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By creating such a buffer zone around itself, the government of the RSA hopes to gain enough time to bring about that measure of reform that will make it respectable in the eyes of the capitalist world. If it can dupe some important African states such as Zambia and Tanzania to believe that its "confederation" of a four-chamber South African parliament and a string of so-called independent and self-governing Bantustans is a "non-racial constitution", it hopes that those states will fulfil the promise of the Lusaka manifesto of 1969 according to which the 14 African signatory states undertook that

"If peaceful progress to emancipation were possible, or if changed circumstances were to make it possible in the future, we would urge our brothers in the resistance movements to use peaceful methods of struggle, even at the cost of some compromise on the timing of change."

Against this background, we can see more clearly why our demand for a non-racial, i.e., non-ethnic and undivided Azania is for us a matter of life and death. These are not just nice-sounding words from some liberal political glossary. These slogans embrace for the oppressed and exploited people of South Africa their only guarantee of escaping from the bondage of neo-apartheid and of the capitalist system of which it is the socio-political expression. We can see also that history has placed on the overburdened shoulders of the black masses of South Africa the task of liberating themselves from this system so that other nations of Southern Africa can begin to build the kind of societies they wish to live in. Southern African liberation is one. Our contribution is crucial, and we should begin by issuing a call for the immediate withdrawal of South African troops from Namibia and from other states in the region.

To conclude, these are some of the steps which we have to take immediately.

- (1) We have to oppose the Koornhof - President's Council "new dispensation" with all the force and ingenuity at our command. The scheme must be made to fail. We must show that it has no significant support among any section of the oppressed people.
- (2) As against their "new dispensation", we have to insist on our primary demand for the convention of a constituent assembly elected on the basis of one person one vote, at which democratically elected representatives of the nation will decide on a new constitution for Azania. The constituent assembly will not be a gathering of representatives of so-called ethnic groups. It is also not going to be convened by the present government. It is a goal for which we shall have to struggle in the years ahead with even greater dedication than before.
- (3) We have to build up a national united front of all people's organisations in order to fight for full democratic rights for all and an end to the system of racial capitalism. Such a front must not be an alliance of ethnically defined organisations but an alliance of workers', community, students', youth, sports and other organisations of the people. Ambivalent and opportunist elements such as white and black organisations of liberals who are not committed to the total liberation of the people of Azania, those who are merely concerned with the elimination of superficial aspects of apartheid, must be excluded from such an alliance of organisations.
- (4) A national conference should be convened for the purpose of formulating a national agreement on immediate political demands.
- (5) A national campaign against the so-called new dispensation or new deal should be launched immediately under the banner slogan:

ONE AZANIA, ONE NATION !

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**DON'T VOTE
FOR YOUR OWN OPPRESSION!!!
DON'T VOTE
FOR BORDER DUTY!!!**

WHAT A VOTE FOR THE NEW CONSTITUTIONAL DISPENSATION MEANS

- Giving credibility to apartheid in its merely modified form
- Accepting RACISM in separate 'RACIAL' chambers
- Entrenching Nat Power even more strongly, since the whole constitutional structure by maintaining a built in majority. No law of any consequence, to eliminate the injustices of the present system suffered by the Black oppressed ie. so-called Indians, so-called Coloureds and so-called Africans, can be passed by the puppet "COLOURED" and "INDIAN" Houses, even if they wished to do so.
- The exercise is a fraud - don't just Boycott the Elections, persuade your friend and family not to VOTE. Join the volunteer corps of the Anti Constitutional Co-Ordinating Committee NOW!
- Choose the alternative and start working now for:-
A free Anti-Racist and Anti-Capitalist AZANIA, where every citizen shall have EQUAL RIGHTS and no special privilege will be given to anyone on the basis of COLOUR, CREED, SEX or RELIGION

TO JOIN THE VOLUNTEER CORPS CONTACT:

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BOYCOTT RACIST ELECTIONS - SHOW YOUR SUPPORT

**ATTEND MASS RALLY
SAT 11TH AUGUST '84 - 3-00 p.m.
3-00 p.m.**

PATIDAR HALL - LENASIA

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