

DON'T EMIGRATE TO SOUTH AFRICA

"Immigrants are people who come to South Africa in its hour of need to stand by the whites here"

South African Prime Minister J.B. Vorster, 6.2.70

South Africa today is a White Power state in which the Black majority of the population is denied any form of political or human rights. Whilst White South Africans enjoy one of the highest standards of living in the world, the African population is confronted by a barrage of viciously discriminatory laws designed to maintain it as a vast reservoir of cheap, servile labour. The Pass Laws which separate families, enable the Government to direct the movements of African labour, The Bantu Labour Relations Regulation Act, which severely restricts the right of Africans to strike, and the Industrial Conciliation Act, which denies African workers any say in their terms of employment, are examples of the monstrous device for repressing workers that is Apartheid.

Britain's stake in apartheid

Not surprisingly these conditions attract British Big Business like flies to a dunghill. 70% of all private investment in South Africa is foreign, and 60% of this is British. Intent on reaping the Super-profits that the abundance of near-slave labour provides, British Companies are at the same time throwing workers onto the redundancy scrapheap in this country, as they transfer investment and production to their South African subsidiaries. Unable to meet the resulting demand for skilled labour, (despite mass African unemployment, Black workers are excluded by the process of Job Reservation from taking skilled work), the Apartheid regime desperately needs an increasing flow of White immigrants. This is why each immigrant is taking away a potential job from a black worker. Each year some 20,000 Britons are guilty of this.

What you can do to help

•Don't be tempted by the false propaganda of a "good" life awaiting you in South Africa

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- Dissuade others from emigrating to South Africa or Rhodesia tell them the facts against Apartheid
- Encourage your union to produce a leaflet opposing emigration to racist South Africa and Rhodesia, for circulation to branches
- Ensure your union journal does not carry advertisements for South African jobs
- The TUC is opposed to emigration to Southern Africa. Some unions are considering a policy of barring from membership anyone who emigrates to South Africa or Rhodesia, and then decides to return. Press your union to do the same.
- Does your union branch, trades council, county federation of trades councils, regional TUC have policies opposed to recruitment in your area? If not, press for such policies to be adopted.
- Join the Anti-Apartheid Movement, your union branch and trades council can also affiliate. It will keep you informed on this and other campaigns to end British collaboration with racist Southern Africa

Join the antiapartheid movem**en**t

Speakers, pamphlets, posters, badges, back-ground information, are all available from:

ANTI-APARTHEID MOVEMENT, 89 CHARLOTTE STREET, LONDON W1P 2DQ (01-580 5311)

Trade Union branches, Trades Councils, Shop Stewards Committees, etc can affiliate to AAM for a Minimum of £2 a year.

I wish to join the Anti-Apartheid Movement and receive Anti- Apartheid News (£2 per year, £1 for apprentices)
NAME
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I enclose PO/cheque for £ payable to Anti-Apartheid Movement