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**Important: S.Africa: 2010 FIFA World cup - Security Brief - How YOU will be affected...**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: [I received this from a friend. Jan] Subject: FW: World Cup Security Brief Dear Residents, World Cup Security Brief Yesterday afternoon there was a World Cup security brief held at the Consu (By Jan)...

**'How Zim Won the World Cup'**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By MuckrakerYOU have to admit that was a great heading in the Sunday Mail last weekend . It was of course totally false and misleading but a great heading none-the- less.Zimbabwe is not in the running (By News Poster)...

**America's Secret War expands globally as Special Operations forces take larger role**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: [I've mentioned this worldwide secret war, led by the CIA before. Look at how the fight continues to grow in intensity. Jan] Beneath its commitment to soft-spoken diplomacy and beyond the combat zo (By Jan)...

**Zimbabwe: Exiled Tycoons Face Arrest - AG**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Paul NyakazeyaZIMBABWEAN authorities have threatened to arrest three high-profile exiled business tycoons involved in disputes with government over controversial operations of their companies despi (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Govt Cracks Down On Diamond Watchdog**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Wongai ZhangazhaGOVERNMENT is cracking down on controversial diamond watchdog Centre for Research and Development (CRD) at a time when Marange diamonds and the role of security agents in illegal mi (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Cabinet Takes Steps to Keep Tabs on New 'Threat' of Xenophobia**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Bekezela PhakathiJohannesburg - Following media reports and unconfirmed rumours that xenophobia may erupt after the Soccer World Cup, the Cabinet has re-established an inter ministerial committee t (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Obama Speaks on Kenya and U.S.-Africa Relations**Friday 04-Jun-2010: The following is an interview with the United States President Barack Obama by Kenya's Daily Nation.It is indeed a pleasure to speak with you, Mr President. Kenyans take exceptional pride in your achi (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: White Farmers Living in 'Constant Fear'**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Wongai ZhangazhaThe few remaining white commercial farmers say they are living in constant fear after repeated legal and political overtures failed to stop violent evictions, farme! r representatives (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Mugabe's latest Evil moves - from MDC Today**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: [I received this from Zimbabwe. Jan] Subject: News Hi All I thought that you should see this news of Mugabe's evil moves. Regards Gerry Whitehead The MDC Today An interesting an informat (By Jan)...

**Congo-Kinshasa: Human Rights Activist's Death Arouses Suspicion**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Emmanuel ChacoKinshasa - Floribert Chebeya, executive secretary of human rights group Voice of the Voiceless, was discovered dead in his car early in the morning of Jun. 2.Numerous journalists and (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Details of the 2008 Violence Emerge From 'Torture' Workshop**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Tichaona SibandaShepherd Jani, the late MDC senatorial candidate for Murehwa, was burnt alive and shot five times by his abductors, believed to be CIO agents, a torture awareness workshop heard rec (By News Poster)...

**American journalist and Quaker highlight! s the violence against the Afrikaners**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: [Adriana Stuijt sent me this interesting note. Jan] Subject: US journalist and Quaker highlights the violence against the Afrikaners Dear Jan This report by Carol Forsloff, a respected libera (By Jan)...

**Ethiopia: Of Elections and Diapers in Country**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Alemayehu G. MariamSome say, 'You can put lipstick on a pig, but at the end of the day, it is still a pig.' Others say, 'You can wrap an old fish in a piece of paper and call it an 'election'. It's (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Arrested Diamond Researcher 'Set Up' by Mo! nitor**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Violet GondaFarai Maguwu, the director of the Centre for Research and Development (CRD), was arrested on Thursday morning after he handed himself over to the police in Mutare.The Chiadzwa diamonds (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Letter to Foreign Ministers to Renew the Independent Expert Mandate in Country**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: The following letter was written by Human Rights Watch to foreign ministers concerning the renewal of the mandate for the independe! nt expert in Sudan.Your Excellency,Human Rights Watch is writi! ng to u (By News Poster)...

