

MR. BOTHA

Tete-a-tete (15 minutes)

Press handling

Favour minimum statement to press so that we can talk in confidence.

But will have to answer certain questions from press, in Parliament etc.

Suggest we discuss after lunch how to handle press.

General *Importance we attach to visit*

Good to break isolation.

*Many Janibus here - relatives in S. Africa - via*  
Potential goodwill in West - but cannot  
be manifested because of internal situation.

Our foreign policy dependent on internal liberalisation. *"Adapt or die"*

Specific issues best dealt with in tete-a-tete

South African intelligence activities

Foreign missions have to behave properly.

It is our job to ensure ANC etc. do not break the law - also to give them

protection of law. *To not condone*

*violence Exclude those with known personal involvement with terrorism* Want to

More with higher  
reimburse delay to  
Ved. More.

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Long-distance reconnaissance  
No impediments after this  
year

S. Atlantic, Southern Pacific  
of Indian Ocean

Produce own arms

Could provide fuel/aircraft - other countries  
put plans there

Simonson - modern  
"shut out" system  
Could take more steps

ARMS control.

Want to remove this friction from our relations.

ANC activities in London (if raised)

We have good reason (Libya) to oppose international terrorism. Will not let anyone abuse our laws.

But tradition of political exile - free provided they do not break law.

*Ready to look at any fresh evidence on Slovo*  
*illegal activity and to take appropriate action*

Slovo (if raised)

Know he is of special concern to you. But we have to apply our normal criteria.

Failure to return British terrorists (if raised)

Can't return fugitives without extradition arrangements.

And not clear they broke British law.

UK court case (arms embargo) (if raised)

Not an issue of our making. Sub judice.

Hope new bail conditions will lessen concern.

[*Tension - have not called on U.S. gov't to close down IRA/Nonaid offices in U.S. - and IRA have 100% will do*]

Nelson Mandela

One - unhappy  
among them

Or another idea  
expandably

Under pressure from right

Never possible to satisfy internal  
opinion.

Counting of minorities.

S.A. - Growth - development  
ed<sup>n</sup> - health care

Political structures - change  
with stability.

Sovets - interested

Security of life sea - Road -

Internally - order - rights  
protected

Discussing every facet of  
internal needs.

Not for forced removals

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Plenary

Regional Situation

(see brief no.6)

Namibia/Angola

(see brief no.7)

Sporting Contacts

These issues should not dominate  
bilateral relations.

Political cost of withdrawal from  
Gleneagles would be very heavy. Can only  
be changed by Commonwealth as a whole.

South Africa Internal

Firmly opposed to apartheid.

Not for us to prescribe solutions

Know situation is complex

How do you envisage future, especially  
for blacks?

Imposed homelands never likely to be  
accepted by majority of blacks.

Feelings strong here about forced move-  
ment of people - visual impact terrible.

/Sensitive

Sensitive issue - but a move to free Mandela and others would be widely welcomed.

Soviet Foreign Policy

East/West Relations (brief no. 9)

Soviet policy in Africa (brief No. 9)

Arms Embargo (if raised)

We must honour international obligations.

Shackletons -replacements-

Export licence applications considered on merits - but may be caught by arms embargo regulations.

(If pressed) - will study but no false hopes.

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