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# Daily AfricanCrisis News Digest for: Friday, 16th July 2010.

**Africa: UNAIDS Gives Upbeat Report on HIV/Aids Prospects**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Washington, DC - As donor commitment to the fight against AIDS threatens to falter, UNAIDS, the Joint UN Programme on HIV/AIDS, has issued a new report with ambitious proposals and an upbeat perspecti (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Govt Probes Looting by Farm Invaders**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: THE net is closing in on Zanu PF bigwigs and security chiefs who allegedly looted white-owned farms during the land reform programme.Co-Home Affairs Minister Theresa Makone has already circulated a do (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Global Fund on Aids, TB, Malaria Saves Five Million**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Washington, DC - According to a new report from the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB, and Malaria! , the Fund's efforts have contributed to saving an estimated 4! .9 milli on lives by December 2009.The coming (By News Poster)...

**West Africa: UN Rural Development Arm Helping Respond to Food Crisis**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: The United Nations rural development arm is helping to improve agricultural programmes in West Africa's Sahel region, especially in Niger, which is currently in the throes of a growing food crisis.Rec (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Document Exposes Zanu PF Chefs Who Looted Farms**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Lance GumaRecently appointed co-Home Affairs Minister Theresa Makone is reported to have asked officials in her ministry to explain why ZANU PF officials and military officers, implicated in the lo (By News Poster)...

**My Life is utterly hectic... but good... A quick publicity stunt at my work...**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Sorry for not posting anything for 2 days. That big client at our work... who want to use my system suddenly told us yesterday they want 150 people to be working on the system by MONDAY!!! I ne (By Jan)...

**Somalia: Africa Needs Authentic Governments, Not Occupation**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: One reads with disgust at the violent, opportunistic, and immoral call for the African Union to "occupy Somalia and rule her for 50 years" - indeed, the title of an opinion written by Mr. Jerry Okungu (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: AU Should Occupy Somalia And Rule Her for 50 Years**
Friday 16-Jul-201! 0: By Jerry OkunguKampala - My heartfelt condolences must go to those families in Uganda that have lost their loved ones through that senseless killing of innocent Ugandans and other foreigners on a day (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Kenyan Held Over Kampala Bombings**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Maxwell Masava/Roy AgoyaNairobi - A Kenyan suspected of working for Al-Shabaab has been arrested at the Kenya-Somalia border and brought to Nairobi for interrogation.The man produced the Kenyan ide (By News Poster! )...

**Uganda: We Must Face This Terrorism Monster Head-On**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Capt. Chris MageziWe learnt with deep sorrow, and shock about the tragic terrorist attacks against our people in Kampala on Sunday night that resulted in the many deaths and injuries. Attacks again (By News Poster)...

**S.Africa: Xenophobia - I am utterly bored with the ANC's lies about Black on Black attacks...**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: I see that there are xenophobic tensions on

**Africa: Food Sovereignty - the People's Alternative**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Mamadou GoitaIn Africa as a whole, but particularly the western and central regions, agriculture is the primary occupation for the majority of the populations.Mostly it is practised at a rural subs (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: ANC Fiddles While Xenophobic Sentiment Swirls**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Jacob DlaminiJohannesburg - THE first time I heard about plans to expel foreigners from SA after the World Cup was in December last year. I was conducting research on an African National Congress ( (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Zuma Appeals for Calm as Fears of Xenophobic Tensions Rise**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Wilson JohwaJohannesburg - PRESIDENT Jacob Zuma yesterday appealed for calm, urging foreign nationals who felt threatened by xenophobic attacks to approach the police and help isolate what he calle (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: In Pursuing Kampal! a Bombers, Government Should Respect Rights**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: New York - The bomb blasts that killed at least 76 people in Kampala on July 11, 2010, were a heinous attack on civilians and an assault on the basic tenet of the right to life, Human Rights Watch sai (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Splitting Anglo - Adding Value, Losing Face**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Johannesburg - A BANK of America (BoA) Merrill Lynch report on the merits of splitting Anglo American into int! ernational and South African assets may unlock value, but it w! ill also unleash political f (By News Poster)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (16-07-2010)**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated... -o00o- The next four weekends are going to be very busy for me and B, so I thought I would give you a 'heads up' on my intended posting pattern. (By The BeardedMan)...

