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History

The collection was donated and compiled by Sahm Venter to the Nelson Mandela Foundation in 2006. Sahm compiled the collection from 1984 until 2002 as part of her work as a journalist as well as a dedicated political activist during the struggle for liberation in South Africa.

The bulk of the collection covers the Western Cape anti Apartheid activities and few activities in other parts of South Africa. From the collection one can say that these were events covered by Sahm Venter's work as part of her work as a professional journalist and also as a political activist as well during the struggle.

It is a compilation of work based on Mr. Nelson Mandela, political activities affecting South Africans who were participating in the Anti- Apartheid political activities and or gatherings that Sahm was covering or involved in. The material comes from different organisations and individuals that interacted with Sahm Venter or participated in the struggle. The collection is made up of speeches calling for the release of Nelson Mandela, correspondence, political court cases, publicity material such as pamphlets and publications.

Scope and Content Note

The Sahm paper collection has been re-arranged and re-organised from the original order as there was no clear and distinct order from the parent office. Material in this re-organised collection has been kept together based on subject matter, date and format. The collection has been rearranged and divided into six series these have also been subdivided based on either subject and or format. The series and these are as follows:-

- **Personal papers**
- **Organisations/Community based organisations**
- **Court cases, Petitions and Appeals**
- **Speeches and writings**
- **Universities**
- **Publications**

All the main series have been subdivided into smaller sub-series and these are further subdivided either by date, content or depending on relationship to the main series or sub-series.

Personal Papers category has been subdivided into individual series such as Nelson Mandela, Desmond Tutu etc. These are further subdivided into subseries by date and or content depending on the extent and the type of material that is available material and related to the content of a particular individual.

Community based organisations- have sub categories depending on the nature and unique activities of each specific organisation or institution, and further subdivided depending on the organisation or format. These are further subdivided into series based on the respective campaigns, needs and responses from the specific issues they deal with affected by in the different communities of South Africa.

Court Cases, Petitions and Appeals This series is the court case that were highlight for struggle for liberation in the Western Cape namely the trial of Ashley Forbes, Tony Yengeni and other political trials during that time.

Speeches and writings this series is a collection of speeches made by officials or leaders of specific institutions that time.

Universities has information on different Universities campaigns anti- Apartheid activities in different Universities as well as the material involving the awarding of honorary doctorates to Mr. Nelson Mandela by these Universities.

Publications- Newspapers and serial or publication with clippings and articles on Nelson Mandela and news-highlights.

The collection covers the period 1966, 1977, 1979, 1984-1994; 1999-2000; 2004. The bulk dates are material is 1988 -1992.

Box No. 1
Personal Papers

Folder No. 1
Kathrada, Ahmed

Brief Biographical history.

Folder 2
Mandela Nelson

Freedom at 70

Their freedom our victory: Release our leaders campaign (leaflet) (1988)

Free our leaders now!: Their release our victory: - call to the people of Cape Town= Bevry ons leirs nou: Hulle vrylating - ons oorwinning. nd.

Freedom at 70 - Leaflet Issued by the Mandela Birthday Committee, Community House Salt River. (1988)

Freedom at 70-Happy birthday Nelson Mandela celebration programme from Sat 16 July – Monday 18th July. (1988)

Nelson Mandela 70th birthday an outline of the proceedings for the day (message to Sahm Venter) (1988)

Nelson Mandela 70th birthday celebration planned for Cape Town. (Correspondence with Sahm Venter of AFP) (1988)

Mandla Mandela's visit to Nelson Mandela

Biographical information on Mandla Mandela's forthcoming visit to Nelson Mandela . (Correspondence with Sahm Venter)n.d.

Information on Mandla Mandela and his mother's forthcoming visit to Nelson Mandela.(2 copies) n.d.

Information on Mrs. Evelyn Mandela and the children (Correspondence with Sahm Venter)n.d.

Honorary doctorate awarded by UWC

Special Graduation Ceremony Graduation Programme in awarding an honorary doctorate to Nelson Rolihlahla Mandela on the 28 November 1990.

Speech by Vice Chancellor Professor Jakes Gerwel on awarding Nelson Mandela an honorary doctorate. n.d.

Address by Comrade Nelson Mandela Deputy President of the ANC on being awarded the degree of Doctor of laws by the University of Western Cape.

Invitation card to the special graduation ceremony.

Honorary doctorate awarded by U.C.T.

Monday Paper -Special issue 21 November 1990: UCT to Honour Nelson Mandela: An Historic occasion- Programme for Honorary graduation Ceremony for Nelson Mandela.

Press Release: To all media representatives and correspondents, press, radio and television. n.d.

