P.O. Box 1138, JOHANNESBURG.

2nd June, 1967.

Mr P.C. Pelser, M.P., The Hon. the Minister of Justice and of Prisons, Marks Building, Parliamont Street, CAPE TOWN.

Dear Sir,

#### Re: Permission to visit R.M. Sobukwe

As you may perhaps know, I have applied to the Secretary for the Interior for a permit to enable me to leave South Africa permanently. I plan to leave on June 24.

You are aware of the very close personal relationship which I have with Mr Robert M. Sobakwe, and I write to ask whether I can pay a final visit to him before I leave. You will appreciate our mutual desire to see each other, possibly for the last time for some years.

I shall be in Gape Town on June 13 and 13, and if you are willing to accede to my request, I wonder whether I may visit him on June 13. I apologize for the late notice of this application and would like to suggest that, to save time, I telephone your Privato Secretary on June 12 to obtain your decision.

I trust that this suggestion will meet with your approval.

Yours faithfully.

BEHJAHIN POGRUND

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