**Namibia: The NDF and the National Budget**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Major General Denga NdaitwahBudgeting involves a process that starts with brain-storming on what goals are to be achieved, with how much. It then evolves into budget formulation, debate, allocation (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Fadlallah - the Scars of Terrorism**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Owei LakemfaTHE British Government angrily yanked the blog from the website of its ambassador to Lebanon, Frances Guy in which she had praised the Grand Ayatollah Sayyed Muhammad Hussein Fadlallah, (By News Poster)...

**Southern Africa: Farmers to Challenge SADC Leaders on Farm Invasions**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Alex BellZimbabwean commercial farmers are set to challenge leaders of the Southern African Development Community (SADC) to intervene on ongoing farm invasions, at a summit in Namibia next month.Th (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Turning the Page to a New Era in HIV Prevention Research**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: A new report from AVAC surveys the state of biomedical HIV prevention! research, including the first evidence of vaccine-induced protection in humans and the emergence of ARV-based prevention-and provi (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Police Track Kidnappers to Hide-Out**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Christopher IsiguzoEnugu - The Inspector General of Police (IGP), Ogbonna Onovo yesterday in

the rise in this country. And I see a myriad of statements by the ANC about these attacks on foreign blacks. One ANC official tells this lie and another (By Jan)...

**Zimbabwe: Negotiations Break Deadlock Over Diamond Sales**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: KIMBERLEY Process Certification Scheme (KPCS) negotiators last night broke the deadlock on Marange diamonds after Zimbabwe agreed to a deal that allows it to export diamonds under strict monitoring an (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Police Interrogates Suspects Over Blasts**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Steven Candia and Herbert SsempogoKampala - The Police yesterday interrogated four suspects of the Sunday bomb blasts which killed 74 people and left over 50 injured in Kampala city. A total of six (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Electricity Crisis - What Has Jonathan Got to Say?**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Lagos - At a time when an American company is set to produce, in commercial quantities, cars powered by electricity, a Federal Government-owned radio station in Nigeria, Paramount FM, 94.5, on Sunday, (By News Poster)...

**Zanu PF Stance Threat to EU Re-Engagement (analysis)**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Farai MutsakaZANU PF's hard-line stance and mistrust between President Robert Mugabe and the European Union are likely to emerge as the biggest threats to the coalition government's efforts to re-e (By News Poster)...

**East Africa: National Shocks Jolt EAC Plans for Full Integration**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By James MakauConcerns over foreign exchange swings and political risk have placed investors on edge as members of the infant East African Community (EAC) grapple with in! ternal and external threats to (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Minister Threatens to Crack Whip on Banks**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Bernard MpofuFINANCE minister Tendai Biti has again threatened to act on banks he accuses of discouraging savings through wide discrepancies between lending and interest rates on depositors. Zimbab (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Mugabe Has China 'Appetite'**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Kistepile NyathiHarare - Zimbabwe President Robert Mugabe has said his government will strengthen ties with China and ignore Western countries that have insisted on democratic reforms before restor (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Twelve Now Held O! ver Bomb Blasts**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Solomon Muyita and Gerald BareebeKampala - At least five more suspects linked to last Sunday's bombing in Kampala have been arrested bringing the number of suspects in police custody to 12. The pol (By News Poster)...

**Southern Africa: SADC Concerned About Threat of Xenophobia**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Maputo - The Southern African Development Community (SADC) is concerned that there could be a resurgence in the violent pogroms against foreign residents in South A! frica.This threat was one of the mat (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Armed Police and Kunonga Thugs Block Anglican Pilgrimage**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Tererai KarimakwendaThe town of Marondera was described as chaotic on Friday June 25th when armed police blocked thousands of Anglican parishioners from reaching a shrine near the town for the annu (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Police Rescue Kidnapped British National, Arrest Two Suspects**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Kingsley OmonobiAbuja - The Police in Abuja yesterday made another breakthrough in the fight against kidnapping in the FCT with the rescue of a British Citizen, Mr. Ian Weaver, who was abducted on (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Police Warn of Terror in Arua, Mbale**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Dradenya AmaziaKampala - THE terrorists who carried out the bombs attacks in Kampala on Sunday are now targeting Arua and Mbale towns, the Police have

Enugu disclosed yesterday that the four journalists and a driver kidnapped last weekend in Abia State wi (By News Poster)...

