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REGIONAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

11th June 1985.

The Secretary General,  
Chama Chama Mapinduzi,  
Lumumba Street,  
DAR-ES-SALAAM.

Dear Comrade,

Re: 30th Anniversary of the Freedom Charter.

On the 26th of June 1985, we shall be commemorating the 30th Anniversary of the Freedom Charter. The Freedom Charter is an embodiment of the deepest aspiration of the oppressed and struggling majority of the people of South Africa. 3,000 delegates from organization through the length and breadth our country attended the historic meeting that adopted the Freedom Charter. It brings to mind the historic Arusha declaration.

We humbly invite a speaker from the C.C.M to share in a Freedom Charter meeting that will be tentatively held at the Adult Education Institution Hall in Lumumba Street on the 26th of June 1985 at 3.30pm. Enclosed find a copy of the Freedom Charter.

Yours in the struggle,

Ben G. Mohlathe

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Regional Political Committee Secretary

c.c: Secretary General, ANC, Lusaka

c.c: The Chief Representative, ANC, East Africa

Re: 15/6/85

ANC - HOLLAND HOSPITAL  
POYCL. DEPT.

17 May, 1985

The Director  
SOMAFCO  
Mazimbu

Dear Cde Director,

Re: MKUSELI GOXO

This patient has been attended to by the Morogoro Psychiatric team previously, for epilepsy and depression. He has now during the past two weeks <sup>been</sup> attending the Mazimbu psych clinic for treatment.

His condition is as follows: Mkuseli has been raised by schoolmaster for a father. His father has had problems with alcohol. During drinking bouts his personality changed, into a ruthless, uncontrollable creature of violence. The tendency was to beat, the mother first and thereafter anyone who defended her. Due to these difficulties with the father an older brother left home. Mkuseli however remained at home, but stayed away very often at friends or went to his grandparents.

He eventually grew up and went to St. Johns Boarding School. He soon found himself involved in serious fights with other boys. He cannot explain why he loses his temper very readily. He joined students in protest actions and finally decided to join the ranks of the ANC. He performed well for a while, but after having being to Dar es Salaam, and on his return to Mazimbu he got into a series of problems with the administration and security such as stealing, trying to escape - fighting etc. For which he has received punishment.

He finally went to the West to join the MK, but during his period of training, he began to get attacks of epileptic seizures. This then disqualified him for further military training and he has been returned to Mazimbu for treatment.

In the meanwhile he attended school at Mazimbu. About a month ago he had complained of severe headaches, which usually accompany epileptic seizures. Under these conditions, while laying in bed, a roommate was cleaning the room. Due to more and high political discussion he lost control of his senses and used a knife to strike his roommate. Thus lead him into further troubles and I have been informed that he is expelled from school.

We cannot continue to keep him in our clinic as his treatment must be an ongoing thing. In rather words he has to have some kind of light duties, while we investigate his condition further.

An epileptic person is also a psychiatric case. They are persons who are often unpredictable in their behavior, appear to be arrogant, aggressive and are querulant type. They are actually very insecure in themselves due to the inner experiences of neurological phenomena. In this case this patient has also had the misfortune of experiencing a traumatic childhood that makes him appear offensive as a defence against attacks (physical or in the form of authority - his father was a person of authority).

Thereafter  
I therefore recommend that he is put on probation for at least a year in a work situation and use the time to learn to develop other behavior patterns conducive to Mazimbu standards. He may then also be able to carry on with further studies as he is not fit for MK.

I could review him on my next visit.

Amandla Ngawethu

Dr. F. Reddy

10/4/85