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' ' 'Ey Hilliam Maclean . _ .

JDHQNNESBURG, June 23, neuter m The South nfriCan governmentr

ha5'made an 11th hour appea: ta Neleen Mandela's African Nations:

"CanareSS not ta pull out of multi-party ?eferM'talks tn proteSt

at a massacre mi 39 township blacks. h ' " J _

eLeaders ef the anti-apnrtheid movement meet an Tuesday :T

morning to decide whether er not to withdraw from the Convention

. for a Democrats: Seuth Africa (Codesa) negotiating forum in

protest at IaSt week's killing In Boipatohg township. '

Genetitutionai Development Minister Roerf Meyer said it was

"essentjal the AND and the government meet to discuss QNC1 h

allegatiahs that the government had ordered kiutings Of blacks.

', "Through-such discussans we might remove the abetacles which

stand in the way af'the resUMption a4 canstitutjawdl ' -

negatiatyonb," Meyer said in a statement on Ndhgdy-eVening.

"The government believes there is anoy'onesqpuISe that nil:

'secufe peace and progress for South erica. That is the course Of

negotiationSi"' h h . 2' w..WA

tnge than 120 blacke have died eince last wednesday when 39 .

,meh, women and Children were slaughtered in their beds lh

Boipatahg south of Johannesburg. . -

Mandela bowed to emetionat chants Qf "You behave like a lame

.when ue.are being butcheredt by huwdrede of his Baipatang

supporters on Sunday and anneunced his movement was suspendgng

"bilateral cewtacts with the government.

"'On Mondgy Mandela telephoned U.N; Secretary-Gonerall Boutros

eBeutras-Ghasi te ask the Security Council to help ealve the

crisis. . I e ' ' . - . .

Ethres-Ghali preposed he discuss the-drisis with Mandela at

an Organisation of Africa Unity meeting in Dakar, NHPCh'aeth men

plan ta attend from Jane 29 to July 1.

Fereign Hidieter Pik Eotha, acting prQSident in F.u. ae

;Kterk!s absence,.said the reformist teadgr_would,return en. 'L.Wf

.Hednesaay mornjng, cutting Short by about 24 hauts h'trip te ,_e

Spain 55 he could attend a cabinet meeting en wednesday,t ';

The independent Business Day said in an editeriaf it seemed

inevitable that the RNC'would zuSpend many, if net all, #acets of

negotiation in Taesday's meeting. '- , e - h .

5The Jahanweprrg Star, In its editorial; said3 "The ANC muet

hot take Seuth Africa into the abyss by withdrawing permanently'-

(tram the negotiating tale-" ' -

The Star, quating unnamed QNC officials, Ehld the AND wbutd

temporarily suspend participation in Cedesa andythreater to put!

out campetely unlesu the government found the Bagphteng ui;ler5,

.brought tha.security forces Under munti-party contfet and agreed-

to deployment of an international peacekeeping iarce.

t _ Nineteen potiticar groups have been negatiatang in the

gixvmenthhold Cadesa'ferum for a transitian ta democracy after 40

tyears;at.apartheidi h . .

. ' Senier 9N5 aides and pelitjcat analysts say Mindeaaye

-suppemtters want'the movement to pull out. '

"ln fdct, people are talking in the townships, on the;

streets. They are saying the nNc sheusd get out Of Codesa," said

Themba Holefe, a palitical anabyst frem Saweto. - '

One cf the RNC's-main ailies, Bantu Halamisa, Ieader of the

naminatty independent homenand of Transuei, has tailed On

organisatian5.invotved in tarus with the goyernment tg withdraw.

9n AND regienat leager who dECIined-ta be named sards'"The

taming few days are indeed'going to be crucias in determining '

. 'whether the GNC aha 3ts allies remain in Cedea as cails for it

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Palgce said they had arrested five men in connection with the

Beipatdng'hitifng, all resaaents of thethaHadava hostel from

whicn surVivors said the ?aid was launched. , , '

The owners of the hostel, steel manufacturers-Iecor, said they would Close it and move employee to other accommodation. They did not say When the closure would take place. Meet residents of the hostel support the Inkatha Freedom Party, the Main black rival of the ANC. but Inkatha leaders have denied involvement in the killing. ,IW
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