Honorary Graduation Mr. Nelson Mandela Citation By professor J.V.O. Reid the University Orator. (1990)

Welcome speech by Dr S. J Saunders Vice Chancellor and Principal of the University of Cape Town at a Graduation Ceremony for the Conferral of the degree of the Doctor of Laws on Nelson Mandela 30 November 1990.

Speech by Mr. Nelson Mandela, Deputy President of the African National Congress on being awarded an Honorary doctorate by the University of Cape Town 30th November 1990.

University of Cape Town Order of procedure.

White terror - Plan to assassinate Nelson Mandela. n.d.

Folder No 3

Matanjana, Patric

Matanjana, Patric political prisoner a transcript of an interview, on incarceration in Robben Island, and participation in the struggle against Apartheid. n.d.

Folder No. 4

Mkwayi, Wilton

Correspondence from the commanding officer in Robben Island to Wilton Mkwayi on his request for marriage dated 10th October 1987.

Profile of Wilton Mkwayi. n.d.

Correspondence from Wilton Mkwayi to Irene Khumalo requesting permission to marry dated 8th October 1966. (hand-written copy)

Folder No 5

Tutu, Desmond

1988

Statement by the most Reverend Desmond Tutu, Archbishop of Cape town on the restrictions placed on the 17 Organisations in terms of the public safety act. 24th February 1988.

Message of the delegation of the World Alliance of Reformed churches 27th March 1988.

Letter to the State president Mr. P.W. Botha 8th April 1988.

Address on the occasion of the installation of the Archbishop of Cape Town as Chancellor to the University of Western Cape 20th May 1988. (2 copies) Order of proceedings.

News release from the office of the Anglican Archbishop of Cape Town, the most reverend Desmond Tutu 4 September 1988.

Search warrant for a sound video recording of a speech made by Archbishop Tutu at St Georges Cathedral on Sunday 4th September 1988 to John Allen, Media Secretary to Archbishop Tutu at Bishops court, Wynberg. (copy)

Statement by the most reverend Desmond Tutu Archbishop of Cape Town on the 26th October elections.

Comments by Archbishop Desmond Tutu on the Transfer of Mr. Nelson Mandela from the Constantiaberg Clinic to a House in the grounds of Victor Verster Prison, Paarl.

Ecumenical Service, St Andrew's Anglican Church, Port Nolloth Sunday 30th October 1988. Celebrant and preacher, the Archbishop of Cape Town the most Reverend Desmond M.Tutu.

1989

Call to worship Manenberg minister's fraternal- Combined Service 16th June 1989.

News release from the office of the Archbishop Desmond Tutu 23rd August 1989.

Concluding remarks from a sermon preached by the most reverend Desmond Tutu, Anglican Archbishop of Cape Town 27th August 1989.

Statement by South African political Union Church and academic leaders issued after an emergency meeting at Bishops court Cape Town 31st August 1989.

Supporting statement from OASSA. (Organization for Appropriate Services in South Africa)

1990

Transcript of an interview with the Archbishop of Cape Town Desmond Tutu. (incomplete)

Fifty sixth session of the Synod of the Diocese of Cape Town 17th – 20th October 1990 - Agenda Book.

Synod of the Diocese of Cape Town 17th -20th October 1990: The most reverend D. M. Tutu Archbishop of Cape Town-Charge (proceedings)

Transcript of an interview with most reverend Archbishop Tutu day by John Allen. (2 copies)

1992

Transcript of an interview with most reverend Archbishop Tutu 22nd June 1992.

Transcript of an interview with the most reverend Archbishop Desmond Tutu (interviewer unknown)

Abstract from an address by Archbishop Desmond Tutu at St Georges Cathedral Cape Town at 13h00 on Monday June 22nd 1992.

1994

Archbishop Desmond Tutu Biography.

Ecumenical service of compassion in Compassionate Solidarity.

Box 2

Folder No. 1

Political Organisations/ Community based Organisations /Projects

African National Congress

African National Congress Statement on democracy and constitutional guarantees for all Africans n. d. (flyer)

Resolution on code of conduct and Programme of action for 30th September 1990.

Western Cape region – regional conference report on problems and challenges of the Western Cape on the 30th September 1990.

Address by the Treasurer General of the ANC Cde T. Nkobi on the occasion of the Western Cape regional Conference 1991.

Resolusie op plattelandse kommissie 1991.

Commission on Women and Youth leagues. n.d.

Press Conference ANC Western Cape Regional Conference 28th- 29th September 1991 Declaration of the 2nd Western Cape regional conference of the African National Congress, September 28th and 29th of 1991 held at the University of the Western Cape Bellville.

Profiles of top 5 leaders of the ANC elected 27th -28th September 1991 University of the Western Cape.

