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**REPORT-BACK BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT TO THE
NEGOTIATING COUNCIL ON ITS CONTINUED DISCUSSION WITH THE
PAN AFRICANIST CONGRESS OF AZANIA ON 24 JUNE 1993**

The Government unfortunately has to report to the Negotiating Council that the discussion between it and the PAC to clarify the PAC's position regarding the Declaration on the Cessation/Suspension of Hostilities, Armed Struggle and Violence of 22 June could not be concluded today. The discussion will now be continued on Monday.

Today's discussion took place against the background of the PAC's endorsement of the Declaration on 22 June and their elucidation thereof by a statement of their own.

The Government is convinced that all the other Council members understood, as it did, that the PAC had subscribed to paragraph 5 of the Declaration. This standpoint of the Government's is strengthened further by the undertakings given in the Planning Committee by the PAC's representative and by the understanding reached on that occasion between the Committee and the PAC representative.

The only conclusion that can be drawn from this is that the PAC, with effect from 22 June, was *inter alia* to terminate murders of civilians and members of the SA Police.

Statements by PAC leaders at a news conference after the adoption of the Declaration led to confusion about the position of the PAC. According to these statements it appeared that the PAC was repudiating its endorsement. The Government could not gain clarification in the Council yesterday. At the request of the PAC, a discussion between it and the Government took place at 10:00 this morning.

In order to conduct a meaningful discussion the Government sought clarification from the organisation about the implementation of the Declaration (especially in regard to attacks on civilians and members of the SAP). The PAC delegation was unable to give an answer to this, and requested time to obtain further instructions from their leadership. The meeting was therefore postponed until Monday 28 June, so that the issue could finally be clarified.

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