**'More Attacks On Foreigners After World Cup' (news)**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Bronwynne JoosteSouth Africa could see a spike in xenophobic violence after next month's World Cup.That was the warning sounded in Amnesty International's annual report on the state of human rights (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Tuberculosis in Children Neglected**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Kristin PalitzaEven though tuberculosis (TB) is a major cause for illness and mortality in children, South Africa lacks the political will to tackle the disease, health experts say.And the country' (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Western Nations Call for 'Credible Constitution'**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: The following statement was agreed upon by the countries attending a meeting of the Friends of Zimbabwe held in Oslo on June 1, 2010.Participants: U.S., Australia, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Ge (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Govt Must Cooperate With KPCS**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Dumisani MuleyaTHE Kimberley Process Certification Scheme (KPCS) monitor for Zimbabwe Abbey Chikane was in Harare last week to further assess if the country was making progress to comply with the m (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: World Cup HIV Prevention Plans Fall Short**
Friday 04-J! un-2010: Johannesburg - The excitement over the FIFA World Cup is not just about football, it's also about the party. Large quantities of alcohol are sure to be consumed as foreign football fans rub shoulders (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Mobilise People Against Violence**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Jana-Mari SmithHUNDREDS of workshops aimed at empowering men and women to stand up against violence will take place in all regions of Namibia this month.Khomas Community Voice, established in 2008 (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Community Mobilisation Key to Fight TB**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Kristin PalitzaDurban - African medical experts have realised they need to make a much bigger effort to educate rural communities if they want to effectively contain the continent's tuberculosis (T (By News Poster)...

**Liberia: U.S. Airline to Begin Flights to Monrovia**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: The Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) Board of Directors, chaired by ! U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton, yesterday, approved an approximately $15 million grant for Liberia to support (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Inyathi Farmer Forced to Auction Off His Cattle**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Alex BellA farmer from the Inyathi district of Matabeleland North has this week been forced to auction off his livestock, in what is believed to be the latest attempt to force him off his farm.Goff (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: How Good is Lagerback's List?**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By George AkpayenWhen our correspondent engaged respected CAF Technical Committee member, Adegboye Onigbinde, on deciphering the 23 players selected by Super Eagles Head Coach, Lars Lagerback, he ende (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: If Only President Would Just Lead**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Johannesburg - THE nationalist "tenderpreneurs" within the African National Congress (ANC) leadership are no doubt impressed by their own tactical brilliance in turning the tables on Congress of South (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Obama Backs Law Review**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Walter MenyaNairobi - US President! Barack Obama has sent the strongest indication yet that he wants to see Kenya's constitutional review process successfully concluded.However, the US leader in an (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Let's Look East in Earnest**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Harare - THE recent visit by a 25-member delegation from the Communist Party of China could not have come at any better time for Zimbabwe in light of the move by liberation parties in the region to cl (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: World Bank Faults Govt's Borrowing Plan**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Lucas Liganga and Beatus KagasheThe World Bank said yesterday the government's plan to borrow $1.5 billion (about Sh2.1trillion) from local financial sources to boost the 2010/11 Budget could have (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Aspirant Caught With Cocaine**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Lagos - For a nation that is apparently obsessed with its own unedifying history, it is very tempting to assume that the future of Nigeria will re-play its past if no serious effort is made to arrest (By News Poster)...

**West Africa: Ecowas Suspe! nsion of Guinea, Niger**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: THE Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) on Monday, May 31st 2010, finally announced the suspension of the Republics of Guinea and Niger from the West African regional body. The reason f (By News Poster)...

**Eagles Should Learn Mourinho's Secret**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Soyombo OpeyemiWith great éclat, pomp and pageantry, the UEFA Champions League (UCL) for the 2009/ 2010

**East Africa: New Arsenal Against Armyworms**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Isaiah EsipisuFarmers across Eastern and Southern Africa will soon have a new organic insecticide effective enough to kill one of their most deadly foes - the armyworm.Armyworms or Spodoptera frugi (By News P! oster)...