Credentials for the ANC Western Cape regional conference held at the University of the Western Cape September 1991.

Programme of action for the ANC 1991.

Resolution – accountability.

ANC's people's parliament on the Parade - Press pack.

Declaration of the Western Cape regional conference of the African National Congress, September 28 and 29 1991, held at the University of Western Cape Bellville

Press Information on the people's parliament

ANC National Perspective on the people's parliament 16th January 1992.
Security Police surveillance on the ANC Executive Members 16th January 1992

People's Parliament Campaign continues 22nd January 1992.

Appeal to employers about people's parliament on 24th January 1992.

Bill barring demonstrations, around parliament building on the 14th of January 1992.

Massive show of support for the people's parliament.

Address by Walter Sisulu on the People's parliament.

ANC Statements

Statement of the National Executive Committee on the occasion of the 80th Anniversary of the African National Congress January 1992.

Address by the ANC Western Cape Region Women's league (notes by Mildred Lesea) n.d.

Statement for re- building the African National Congress – Women's league in (Western Cape).

Press statement for the launch of the African National Congress- Women's league Western Cape. (1991)

ANC background papers to the patriotic front conference 25th -27th October 1991.

Statement of the National Executive Committee on the occasion of the 78th Anniversary of the African National Congress January 1990.

Press release from the ANC delegation on the 1st of May 1990.

Press release on the 29th January, 1991.

Speech by Govan Mbeki upon receiving the degree doctor of philosophy (honoris causa) awarded by the University of the Western Cape 29th November 1989.

Citation for the award of an honorary doctorate by the University of the Western Cape 29th November 1989.

Biography of Govan Mvuyelwa Mbeki

Statement by the African National Congress on the emancipation of women of South Africa on 2nd May 1990.

Speech by Comrade Walter Sisulu University of Western Cape 14th March 1990.

Speech delivered by Comrade Nelson Mandela on his release February 11th 1990.

Statement received from Alfred Nzo, Secretary General of the African National Congress to the Western Cape Regional Launch. 1990.

Malibongwe programme Amsterdam 6th -18th 1990.

Video festival film programme from Thursday 11th up to Thursday 18th
January 1990.

Folder No. 2

Azapo

Opening address by Dr. Itumeleng Mosala of the University of Cape Town 3rd
March 1990.

Transcript of an interview conducted with Jerry Mosala 22nd April 1990.

An article on Jerry Mosala by Sahm Venter

Programme for the funeral of Luthando Mark Mkonto 1988

Press statement on AZAPO's 9th Annual progress 1990.

Folder No. 3

Mowbray Youth Congress/ CAYCO

Leaflet on Mowbray and Observatory residents against group areas and
forced removals of people based on the areas act. (2 copies)

Message of support from the three people taking refuge in the U.S.
Consulate in Johannesburg,- to the Mowbray Youth Congress members in
detention.

Press Statement from the Mowbray Youth Congress on the restrictions
placed on Harald Harvey.

Statement on the restrictions based on the 19 organisations and the
bannings restrictions countless individuals 1988.

MOYCO Newsletter on 'The removals in Obs?' June 1988 (2 copies)
Report of the Executive Central Committee of the Cape Youth Congress.
1989.

Folder No. 4

PAC (Pan Africanist Congress of Azania)

Speech by the president, Comrade Clarence Makwetu to the special
Congress of Azania 15 December 1991.

Pan Africanist Congress of Azania Conference papers (25-27 October 1991).

Folder No. 5

Patriotic Front

Information on the proceedings of the Patriotic front from Durban 1991.

Programme of the patriotic front conference 25th - 27th October 1991
(2copies).

Conference house rules and basic information for delegates.

Agenda of the Patriotic front conference 1991

Patriotic /United front conference speaker's requisition form.

Statement delivered by Brigadier Hashim Mbita, Executive secretary of the OAU liberation (2 copies)

PAC President Clarence Makwetu's speech at the Patriotic Front meeting October 1991.

Speech of the ANC deputy president Walter Sisulu, to the Patriotic Front Conference 25th -27th October 1991.

Patriotic front conference papers on the constituent Assembly.

ANC background papers for the Patriotic Front Conference – All party Congress 25-27 October 1991.

ANC Background papers on the Patriotic Conference- Interim Government of National Unity 25th -27th October 1991.

Patriotic / United front conference declaration adopted at the patriotic /United front conference held in Durban on th2 25-27 October 1991.

Patriotic / United Front statement – Joint approach on constitutional process with regards to Negotiations.

Closing address to the Patriotic Front Conference by ANC deputy President Walter Sisulu Durban 27th October 1991.

Closing address to the Patriotic Front - PAC president Clarence Makwetu Durban 27th October 1991.

