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Power.

The Chief Representative,
ANC Office,
...TANZANIA.....

Dear Cde Chief Representative,

The National Youth Secretariat sends
you greetings of the season and through you to the entire member-
ship of the ANC in your region.

Please find enclosed a circular
sent to all our Regional Youth Committees informing them of the
coming National Youth Conference which will take place in the second
half of 1987.

The NYS will be grateful to you for
any assistance and guidance you may offer our youth in the period
of preparation as well as for any personal contributions from you.

Thanking you in advance

Manala Manzini
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PP Deputy Head NYS/NYC

cc. Department of International Relations.

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Send Circular
to Jimmy Mokoosi

AFRICAN NATIONAL CONGRESS

NATIONAL YOUTH SECRETARIAT

CIRCULAR No. 1/87

TO ALL ANC YOUTH UNITS

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1. INTRODUCTION

Taking into consideration the decision of the First National Youth Conference of 1982, and with the approval of the National Executive Committee of the ANC, the National Youth Secretariat is convening the 2nd National Youth Conference at the beginning of the second half of 1987.

In view of the escalating struggle in our country we need to cast our minds back to review our work and critically assess whether it corresponds with the increasingly pressing demands of the revolution.

Between the last conference and now the oppression of our people has nothing but increased in practically every sphere. The Frontline States are daily experiencing more and more distabilisation and aggression as a direct or indirect actions of the racist Pretoria regime.

Despite all these enemy manoeuvres and intrigues made in an effort to halt or at least delay our revolutionary triumph, our people are marching forward getting each day nearer the day of liberation. The Frontline States in spite of their difficulties are more united than ever before in their assistance to the National Liberation Movements in the region and progressive mankind the world over is giving increasing support for our struggle and isolating the racist regime more and more thus mounting pressure on it to end the evil policy of apartheid.

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It is against this background that we should prepare ourselves for our conference to ensure its success. A preparatory committee at NATIONAL LEVEL is being formed at H.Q. the composition of which you will be informed soon.

At unit level each unit (region) is expected to set up a REGIONAL PREPARATORY COMMITTEE whose tasks will be the following:

2. PREPARATIONS

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A National Preparatory Committee is being formed at H.Q., the composition of which you will be informed soon.

At unit level each region is expected to set up a regional preparatory committee whose tasks will be the following:

1. Inform all the unit members about the conference and its importance.
 2. Ensure that the units elect delegates to the conference in the most democratic way.
 3. Send in ideas as to what should be included in the Youth Programme of Action.
 4. Study and discuss documents of the last Conference and send your ideas and recommendations.
 5. Send in ideas of what you would like the conference to discuss.
 6. Send in unit reports on progress to date, stating clearly successes, failures and recommendations before May, 1987.
- All your correspondence on the conference should be addressed to the National Preparatory Committee.
- Further and detailed information will soon be made available to all units.

EVERY PATRIOT BEING A COMBATANT AND EVERY COMBATANT
A PATRIOT, LET US MARCH FROM UNGOVERNEABILITY TO
PEOPLE'S POWER.

IN THE YEAR OF MK
NATIONAL YOUTH SECRETARIAT, LUSAKA.