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Complaints against the police

The report by the Minister of Law and Order that more than 10 500 complaints were laid against South African policemen and women last year demonstrates, once again, the need for urgent investigation into a police force with one of the highest criminal records in the world.

The ANC has repeatedly drawn attention to the shockingly large number of complaints about police behaviour. The figures, therefore, come as no surprise to us but simply serve as further evidence of the need to put our deeply discredited police force under the control of an interim government with the least possible delay.

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