Credentials status report as at 25th October 1991

Patriotic Front Conference 25th -27th October 1991- list of organizations that attended the conference.

Folder No. 6

Association of Democratic Journalists

Financial Report for the period June 1988 - July 1989.

Association of Democratic Journalists National Launch August 1989.

Association of Democratic Journalists Inaugural Congress Draft Agenda 11th August 1989.

Association of Democratic Journalists Inaugural Congress -National Organiser's Report.

Union or Association – a discussion document from the border regional congress.

Regional Amendments to the constitution taken as alternative motions before the National Congress of the ADJ.

Draft logo by Natal ADJ.

Free Press National Launch August Association of democratic journalists

(publication)

Folder No. 7

South African Union of Journalists (SAUJ)

Correspondence and questionnaire to members 20th June 1990

Form for freelance directory.

Telex message to Sahm Venter on Ashely Forbes and his 13 co-accused.

Telex message to Sahm Venter on Rev, Anton Simons.

Telex message on Nelson Mandela's interview.

Correspondence

Correspondence received from Sahm Venter on James Gribble Bishop of Good Hope district.

Correspondence received from Sahm Venter regarding Rev. John Scholtz of the Trinity Methodist Church.

Correspondence sent to Sahm Venter, from the General Council of the Bar in South Africa. 4/5/1984.

Correspondence from the Yengeni support group sent to the press on the conditions of imprisonment after the hunger strike.

Box 3

Folder No 8

Black Sash

Correspondence from the Advice co-ordinator sent to the Administrator of the Cape Province on the plight of black pensioners 21st February 1990.

Black Sash Advice Office Pension report February 1990 (attached cases of disability grant delays and refusals, maintenance problems, funeral disbursements, pension applications.)

List of names of people - experiencing problems with receiving pensions.

Folder No. 9

Cape Democrats

Flyers

Using repression to raise the poll - democracy in a state of emergency.
The other side of elections.

The municipal elections: A broadening of democracy?

People you won't be voting for in the October elections.

October election: Where do you stand- Open letter to South African Citizens on the forthcoming elections.

The National Anthem

Cape Democrats mini video festival - programme.

An open letter to the South African citizens - the latest political clampdowns on NUSAS, YCS, UWCO, MOYCO and Cape Democrats.

Bulletins

Subcommittee News.

Municipal elections statement of intent.

Amnesty celebrates 40 years of human rights declaration.

Cape Democrats Statements/ Press Statements

Demanding the release from detention of its chairperson Amy Thornton under emergency regulations.

Salute to the Garden's Youth and Mowbray Youth Congress for holding a democracy rally.

Executive committee's proposed election statement on 1989 elections.
Press release on elections 1989: Statement of MDM's position by Murphy Morobe

Correspondence.

An open letter against military conscription - Laurie Nathan.

Members invitation to the second Annual General Meeting of the Cape Democrats.

Correspondence sent to Sahm Venter welcoming her as a new member of the Cape Democrats 13th June 1988.

Fact sheets

January 1990 No.1 Labour Relations act.

January 1990 No. 2 Evalina de Bruin.

January 1990 No. 3 Squatters.

Inaugural Conference

Draft report on the inaugural conference held at the University of Cape Town.

Session 1 policy resolutions.

Session 2 Freedom Charter & UDF Affiliation.

Session 3 the Constitution.

Proposed Logos

Resolutions on:-

Education
Conscription

Demand of the release of political prisoners and the unbanning of organizations.

Folder No. 10
COSATU

Cosatu's statement on - Anti LRA campaign 2nd August 1989

Report on the 1985 COSATU launch. (2 copies)

New labour bill attacks worker rights

A bitter bill to swallow.

FAWO

FAWO - statement on Oscar Mpetha 31st July 1989.

FAWO - executive minutes 22nd October 1970.

FAWO news Take six: the march on SABC November 1990.

Film and Allied workers Organisation: Open letter on a programme on the education and training mass media focus

Ilrig presentation: New labour bill and its meaning for COSATU members.

Electrical and allied workers trade Union: Spark the mighty light (publication)

Folder No. 11
POPCRÜ

Police and prison civil rights union attachments.

Sworn statement sent from Warder Mdlalose to the Commanding Officer, Johannesburg Prison Command.

Correspondence from the Crisis Interim Committee, sent to the Commissioner of prisons, on the Petition for the grievances of the Johannesburg Command 1st March 1990.

Correspondence from the Black members of the Johannesburg Prison, to the Commanding Officer on the Petition for addressing the grievances and meeting the demands tabled on the 9th February 1990.

Correspondence sent to the Commissioner of Prisons from the chairman of the Interim Committee on a petition regarding grievances of members of the Johannesburg Command. 14th March 1990.

