# IN THE SPECIAL CRIMINAL COURT

#### REGINA

VS.

# ADAMS AND OTHERS

The Defence further admits:-

- 1). That the Defiance Campaign was directed against the following laws, namely:-
  - (a) Pass Laws.
  - (b) Stock Limitation Regulations.
  - (c) Group Areas Act.
  - (d) The Separate Representation of Voters Act.
  - (e) The Suppression of Communism Act.
  - (f) The Bantu Authorities Act.
- 2). That the S.A.I.C. and A.N.C. formed a National Volunteer Board as part of their activities in the Defiance Campaign.
- 3). That the Defiance Campaign was carried on in several parts of South Africa from the 26th June 1952 to December, 1952.
- 4). That N.A.C.C.O.P. established verious provincial, regional and local action councils, consisting of representatives of the constituent organisations, namely the following:-
  - (a) Natal Action Council,
  - (b) Transvaal Action Council,
  - (c) Johannesburg, Natal Midlands, Cape Eastern and Cape Western Regional Committees.
- 5). That the object of N.A.C.C.O.P. was the co-ordination of the activities of the organisations in their sponsorship and organisation of the C.O.P.
- 6). That the provincial, regional or local councils of N.A.C.C.O.P. organised meetings at various places in South Africa in support of the C.O.P.
- 7). That the C.O.P. campaign was conducted in many parts of South Africa.
- 8). That various joint consultative provincial and regional committees were established by the organisations.
- 9). That meetings of the N.C.C. or the provincial or regional committees thereof were held to discuss:-
  - (a) Publicising the Freedom Charter.
  - (b) Passes.
- 10). That the campaigns against the laws referred to in paragraph 6 of the first set of admissions, constituted part of the policy of extra-parliamentary activity.
- 11). That the said campaigns were conducted in many parts of South Africa.

- 12). That these campaigns were regarded as part of the general activity of the organisations.
- 13). That the organisations advocated extra-parliamentary action as a means of achieving the change of government desired by them, as set out in paragraph 9.of the first set of admissions.
- 14). That Chief A.J. Luthuli, on behalf of the A.N.C., called for 50,000 Freedom Volunteers and that the other organisations supported his appeal.
- 15). That the T.I.Y.C. and N.I.Y.C. had all the policies and participated in all . the activities which have been admitted with reference to the S.A.I.C., and that the T.I.Y.C. and N.I.Y.C. co-operated with the other organisations referred to in the admissions.

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