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receive dead exiles

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; arrived at Durban's Louis Both: Airport
t yesterday afternoon,
ANC social welfare heed Mr! Winnie
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families of the deceased were Itthe eirport
to receive the bodies.

Another 17 exiles Ind ANC officials
laam but most said they would return to
Tenant: until their repetrietion documents
were in order.

The 14 exiles were killed when their bus
collided with a truck en route to Dar es
Salaam. from where they were due to fly
back to South Attica last week. The other
exile died of nature! causes.

Meanwhile. HO more exiles were due
accompanied the bodies ftom Dar es 81- back in Durban yesterday. - Sapa
Bodies of SA exiles
arrive from Tanzania '

DURBAN. - Family.
friends and senior ANC
officials turned out at
Durban's airport yester-
day to receive the bodies
of 15exiles- 14 ofwhom
died in a road accident
Ind another who died of
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lenees and support to the
families of the deceased.
Mrs Mandela hletned
apartheid for "indirectly"
being responsible for the
deaths of the exiles.

At I brief prayer ser-
vice at the airport before
the 15 coffins were taken
way. Mr: Mandela said
it was a tragedy that the
deed could not "enjoy the
fruits of their labour" in
the new South Africa.

"They are casualties ot
apartheid. This woudt not
have happened if they
had not Ielt the country or
if they were living in a
normal country," she
said.

Mrs Mandela offered
the families condolences
and told them the ANC
was there to help them in

their time of grief.
Earlier. about 17 exiles

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end ANC atheists accom-
panying the bodies touch-
ed down at Louis Botha
Airport.

Most of the exiles were.
however, to return to
Tenant: later yesterday
as they were still in the
process of winding up
their repatriation docu- i
mentation.

One of them. Mr Siphu
Dlamini; set foot in South
Africa for the first time in
20 years yesterday after
neeing the country from
Pietermaritzburg in 1972.
He felt excited to be in
South Africa but added .
the circumstances of his
visit had dampened his.
spiritr.

A further group of
about 110 exiles returning 3
from Tanzania was ex-
pected to land at Durban
later yesterday. - Sapa.

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Exiles'

return

delayed

THE repatriation M the last
group of 750 South African
in Zambia has been been
delayed until April. the
United Nations' High
Commission for Refugees
confirmed yesterday.

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tive in Zambia. Mr Stefan
Berglund. said he had also
appealed to the Zambian
government for a possible
extension of the deadline.
He said night bookings
were a major hurdle in the
. execution of the exercise.

"We don't anticipate
any further problems,"

Berglund added.- Sapa.

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