Correspondence sent to ministers Vlok and Kobie Coetzee from Popcru calling for the re-instatement of the Johannesburg Warders and Wadresses 262 members. 16 March 1990.

Press Statement by Popcru demanding the re-instatement of the 276 suspended members and to negotiate with Popcru to resolve grievances.

Folder No. 12
Organisations /Projects supported by the British Government

Brown's farm squatter camp Cape Flats outlines the project activities in Browns Farm. (1 page)

Buthisizwe Development Centre near Cross Roads Cape Town outlines the formation the activities of the Centre. (1 page)

Masiphathisane development centre - Phillipi. (1 page)

Visit by the foreign Secretary, The Rt. Hon. Douglas Hurd MP to British Supported Community projects in the Cape Flats. (1 page)

Press release on a Statement by the foreign Secretary- The Rt. Hon. Douglas Hurd MP, at a press conference in Cape Town at 17h30 on Monday 19th March 1990.

Folder No. 13

Religious Organisations

Open letter by Farid Essack (Maulana) on the restrictions placed on him. (3 pages) 14/05/1989.

Notice of withdrawal of passport from the department of home affairs.- 28/03/1989.

Statement by Maulana Farida Essack with regards police withdrawal of his passport on 05/05/1989.

Message of support by Student Union for Christian Action(SUCA) to the struggle for liberation.

Special Feature of Mother Theresa Work of Grace (publication)

News release from his Worship Mayor Aldermann Peter Muller: Welcome Mother Theresa of Calcutta (2 copies) 1988-11-10

The Ordination of Women Report on CPSA conference held at St Francis of Assisi, Waterkloof Pretoria 24-26th March 1992

Say No to Women Priests: Some reasons offered (leaflet/ flyer)

Foundation for peace and justice report 1987- 1988

Christianity and Socialism (paper) n.d.

Box No.4

Folder No. 14

Education organisations/ matters

List of demands presented to the president F.W. De Klerk and all ministers of education 28th February 1991 by the right to learn campaign.

NUSAS /SANSCO press conference on the 27th March 1990 - Address by SANSCO General Secretary, NUSAS president SANSCO S. Tvl. regional Chair president and NUSAS projects officer 27th March 1991.

Message from SANSCO on the 10th anniversary of the organization, Statement by Western Cape Education front 2nd August,1989.

Request to the commissioner of police, from the concerned students "To leave all students, teachers, principals and clergy alone" and that the presence of police at schools should be removed immediately.

Cape Education department, CADET training programme: manual 1986.

Invitation to the mass rally on the "Education Crisis", held at the University of Western Cape, Wednesday 30th March 1987.

Bursaries: UCT black students in crisis - BSS media committee information leaflet on the problems experienced by black students.

SADF takes over schools: leaflet by WESCO, DETU, WECTO on the occupation of schools by SADF and the detention of students and teachers.

British aid to black South Africans. Overseas development Education Open letter addressed to the parents from the director of education and training in Cape Town 25th April 1988.

Education crisis: Report of the Wesco call for a three day protest action starting on the 25th April to Wednesday 27th April 1988.

Zionism, terrorism and cowardice: A leaflet issued by the Islamic society on the desecration of the Palestinian symbol of resistance in UCT.

In solidarity- hands off our teachers (1pg flyer) by EDASA.

Minutes of a general meeting held at the early learning Centre July 15th 1988.
Defend democracy: The doors of learning and culture shall be opened.
(leaflet)

Manifesto from the schools in the King Williamstown area calling on schools to be opened to all races fax message sent to Sahm Venter.

Correspondence written to minister of law and order from the All Saints students College, in connection with the assault of some of their students that took place in front of King Williamstown post office.

Statement of protest based on the King Williamstown and the surrounding areas.

Call for support of the defiance campaign (leaflet)

Western Cape Education Front- statement issued to the press conference 1989.

Education report: background report to the education crises: DET crises. Education crises report 1989.

Register of attendance listing names of officials from different organizations.

Folder No. 15

The Surplus people Project

Fact sheet no.5: Port Nolloth where to go June 1988.

Fact sheet no. 8: South Peninsular land struggles July 1988.

Fact sheet no. 6. April 1989.

Correspondence from Lala Steyn to Sahm Venter Re: Solidarity Church service for Port Nolloth residents facing forced removals. 29th August 1988.

NUM report on the conditions black of mine workers at the De Beer: Namaqualand mines division.

Hand-written notes on why black residents don't want to move from Port Nolloth.

