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TO: sSTUDY

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FROM: KITCHEN UMBRELLA

ATT. CDE J. JELE.

Dear Cdes,

re: INKOMATI 2.

We have not yet come across any substantial information relating to how the recent talks affect us. We are monitoring the situation as a matter of course.

We, however, have heard that the Harbour authorities are complaining that since the talks they had with some of the members of our leadership in and during July/August 1988 and contrary to their expectations, we (as ANC) have not taken the measures we promised to take in order to make things easy for them. We urge you, with respect to take these concerns and anxieties in a serious light and to act before we lose control of the direction of events.

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FROM : KITCHEN UMBRELLA

ATT. CDE J. JELE.

Dear Cdes,

re : Another Inkomati.

The informationn contained in this letter is from our two reliable sources, and we use the word reliable; not as a matter of vogue but in its most serious and proper meaning.

1. The agenda of the recent talks we are informed was as follows:-

- 1.1 the Limpopo railway line between Maputo and Zimbabwe
- 1.2 the Cabora - Basa water electricity Scheme.
- 1.3 the renovation of the Maputo Harbour
- 1.4 the opening of the Rosana Gracia (Komatiport) and Namahacha roads (both are presently plagued by the bandits).
- 1.5 MNR and the ANC

2. Briefly we are informed that what was agreed in respect of the items listed above are as follows:-

- 2.1 The enemy promised to finance and ensure that the Cabora Basa eletrical Scheme becomes fully operational
- 2.2 The enemy agreed to make it possible for the Limpopo line to be operational and apparently also not to attack it.
- 2.3 The enemy promised to renovate and bring into use the Maputo Harbour (which it hopes to use for sanction-busting).
- 2.4 The enemy agreed to ensure that her bandits leave in peace both the Komatiport-Maputo and Namahacha roads.
- 2.5 The enemy agreed to restrain the MNR apparently in the Southern part of the country.

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2.6 The enemy demanded that all members and sympathizers of the ANC should leave Mozambique except the 10 in the office. In this regard, we understand the enemy is not for the time being in a hurry, they are understood to have given the locals time to see to it that we clear off. The enemy is said to have said that presently its attention is on the Namibian question as well as the internal October LA elections, So our friends have been given time to think about how to flush us out. Correct or incorrect, such is our information and we have an obligation to convey it to you as it is.

3. We were informed, by another source that our friends (i.e. the locals) are complaining that they expected us to have implemented the measures agreed upon between themselves and members of our leadership during the discussions held in and around July/August 1988 during the recent SADCC meeting here. They feel we are moving slow and are wondering whether it was worthwhile talking to us. WE as a Service Unit suspect that this impatience; whether founded or not, is an attempt by our friends to renege from some of if not whatever undertakings they might have made to us. The latter is merely our suspicion. It is clear to us that the enemy has yet again played its card very shrewdly here, it dangles the carrot, marks time on the ANC question, wait for our friends to swallow the carrot and maybe even to do the dirty work for them, and then the next move is anybody's guess. It would be interesting to see how the locals go about responding to the demand that only 10 of our members should remain. We are told they are busy working out formula to deal with us.

In the premises, we recommend that whatever undertakings or promises we made to them should come to pass. Maybe we might get them off the hook, maybe.

Yours in the Struggle,

KITCHEN UMBRELLA .

TO STUDY  
FROM: KITCH EN UMBRELLA

21st September, 1988.

ATT: Cde J. JELE.

Dear Cdes,

1. TRANSPORT.

We are in the process of acquiring the necessary transport for the U/G and shall furnish you with our transport report in due course.

2. FINANCE.

2.1 We confirm that you are not to send us ops funds for this month as we still have some credit to see us through. However please do send us ops funds for next month.

2.2 We attach hereto a report on the missing R. 500 (five hundred rand) which was part of the R.50,000 (fifty thousand rand) for Bay ops.

N.B. Please note our recommendation in paragraph 4 of the report under reference.

We must point out that cde Maphepha complained that the money sent is not enough, he is insisting on their full monthly budget for the reasons which we believe he shall furnish to you soon if he has not already done so by now.

3. PROPAGANDA.

3.1 Receipt of your letter dated 22/8/88 is hereby acknowledged. We are considering the contents of your said letter in the broader context of our other tasks and you shall receive our response thereto soon.

3.2 We often have situations where the office delays before collecting its parcels from the airport and this has the effect of delaying swift movement of propaganda material you sent to us. We are going to raise and discuss this matter with the Chief Rep.

4. PERSONNEL:

Please send us the following cdes for the tasks specified hereunder:-

Paul Chetty/2....

4.1 x Paul Chetty - to join and reinforce the commissariat and to perform tasks related thereto.

4.2 Siza's unit (of three) . to join and reinforce our border units.

(Cde Peter Mayibuye was briefed about these cdes. They are presently in the West).

5. CDE JACKSON MLUNGENI:

At the beginning of this month, and in and around the border between Harbour and Bay and within Bay, Cde Jackson was shot and severely injured by the Bay police or soldiers while he was on duty. He is presently in Mbabane hospital under police guard. We have requested the Bay cdes to instruct lawyers to intervene. Even so, the Bay cdes advised us that it is necessary that you should send a telex to our lawyers in Bay formally acknowledging that cde Jackson is one of us and instructing them to act on his behalf. A full report on this matter will follow once all the facts are at hand.

6. Enclosed are reports on the contradictions between cdes Edwin and Rashid, the contents whereof are self explanatory. For now, we cannot take this matter any further and surrender it to you especially in view of cde Edwin's persistence that he will never accept cde Rashid's apology.

7. Further enclosed is INM's election manifesto.

Yours in the Struggle,

Kitchen Umbrella.