**Mthethwa Talks Tough After 2600 Police Firearms Lost Last Year**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Wyndham HartleyCape Town - Police Minister Nathi Mthethwa yesterday said that more than 2600 firearms were either lost by police or stolen from them last year - leading to charges that ill-discipli (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Banks Shut Down in Aba over Robbery Attacks**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Eric UgborAbia - THERE are palpable fears that commercial activities in Aba, Abia State, are gradually being crippled as commercial banks in the city remained closed, yesterday, after last Wednesda (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Shaduka Denies Murd! er Charg e**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Werner Menges"I PLEAD not guilty," was the response of businessman Lazarus Shaduka in the High Court in Windhoek yesterday when he was asked to plead to a charge in which he is accused of murdering (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Who-Done-It Murder Case**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Windhoek - The audience at a performance at the Franco Namibian Cultural Centre (FNCC) were startled on Thursday evening when the lights suddenly went out.In the darkness a gunshot shattered the en! sui (By News Poster)...

**President Jacob Zuma Challenges South African and Indian Businesses to Aim for U.S.$10 Billion by 2012**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Johannesburg - President Jacob Zuma is visiting India for the relaunch of the India-South Africa CEO Business Forum, to broaden, deepen and strengthen the nations' bilateral relations.In his address, (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Obama Speaks on Hopes for Country**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Walter MenyaNairobi - US President Barack Obama spoke strongly of his wish to see a more prosperous Kenya in his first full interview dedicated to the country of his father's birth.During the White (By News Poster)...

**Angola: New Reserve Bank Law Maintains Institution's Powers**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Luanda - The director of the Office of Development and Organisation of the Angola Reserve Bank (BNA), Leão Peres, said Thursday in Luanda, the new law on the institution maintains its powers un (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Swift Justice for World Cup Crime**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Irene NaidooPretoria - Less than a week after courts dedicated to hearing World ! Cup related offences opened, they have already had to deal wit! h four c ases.Speaking at the announcement of the dedica (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Bomb Explosion - Bayelsa Govt Accuses Opposition of Inciting Emergency Rule**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Osa OkhominaYenagoa - The Bayelsa State Government and the authorities of the State Police Command yesterday accused some politicians in the state of a plot to provoke a declaration of a state of e (By News Poster)...

**Africa: African Refugees in Indonesia - An Uncertain Future**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Savitri Taylor and Brynna Rafferty-BrownThe United Nations Refugee Agency (UNHCR) Indonesia is working alongside its partner organisations to ensure the wellbeing of African refugees and asylum see (By News Poster)...

**Sierra Leone: National Kimberly Process Dialogue Ends**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Theophilus S. GbendaFreetown - A one-day national dialogue on smuggling and

season came to a splendid end at th! e Madrid Stadium on Saturday, May 22, 2010 with Int (By News P! oster).. .

**Rwanda: U.S. Calls for Release of Opposition Leader's Lawyer**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: The United States has called for the release of a American defense lawyer detained by police in Rwanda.Professor Peter Erlinder of the William Mitchell College of Law in Minnesota was arrested last we (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: When Did HRT Oil and Gas Crawl Out of the Oilfield?**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Daniel SteinmannAbout two weeks ago, a new Brazilian company, HRT Oil Gas, attracted enough attention in the American crude oil markets to merit a short article in the August Wall Street Journal. (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Agribusiness 'Slow to Transform'**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Hopewell RadebeJohannesburg - LACK of transformation in agribusiness has led to the industry's black economic empowerment programmes scoring low for management control and employment equity, an ind (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Ongoing Violence in Somali Capital Alarms UN Aid Agencies**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Fighting continues to wrack the Somali capital with another 17,000 residents displ! aced in just the past two months, United Nations humanitarian agencies reported today, voicing concern that children a (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Offbeat**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: No one from a previous generation wants to shatter their carefully developed veneer of respectability, be it from rehab or cold turkey. And nobody wants to think about what to do about the local econo (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: MP Mbugua Denies SMS Threat to Judge**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Carol MainaNairobi - KAMUKUNJI MP Simon Mbugua has denied sending threatening messages to High Court judge Kalpana Rawal who was hearing an election petition against him.Mbugua told the Star yester (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Murowa Engages Govt On Diamond Ban**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: MUROWA Diamonds has engaged government to urgently reverse an umbrella ban on diamond exports but will still embark on a US$300 million expansion programme, Managing Director Niels Kristensen says.Min (By News Poster)...