Port Nolloth municipality on the exploitation of squatters.
Fax Message from Lala Steyn to Sahm Venter on Elandskloof land claim for Monday 19th November 1990 and an invitation to the Malmesbury march for land. (4 pages)

Signing of the Richtersveld National park contract held on 25th October 1990. (5 pages)

Correspondence from Lala Steyn to Sahm Venter informing her of the Port Nolloth March to the Municipal offices on the 9th February 1990 - attached is a letter from the residents of Bloukam and Fentdorp in Port Nolloth requesting for support on a number of issues.

Correspondence from Lala Steyn to Sahm Venter Re: Dossier on Richtersveld National Park 11th July 1989, attached is the information on Area earmarked for national superior to corridor-west farms offered as compensation.

Dossier on proposed national park in the Richtersveld, Namaqualand: Surplus people project June 1989.

Folder No. 16

Vakalisa Art Associates

Correspondence from Jim to Graham

Notice of a general meeting for the Cultural Workers Congress to be held on the 14th November 1988.

Draft proposal for visual exhibition on the theme of community n.d.

Folder No. 17

Mass Democratic Movement Campaigns

Save the press campaign open letter 1988.

Suggested amendments for joint statement with editors of the Argus and Cape Times (3 pages)

Film and allied workers organisation programme of the education and training mass media.

United Women's Congress supporting the defiance campaign- Statement

Statement from the democratic teachers union's decision to join the Mass Democratic Movement in calling for the defiance on restrictions placed on individuals.

So we are getting the raw end of the deal: I will only vote for a free Azania.

Mass Democratic Movement Press statements

Press statement of the Mass Democratic Movement attached is list of activities planned for the month of August 1989.

Statement by Dullar Omar of the United Democratic Front (Western Cape Region) on September 20 1989 on behalf of the Mass Democratic Movement. Statement issued by the MDM on the release of Willie Hofmeyr- issued by Cheryl Carolus.

Folder No. 18

Gregory Flat

Call of Islam's denouncing the statement by Gregory Flat that he is an Apartheid informer. (2 copies)

Confession statement by Gregory Flat giving details of his activities
Statement issued by Cheryl Carolus on behalf of the MDM regarding informers.

Folder No. 19

Objections against military call up

Why I refuse to serve in the SADF, Dave Bruce on trial 19th July Johannesburg.

Charles Bester: Why I won't serve.

Press conference convened by a group of conscientious Objectors held on 3rd August 1988. The list comprises of signatories to the statement refusing to serve in the South African Defense Force 1988.

A personal stand against the participation in the South African Defense Force, by Andrew Zaaiman - report on his refusal to serve 1988.

Report on Harald Winkler's religious Objection.

List of objectors from Cheadle Thompson and Haysom and reasons provided for refusal to serve.

Conscientious Objector Support Group Cape Town Press release on Ivan Toms

EDASA Statement to press conference UCT Education Faculty 26th April 1988.

Mother's call for alternative to compulsory military service: Give our sons a choice. Mother's of conscripts calling for provision of alternatives to compulsory military service. - Press Conference 1988.

Petition to revoke the prison sentences imposed on Merrs. Ivan Toms, David Bruce, Charles Bester and Saul Batzofin signed by 5245 signatories.
(Signatures missing)

Some facts of concern from people who face a military call up, and request to allow all South Africans to participate.

Press release on conscientious objectors

International conscientious objectors day May 15th, 1989 (2 copies)

Register of conscientious objectors launch: Press Statement 1989.

National service need not be military service=Nasionale diensplig hoef nie militere diensplig te wees nie. (flyer)

Survival kit, know your rights.

Invitation to attend the End Conscription Campaign AGM Agenda attached.
Open letter sent to the Minister of defense Magnus Malan from the Objectors.

Press release - Calling for alternatives to national military service- End Conscription Campaign.

Press release sent to the SADF requesting for restraint on harassing the End Conscription Campaign.

Press release - The massive support of non military form of national service.

Statement supporting the conscientious objectors by the Conscientious Objector support group.

Statement on – 771 military conscripts Commission of Justice and Peace 1989.

In whose defense? -Conscription and the SADF (booklet).

COSAG statement on the imprisonment of Charles Bester for his refusal to serve on the SADF.

Box 5

Folder No. 20

Anti Emergency Regulations

Demand for the unconditional release of all section 29 detainees and all political prisoners. (newsletter)

A-Z life in Apartheid's emergency (newsletter).

Statement on circumstances of William Andrew Hofmeyr 1989.

Joint statement on demands for the lifting of restrictions imposed in terms of the emergency regulations proclaimed under the state of emergency.

Folder No. 21

Forced Removals

George civic association correspondence to Rev Alan Hendrickse leader of the labour party outlining negotiations they had with the officials on the issue of being forcibly removed from Lawaaikamp 18th May 1988.

George Civic Association- correspondence sent to Minister Chris Heunis minister of constitutional development and planning, regarding the Community's refusal to be moved to Sandkraal. 19th May 1988.

