

Over the last two weeks 12 more ECC members were detained and the names of two others detained previously came to light, bringing the total number of ECC members to have been detained under the emergency regulations to 48. Anneke van Gylswyk, a prominent member of our Pretoria branch, has been issued with a deportation order. She is the third ECC member to have been issued with such an order.

In Johannesburg the houses and/or offices of about 20 ECC members were raided by the security police over the last two weeks. ECC members in Grahamstown were also "visited" last week. Ten of those detained last week were Cape Town ECC members who were busy making posters when the security police raided. They were released the following day.

Most of those detained recently have been held for short periods, questioned by the security police and sometimes by Military Intelligence, and then released. There are 13 ECC members still being held.

Since the Emergency was declared the houses and/or offices of about 90 of our members have been raided by the security police. A large quantity of ECC media and literature has been confiscated in the process. In addition our Johannesburg and Cape Town offices have been raided on several occasions and documents have been confiscated. The office of our Port Elizabeth chairperson, Janet Cherry, was raided by unknown persons and all her office equipment, files etc were removed. Two of our Johannesburg members have had their flats teargassed by the security police and two of our Port Elizabeth members, D J Grant and George Wolfaardt, report that they were assaulted while in detention. Grant is proceeding with legal action relating to the incident.

About 30 ECC members nationally are still not staying at home in order to avoid detention.

Almost all of the ECC members released from detention report that they had been interrogated about their ECC activities. In addition, several non-ECC members who had contact with ECC members have also been interrogated about ECC.

At least 3 ECC members have had to receive psychiatric treatment as a result of their detentions. All had been held for long periods in solitary confinement.

## State of Emergency Detentions

### Port Elizabeth

- \* 1). Dominique Souchon, 27, ECC Port Elizabeth Executive member and coordinator of the contact committee. Employed as Port Elizabeth Municipal Training Officer and since last month employed as Eastern Cape research worker by the Wits university Politics department. Detained June 15 and issued with deportation order on July 13. Dominique was born in Vietnam and is a Mauritian citizen but has lived in South Africa for over 25 years. He is being held in detention pending the implementation of his deportation order. His passport has gone missing. His entire family live in South Africa and he has never lived in Mauritius. An appeal against the deportation order was turned down. He had previously been detained or arrested without trial three times.
- \* 2). Philip Wilkenson, 22, ECC Port Elizabeth Executive member, unemployed butcher and conscientious objector. Philip's charges for failing to report for military service have been provisionally dropped. He was detained on June 15 and is still being held. In April this year he was arrested by Military Police for failing to report for a camp and was held in detention barracks for nine days.
- \* 3). Sandra Stewart, 31, ECC Port Elizabeth Executive member, secretary for a building supply company, mother to two boys, detained on June 15 and still being held.
- \* 4). Michael Loewe, 27, ECC Port Elizabeth Executive member, freelance journalist. He was detained on June 15 and is still being held.
- 5). Timothy Hoffman, 30, ECC Port Elizabeth Executive member, University of Port Elizabeth botanist, detained on June 15 and released on June 29.
- 6). Barry Eason, 39, ECC Port Elizabeth member, detained June 17 and released July 1.

Port Elizabeth Continued

- 7). D J Grant, 34, ECC Port Elizabeth Executive member, bus driver, detained June 22 and released July 6. Reports that he was assaulted by security police while in detention and has instituted legal action around the alleged incident.
- 8). George Wolfaardt, 21, former riot policeman now active in ECC. Detained June 22 and released July 6. Reports that he was assaulted while in detention.
- 9). Annaline Bester, 45, ECC member, Department of Health employee. Detained June 22 and released July 6.
- 10). Jamie Whitehouse, ECC member, detained June 22 and released July 6.

## ECC State of Emergency Detentions

### Grahamstown

- \* 1). Collum Allen, 20, ECC Rhodes University member, student. He was detained on June 12 and later charged with contravening the emergency regulations. He had been held after handing out ECC pamphlets to troops on a train. He was acquitted after the magistrate found that he could not reasonably have known the emergency had been declared. According to our information he was transferred to detention under section 29 of the Internal Security Act after being acquitted and is still being held.
  
- \* 1). Anne Burroughs, 29, ECC Grahamstown Executive member, Black Sash member, research worker. Detained June 18 and still being held.
  
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- \* 3). Melissa de Villiers, 21, ECC Grahamstown Executive member and ECC Rhodes University chairperson, rhodes honours student. Detained June 28 and still being held.
  
- \* 4). Karen Thorne, 19, Rhodes ECC Executive member, detained June 28 and still being held.
  
- \* 5). Bridget Hilton-Barber, 24, ECC Grahamstown Executive member, journalist at Grokots Mail. Detained at work on July 2 and still being held.
  
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- ). Nick Vergunst, Grahamstown ECC member. Detained July 11 and released later the same day. Redetained on July 18 and again released after being questioned by security police. It appears his detention was related to the fact that he shared a house with ECC Grahamstown chairperson, Wilhelm Liebenberg, whom the security police have been searching for.
  
- \* 7). Roelene Theron, 23, rhodes ECC Executive member, journalism honours student. Detained July 28 and still being held.