**MWEB Merges With Africaonline**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: M! WEB Namibia has announced that it is changing its name to Afri! ca Onlin e.This follows the acquisition of MWeb's African companies and the AfricaOnline group by Telkom SA, and subsequent the integratio (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Investing in Cleaner Fuel 'Difficult'**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Siseko NjobeniJohannesburg - THE South African petroleum industry has said it is not in a position to make the investments required for SA to move to cleaner fuels.The industry's inability to make (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Lawyers Oppose Army Court Trying Corrupt Officials**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Barbara AmongKampala - Lawyers have rejected the proposal by President Yoweri Museveni to have corruption cases involving civilians tried by the military Court Martial.They said the proposal is an (By News Poster)...

**S.Africa: 2010! : Super Corruption: What is the difference between a Nigerian 419 scam and a "stagnated" traffic fine?**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: [Take a look at this note I received from the Justice project. Jan] What is the difference between a Nigerian 419 scam and a "stagnated" traffic fine? Well, when VVM collections gets their hand (By Jan)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (04-06-2010)**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated... - enforcement of the Kimberly Process Certification Scheme (KPSC), ended yesterday Wednesday 2nd June 2010, at the Hill Val (By News Poster)...

**Liberia: We Are Disappointed, Though Hopeful**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: PRESIDENT ELLEN JOHNSON-Sirl! eaf visited the United States and conferred with President Barack Obama on the future of Liberia. We have no details of the talks. However, our observation is that the dipl (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: EDM Can Supply Surplus Power for World Cup**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Maputo - Mozambique's publicly owned electricity company, EDM, says it has sufficient surplus power to export electricity to South Africa, if its South African counterpart, Eskom, requires additional (By News Poster)! ...

**South Africa: Reserve Bank Bill Process Challenged**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Linda EnsorCape Town - The Reserve Bank was pushing through amendments to its founding act with "unseemly haste", Charl Kocks, head of African governance ratings agency Afrika Ratings, told MPs yes (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Corruption in Mining Sector Alleged - Report**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Brigitte WeidlichSOME mining companies have not shied away from using political connections to obtain prospecting or mining licences, or would turn directly to a Cabinet minister because they were (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: This ! Week in the Khuta - Government Should Focus on Research Instit! utes**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By David AdetonaThe neglect of research institutes when building schools, colleges, polytechnics or universities in Africa underscores the need for urgent and undivided attention.Sadly, in Africa, the (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Government is Only Interested in Privatising Power**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By .In this interview, the Deputy General Secretary of Nigeria Union of Electricity Employees (NUEE) Comrade Ibrahim Aliyu says government is only concerned with selling ! PHCN and not with power genera (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Poor Application of Laws on Biodiversity**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Maputo - Mozambique has been applying less than half of the existing laws on protection of biodiversity in the country, a source in the Environment Ministry told reporters in Maputo on Wednesday.Addre (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: RPC, Cleric Among Power Cut 'Victims'**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: A special operation to collect billions of shillings in unpaid bills by the Tanzania Electric Supply Company (Tanesco) entered its third day yesterday, where a regional police commander and a reverend (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: UNPO Condems farm murders**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Submitted by Owl: Pieter Mulder 03 June 2010 FF+ leader says motion accepted at Rome General Conference A motion in which farm murders in South Africa are condemned as a serious human rights (By JoAn)...

**Namibia: Church Fleeced of Half a Million**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: By Tileni MongudhiANOTHER twist has been added to recent media reports about a church pastor who was conned out of N$500 000 of church money in a Nigerian scam.Pastor Japhet Sem of the Evangelical Lut (By News Poster)...

**Peace with Rhodesia - a banquet in America...**
Friday 04-Jun-2010: Hi Dave, I've listened to most of it and will put it on my website. What an amazing event. I never even knew this event took place. I will finish listening to it and will post it on my site. What an (By Jan)...

o00o- There are a number of stories on the internet today which say that Mugabe did good in arranging for the Brazilian football team to play a f (By The BeardedMan)...

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