Leaflet distributed to the Lawaaikamp residents assuring them that they will not be forcibly removed, as spread by the rumours that should they not move by the 31st of May 1988 they will be forced to do so. (2 copies)
Press Statement by the development action group 25th May 1988.
National Committee Against Removals 25th May 1988.

National Committee Against Removals Press Statement 29th May 1988.
Liturgy for Ecumenical Service Lawaaikamp 29th May 1988

“Stop the Lawaaikamp Removals” Leaflet by the save Lawaaikamp Campaign (3 copies)

Government gazette regulation no. 604 December 1965.

Folder No. 22

Group Areas Act

South African residential segregation crumbles.

List of urban settlements with racially mixed resident that were declared for the white group areas in Cape Town and its environs 1985.

Woodstock Advice Office No. 11 1988 (3 copies)

Woodstock Advice Office No. 12 1988 (5 copies)

Barking at the wrong tree.

“Integration’ a newspaper article. by Roelf Meyer

National land Committee- subscription form.

Folder No. 23

Hunger Strikers

A statement of intent and declaration- Robben Island Maximum prison. political prisoners

Information on indemnity and release of political prisoners May 1991.
Faxes sent to Sahm Venter.

Information update on Robben Island Hunger Strike on 2nd May 1991.

Information update on Robben Island has Press release by the commissioner: correctional services 2nd May 1991.

Statement issued on behalf of ANC prisoners currently on hunger strike on Robben Island 3 May 1991.

Comment on statement made in Parliament by the minister of justice on June 1 1991.

Comment on statement by Department of Correctional services by Willie Hofmeyr 18th July 1991 (2copies).

Folder No.24

International Summit on Children.

International Summit on the State of Children in South Africa: Summit on children's rights 28th May- June 1992.

Paper from the Harare Conference on children.

Folder No. 25

KTC

Correspondence from the mayor sent to the residents of KTC on the erected fence around KTC.

Press statement by the Hon. Mr. Roland Njoli, Mayor of the Cape Town Committee, on 24th June 1988 at the old Fezeka, Gugulethu regarding the upgrading of KTC and the removal of the fence.

Box 6

Folder 26

Multi Party Democracy

Multi Party Democracy - Mission Statement.

Board of trustees for multi- party democracy

Correspondence from Tribute magazine sent to Sahm Venter on reporting the launch of Institute for Multi Party Democracy for tribute.

Official launch of the institute for multi-party democracy: Cape Town February 1991: Address by the executive Chairman Dr Oscar Dlomo.

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List of demands written for the attention of Col Smit of the security police.

Message to all our comrades in Apartheid's jails explaining solidarity action in their support.

Correspondence written by FEDTRAW (The Federation of South African Women) to Margaret Thatcher, informing her about the conditions in South Africa and appealing to her to join the international campaign to isolate the apartheid government.

Petition sent to the Minister of law and order requesting for reinstatement members of Popcru and to resolve their grievances.

Notice of a sit in sent to the Minister of Police and Justice to be undertaken by Popcru members to accede to their listed demands.

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Political Prisoners

Dorothy Zihlangu awarded an honorary degree.

Dorothy Zihlangu draft biography

Dorothy Zihlangu conditions of release.

Dorothy Zihlangu press release on from Chris Mitchel.

Manuel, Trevor personal account on banning order.

Biographies of 14 political prisoners.

Evelina du Bryn a black sash account on her as a condemned person.

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Latest information on the hunger strike at Robben Island 3rd May 1991 (2 pages)

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Comment on statement by department of correctional services by Willie Hofmeyr. (Lawyer representing hunger strikers at Pollsmoor) 18th July 1991(3 pages)

Letter of protest, demanding the unconditional release of all Political Prisoners: Sent to President De Klerk, from families of political prisoners: Read at a press conference Cowley House 25th September 1990.

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List of 27 Political Prisoners released from Robben Island on the 15th December 1990.

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Release statement on behalf of the present ANC members on political prisoners. n.d (1page)

List of political prisoners who will be released from prison.(handwritten)

List of reasons provided by individuals on why they choose to be politically involved. (handwritten)

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Correspondence from Adriaan Vlok to Mr Christmas Fihla Tinto attached are details on the conditions of release. 25th February 1988.

