

Q.. Havo you now mads your peace wi th .Mrs Thatcher and i f so have you .narrovcc the gap substantially from v;h;n you came here?

We have never had any quarrels with the British premier wc- have taken different positions on certain questions but there was never any amity for quarrel whatsoever.

Q. What do you require of President De Klerk, what do you require before you will call for a lifting of sanctions?

I take the same attitude which is taken both by the leaders, the representative leaders of the liberation movement, in the country and other anti-apartheid forces. We ha^e called for the maintenance of sanctions. This is the attitude of the Front Line States, of the Organisation of African Unity of the non-aligned and of the general assembly of the United Nations- It is the attitude of the European Parliament which voted for the maintenance of sanctions by 177 to merely 47.

We therefore expect from Mr De Klerk to listen both to the demands of the masses of the people of South Africa and of the international community to dismantle apartheid in its totality an to extend the vote to everyone in South Africa so that all of us could have the right to determine our own affairs. That is what we expect De Klerk to do.

Q. You are quoted as saying that sanctions will be irrelevant by the next European summit, can you explain what you meant by that?

i met with the Prim.? Minis for this afternoon for about 3 hours. The Prime Minister was warm and gentle and the discussions took place in a cordial manner. We had a productive meeting and I am very encouraged by our discussions.

Firstly, I congratulated the premier for her role in helping to improve international relations especially between East and West and her commitment to the promotion of international peace. I also congratulated her for the role she played in helping to bring about the independence of Zimbabwe. As you know this is an event which took place about 10 years ago, but it was my first meeting with the premier and I thought it proper to complement her on her efforts.

I further complemented her for the efforts she made to secure the release of my comrades and myself from prison. I, from the onset, pointed out that we had a common approach which we can use in order to seek solutions in regard to our country.

I accepted that she is an enemy of apartheid and all kinds of racialism.

It was of course the first occasion for me to meet the Prime Minister and there were a number of points on which we did not see eye to eye completely, like the question of sanctions, the use of force as a method of political action and our views on economic questions were not altogether identical. But we made