambique Debt Group; 4 p.) + memo John Hanlon on same subject (incl. issue of cashew nut industry in Mozambique; 9 p.).

Date: 12-12-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 5

US businessman developing huge game park in Mozambique (plan US millionaire John Blanchard III for tourism project in southern Mozambique, incl. concerns environmentalists [SAPA] + US takes upbeat view of Mozambique (increasing number of investment plans by US firms). [Business Day on-line]

Date: 10-12-97 Source: DOK. 11.4 Number of pages: 6

JCI to unbundle as partnership ends (unbundling of South African mining company Johannesburg Consolidated Industries) [Business Day on-line, 10/12/97] + Khumalo's dream take on air of reality: Multibillion dollar Mozambique plan of JCI chief Mzi Khumalo to push black-controlled group into power house of big business. [Financial Mail on-line, 3/10/97]

Date: 05-12-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 19

Sel. PANA & SAPA reports 18/11-4/12/97 on economic a.o. developments in Mozambique, incl. on its demining programme and role SAn Mechem company, Mozambique's economic links with the region, etc.

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.257 Page: 4-8

Cholera epidemic in Maputo (p.4/5) + Cashew dossier closed – or is it? (dispute between World Bank and Mozambique on liberalisation of cashew processing industry continues; p.6-8).

Date: 00-12-97 Source: Mozambiguefile, No.257 Page: 14-18

Value Added Tax approved by Mozambique parliament (p.14-16) + Liberalisation of medical imports approved by parliament (p.17/18).

Date: 04-11-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 6

Can Mozambique make the World Bank pay for its mistakes? Joseph Hanlon on the disastrous impact of World Bank imposed policies on Mozambique's cashew industry (4 p.) + Proposal to introduce donor warrants against mistakes and poor advice (from foreign donors) by Africa Groups of Sweden (2 p.).

Date: 00-11-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.256 Page: 4-7

World Bank defends cashew policy: World Bank country director for Mozambique, Phyllis Pomerantz, on the bank's policy to liberalise the cashew nut trade in recent years (p.4-6) + Mixed news on debt relief: on international debate on Mozambique's massive foreign debt problem, incl. position IMF/World Bank (p.6/7).

Date: 00-11-97 Source: Southern Africa Report, Vol.13, No.1 Page: 16-29

Success story? Bretton Woods backlash in Mozambique (Joseph Hanlon): critical examination on the IMF/ World Bank's donor policy towards Mozambique, esp. their neo-liberal economic policies, the growing opposition to privatisation, impact on agricultural policy (rural areas), etc.

Date: 31-10-97 Source: Monthly Regional Buletin 6/10 Page: 11-12

Reports on Mozambique's economy (airline privatisations bids by 2 consortiums, possible partial privatisation of telecommunications, attempt to sale breweries, Cuba to set up joint ventures with Mozambique).

Date: 20-10-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 2

SAPA reports 7+20/10/97 on improved method of pension payouts to Mozambican miners in South Africa + Mozambique officially allocates 35 farms to South Africans.

Date: 00-10-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.255 Page: 14-16

Study on cashew marketing proves World Bank wrong: summary study by consultancy firm Deloite Touche on the World Bank imposed liberalisation of raw cashew nut exports from Mozambique (p.14/15) + Last commercial bank privatised in Mozambi que (p.16).

Date: 30-09-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 13

Sel. SAPA a.o. reports 16/8-30/9/97 on Mozambique's debt problem and the World Bank's position on this issue: World Bank plan to write off 80% of Mozambique's foreign debt, negative impact IMF/World Bank policies on Mozambique, Oxfam International a.o. organisations on the need for debt relief to Mozambique, etc.

Date: 08-09-97 Source: MNA AIM Reports, No.117 Page: 1-4

OXFAM calls for faster and bigger debt relief (criticism of current World Bank/IMF debt policy on Mozambique; p.1+3) + Growth rate up to seven per cent (development Mozambican economy; p.2) + Study finds World Bank was wrong on cashew (on forced liberalisation of cashew nut trade in Mozambique by World Bank; p.4).

Date: 05-09-97 Source: Mail & Guardian, Vol.13, No.25 Page: 30

Call to rethink apartheid loans + Mozambique debt relief: SAn NGO launch campaign to restructure debts from apartheid regime, Oxfam calls on WOrld Bank and IMF to reconsider their debt-resceduling plan for Mozambique.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 6

Mozambique and the HIPC Initiative: No time to waste (Eurodad Information Sheet); review Mozambique's heavy debt problem, position World Bank/IMF on this issue and the need for urgent action to relief Mozambique debt burden; incl. figures on debt Mozambique.

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.254 Page: 4-9

Cashew industry facing crisis: National Union of Cashew Workers (SINTIC), businessmen a.o. criticise World Bank imposed liberalisation policy of Mozambican government (p.4-7) + Iron and steel projects: problems of Pande gas exploration project in Mozambique because of problems to sell gas to South African iron and steel producers (p.7-9).

Date: 00-09-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.254 Page: 10-15

Importers battle against customs: esp. problems importers of fresh food because of bureaucracy in Mozambique (p.10/11) + Anger over new shopping centre: Maputo's first modern shopping centre, built by South African retail company Shoprite, criticised for fiscal benefits granted to Shoprite by Mozambican government (p.12-15).

Date: 31-08-97 Source: Monthly Regional Bulletin, 6/8 Page: 8

Dispute over Cahora Bassa loans: short reprot on dispute between South Africa's ESKOM and Portugal over repayment 20-years old loans for building Cahora Bassa hydro-electricity dam.

Date: 00-08-97 Source: Mozambiquefile, No.253 Page: 13-16

Electricity industry regulated – on parliamentary debate about legislation regulating the electricity industry in Mozambique.

Date: 00-05-97 Source: DOK. 7.1 Number of pages: 16

Privatisation in Mozambique: "On the home stretch in 1997" (UTRE Information Bulletin, No.4, May 1997); background to and outline of the privatisation programme of the Mozambican government, review UTRE's activities, economic impact of privatisation, etc. + List of investors in Mozambique, the privatisation programme for 1997, etc.