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FEDTRAW- demanding the unconditional release of all Political Prisoners and of all section 29 detainees. (flyer)

FEDTRAW -Press Statement demanding the Release of all the Political leaders

Box No. 7

Court Cases

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Ashley Forbes and 13 others

Supreme court judgement on the 15 people namely Ashely Alexander Forbes, Peter Anthony Jacobs, Nicklo Lois Perdo, Nazeem Lowe, Anwa Dramat, Clement Baadjies, David Johannes Fortuin, Jeremy Alan Veary, Walter Rhoode, Wayne Ingemar Malgas, Collin Cairncross, Ashraf Kariem, Colin Clave Martin Peterson, Leon Scott, Yasmina Pandya these were found guilty on contravening terrorism section 54 (1) Read with section 54(6) 54(7)67,68, and 69 of the act of 1982) (3 copies)

Attached are schedules for each accused, explaining outlining activities regarding their respective arrest. Schedule for accused no.15 missing.

Admissions in terms of Section 220 of Act no 51 of 1977

Statement from Ashely Forbes' refusal to plead on the charges leveled against him.

We salute the fighting 15: Memo saluting Ashely Forbes and his co-accused.

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Yengeni, Tony and 13 others

Supreme court judgment on the 14 people viz:- Tony Sthembiso Yengeni, Jennifer Schriener, Lumka Elizabeth Nyamza, Michael Mzimkulu Lubambo, Mbutu Richmond Nduku, Wellington Mongameli Nkwandla, Mthetheleli Titana, Gary Kruser, Christopher Charles Giffard, Sitlabocha Charles Mahale, Alpheus Nkwana Ndude, Gertrude Magdaleen Nethania Fester, Zuraya Abass, and Colleen Lombard found guilty of treason contravening of section 54 (6), 54 (7), 67, 68 69 73 of the internal security act of 1982 (Act no 74 of 1982 and further read with sections 246 and 270 of 51 of 1977.

Folder No.3

Preamble on charges of treason, levelled against all the accused in the trial. Attached schedules for each of the accused outlining their respective activities regarding their arrest. Attached are schedules A- L outlining the activities of accused 1 – 12. Schedules for accused no.13 and no.14 missing. Supreme court of judgment against Martin Stanley Magmoed and P Janse Van Renburg and 12 others. A police truck referred to as the Trojan horse. All the accused were not found guilty and discharged.

Supreme court of South Africa Eastern Cape in the matter between Micheal Fusile Daniso, Vuyo Manqindi, Lennox Vuwani and Smile Jaxa and eight others viz: Zola Winta, Andile October, Sindephi June Mbulelo Mbiyoso, Pulelelo Matelongwe, Zonisile Kwebetu Yona Baleni and Zama Mzini Supporting Affidavit from Vuyo Manqindi, Lennox Vuwani, Smile Jaxa and Yandiswa Vuwani. Notice of motion requesting that respondents be committed to goal for a period determined by the court.

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Report on L Tsotsi vs V Mhlawuli from Professor Martin West prepared for Advocate Muller on the 12th December 1989.

Statement by accused no.1 Linda Tsotsi in terms of section 112(3) of Act 51 of 1977 in the Magistrate court of the district of Cape Town.

Statement by accused no. 2 -Veliswa Mhlawuli in terms of section -112(3) of act 51 of 1977 in the Magistrate court of the district of Cape Town.

Government gazette regulation 604 of 1965: regulation in terms of prison act 1959 acts no 8 as amended.

Box No. 8 **Universities**

Folder No. 1 **University of Cape Town**

From ivory tower to a people's University: Twenty seventh T.B. Davie memorial lecture delivered in the Jameson Hall, University of Cape Town on the 26th September 1986.

Academic freedom - a service to the people. Twenty seventh lecture delivered in the Jameson Hall University of Cape Town on 31st of July 1986.

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University of Cape Town Academics Association(UDUSA Branch) message in support of non racial democracy.

University of Cape Town news and information bureau on conditions determined by minister Clase on the subsidy payable to Universities in terms of the Universities act.

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Folder No. 2

University of South Africa

Programme on the degree of conferment of the doctor of literature and philosophy on De Villiers Graaf DMS MBE.

Folder No. 3

University of Western Cape

Vice Chancellors report for 1987.

University of the Western Cape - Press release in solidarity with the defiance campaign.

University of the Western Cape special graduation ceremony 28 November 1989: Rector's introduction of the ceremony.

University of the Western Cape - Objectives.

Folder No. 4

University of the Witwatersrand

Correspondence from the Centre of Applied Legal Studies sent to the Secretary of parliament on "Parliamentary select committee on the prohibition of the mixed marriages act and section of the immorality act."

The South African system of- racial classification.

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Press Statement by Mangosuthu Buthelezi on the issue of negotiations with the government 1990.

Government's announcements

Background Statement of the State president's announcements on the socio economic development and upliftment.

An extract from a Speech by Mr. F.W. De Klerk Minister of National Education and leader of National Party, 3rd August 1989.

Speech by F.W. De Klerk, State President of South Africa 16th November 1989.

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