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No <u>R12/L.</u>	

24th August, 1948.

The Director,
S.A. Institute of Race Relations,
P.O. Box 97,
Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Whyte,

I have to thank you for your letter of 16th August and am glad to learn that your Executive did not intend to criticize my activities with regard to our Non-European students.

I must inform you, however, that at this stage I do not consider that it would be desirable for your Executive to discuss the position which would arise if the Government proceeded to take steps to prevent Non-European students from attending this University. The position is strictly hypothetical at the moment since the Government has taken no overt action in the matter, but I assure you that the matter is being carefully watched and the moment anything definite transpires your request for an interview with the Executive of Council will be immediately brought to the attention of my Chairman.

Yours sincerely,

H.R. Raikes

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Principal H. N. Raikes,
University of the Witwatersrand,
JOHANNESBURG.

2nd September, 1948.

Dear Mr. Raikes,

Many thanks for your letter No. R12/L of 24th August
in reply to mine of 18th August.

I appreciate that it would not be desirable for my
Executive to discuss the question of the possible exclusion of
Non-European students with your Council at this stage, and agree
that the matter might well be left over until such time as more
definite action is taken by the Government.

Thank you again for the sympathetic interest you
have shown in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Quintin Whyte
DIRECTOR.

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