End Conscription Campaign State of Emergency Detentions

Cape Town

- 1). Michael Evans, 28, former ECC Western Cape chairperson, UCT lecturer and student. Detained June 12 and released July 27 after court application on his detention. The state agreed to pay the costs of the application. In September last year he was detained under the Internal Security Act for over two weeks.
- 2). Helene Thornton, 17, ECC Cape Town member, matric pupil at Westerford High School. Detained on June 19 and released on July 27. She was interrogated 11-times.
- \* 3). Leslie Liddle, 39, Western Province Council of Churches employee, former ECC Cape Town Executive member and finance Secretary. She is no longer active in ECC but has been interrogated about her past involvement. She is a mother of two teenagers. She was detained on June 12 and is still being held.
- \* 4). Jane Coombe, 25, teacher at Mountview High School in Hanover Park, Social issues Group member and former ECC activist. She is no longer active in ECC but has been interrogated about the Conscription Advice Bureau. She was detained on June 12 and is still being held.
- \* 5). Ian Mackenzie, 25, ECC member and final year UCT Social Work student. Detained July 9 and still being held.
- 6). John Zachariades, 25, ECC member, detained under emergency regulations on July 11 after allegedly handing out stayaway pamphlets, released on July 28. Faces charges of distributing subversive statements. UCT Chemical Engineering graduate student.
- 7). Nick Borain, 26, ECC Western Cape chairperson, UCT Research worker. Detained July 31 and released the following day.

Cape Town Continued

- 8). Andy Orpen, 24, ECC Cape Town Executive member, UCT law student, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 9). Therese Boulle, 24, ECC Cape Town Executive member, UCT Occupational Therapy lecturer, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 10). Felicity Woods, 27, ECC Cape Town Executive member, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 11). Mathew Blatchford, 26, ECC research coordinator, UCT lecturer, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 12). Brian Vos, 26, ECC Creative Action Group member, Computer Consultant, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 13). Cosmo Maurer, 22, ECC Meida Comm member, UCT law student, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 14). Fiona McKay, 22, ECC media Comm member , UCT student, detained July 31 and released August 1.
- 15). Jill Rosenfield, 28, ECC member, Jews for justice Chairperson, detained July 31 released August 1.
- 16). Josi Grindrod, 23, ECC Media Comm member, Post Graduate Fine Art student at UCT, detained July 31 and released August 1.

Borain, Orpen, Boulle, Woods, Blatchford, Vos, Maurer, McKay, Rosenfield and Grindrod were all detained while preparing ECC stickers and posters at an ECC workshop. They were first held under section 50 of the Criminal Procedure Act, then transferred to detention under the emergency regulations and released the following morning.

ECC State of Emergency Detentions

Johannesburg

- 1). Joy Harnden, 25, ECC Focus editor, employed by Black Sash, also Jodac member, detained June 15 and released June 29. Also detained under the emergency regulations for two weeks last year.
- 2). Jeanette Schmid, 28, ECC Churches Committee member and Jodac rep to ECC, social worker, detained June 15 and released June 29.
- 3). Sandy Smit, 24, ECC Media Committee member, Jodac member, Afrapix photographer, detained June 15 and released June 29.
- 4). Anne McKay, 24, ECC Media Committee member, teacher, detained June 25, interrogated about ECC and released later the same day. Her house has since been raided three times by the security police and has been petrol bombed.
- 5). Jill de Vlieg, 45, Black Sash member and Black Sash rep to ECC, Afrapix photographer, detained June 12 and released July 18.
- 6). Scott Doherty, 19, United States visitor to South Africa sponsored by the South African Council of Churches, had been active in ECC Johannesburg branch for about three months, detained June 12, held at Pollsmore prison in Cape Town, and deported June 19.

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Pietermaritzburg

- 1). Jaqui Boule, 22, ECC Pietermaritzburg chairperson, PMB honours student, detained June 12 and released June 26.
- 2). Johnny Kaplan, 24, ECC Pietermaritzburg Treasurer, Natal Museum archeologist, detained July 11, questioned by security police and Military Intelligence and released later the same day.
- 3). Hilary Reynolds, 24, ECC PMB Media Coordinator, detained July 11, questioned by SP and MI and released later the same day.
- 4). Phillip La Housse, ECC PMB member, environmentalist/ecologist, detained July 16, questioned by SP and MI and released later the same day.
- 5). Gill Whey, , ECC PMB member, detained July and released later the same day.



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Durban

- 1). Jeremy Routledge, 32, ECC Durban Executive member, university of Natal Science lecturer, detained June 16 and released July 18.
  
- 2). Sarah Hills, ECC Durban Culture Coordinator, Durban Technicon Art Student, detained July 2 and released July 18 after court application concerning her detention was initiated. She was interrogated 12 times, sometimes by as many as 15 security policemen.
  
- 3). Marie Odendal, 30, Durban ECC and NEUSA member, detained July 9 and released July 18.

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Pretoria

- 1). Anneke van Gylswyk, 56, ECC Pretoria Executive member, Pretoria Black Sash Chairperson, detained June 15 and released August 1. She was interrogated extensively about ECC. She has had to receive psychiatric treatment as a result of her detention. Anneke, who is a Swiss citizen but has been living in South for over 30 years, has been issued with a deportation order and is expected to leave South Africa on about August 8. She is a married mother and most of her family live in South Africa. At the time of her detention she was a lecturer at the University of South Africa.

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