**Biti Under Fire**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Harare - Members of Parliament yesterday grilled Finance Minister Tendai Biti for failing to consult them before coming up with his Mid-Term Fiscal Policy Review Statement while various sectors of the (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: It is Important to Understand What Terrorism Means**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By O. Kalinge-NnyagoThere is something about 11. September 11, 2001, New York. September 11, 2009 riots in Kampala in which, by o! fficial figures, 27 innocent civilians were killed by Uganda's! securit y (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Millennium Development Goals Count-Down - Living With Aids**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Khopotso BodibeIn 2000, the world's leaders committed themselves to the United Nations' Millennium Development Goals to make our planet a healthier place to live in by the year 2015. Two-thirds of (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Investment Bankers in the Doldrums**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Sure KamhungaJohannesburg - CONFIDENCE among investment bankers in the second quarter had plummeted to its lowest level in nearly a decade, Ernst Young said yesterday, hardly a day after the comp (By News Poster)...

**! Somalia: Inside Al Shabaab**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Risdel KasasiraKampala - Al-Shabaab, the Somali militant group that claimed responsibility for the bomb blasts in Kampala on July 11, though born and bred in Somalia, is a many-faced beast that has (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Hague Investigators Probe Violence in Six Hotspots**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Peter Leftie, Pmutibo@ke.nationmedia.comNairobi - Detectives from the! International Criminal Court (ICC) have narrowed down their investigations into Kenya's post election violence to six hotspots. (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: International Peace is the Result of National Sacrifices**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Kampala - As we mourn the victims of the July 11 bombings in Kampala, the only tribute to the victims of the bombings is to demonstrate our nation's will to stand firm for what we hold dear: our liber (By News Poster)...

**Zuma to Try Zimbabwe Talks Again (news)**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Farai MutsakaSOUTH African President Jacob Zuma, mediator in Zimbabwe's power-sharing dispute, is in a hurry to narrow differences ahead of the Southern African Development Community (Sadc) annual (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Campaign Groups Cautiously Welcome Diamond Deal**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Alex BellInternational campaign groups have cautiously welcomed a deal allowing the sale of Zimbabwe's controversial diamonds, warning that "the biggest test lies ahead."The government has been giv (By News Poster)...

**Unravelling Reasons for Violence in Southe! rn Sudan (press release)**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Ma! ny suppo sed solutions to violence in Southern Sudan are in fact doing little to address causes of violence, says a London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) report published this week.T (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Kampala Deports Hundreds of Rwandan Refugees**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Kampala - Uganda has begun "forcibly" deporting hundreds of Rwandans from two southwestern refugee camps, at gunpoint according to one witness, prompting the UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR) to call ! for a su (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Ex-Militant Leaders Demand Release of Journalists**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Emma AmaizePort Harcourt - Former militant leaders in the Niger-Delta, including Chief Government

warned.The attacks left 74 people dead and 57 (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Combating Terrorism Means Understanding Its Roots**
Friday 16! -Jul-2010: By James Magode IkuyaIt did not occur to anyone tha! t the fi nale of the soccer World Cup in S. Africa would be the occasion for bloodletting on a grand scale in Uganda's capital, Kampala.But for the Al (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Trauma of Children Caring for HIV-Positive Parents**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Laure PichegruNine-year-old Nomasonto* had no choice but to switch roles with her mother and care for the HIV-positive woman who gave birth to her. Instead of worrying about homework and going out (By News Poster)...

**History: A Lesson for Whites: The Unbelievable French Foreign Legion - These aren't MEN... they are DEVILS**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: I was watching a documentary about the French Foreign legion, and it told some fascinating stories about them. The French Foreign Legion is the toughest of the tough. It is a very strange concept (By Jan)...

**Nigeria: CBN - Shareholders Now to Recapitalise Rescued Banks**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Emele OnuLagos - The Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) has enhanced the participation of shareholders in the recapitalisation of rescued banks by bestowing on them the power to midwife the process.They (By News Poster)...

**Rwanda: Suspect Arrested in Connection With Murder of Green Party Official**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Edwin MusoniKigali - Police have arrested a man suspected to have played a hand in the murder of Andre Kagwa Rwisereka, the vice president of the unregistered Green Party of Rwanda.The suspect was (By News Poster)...

**West Africa: IFAD and Partners Focused on Sustainable Livelihoods**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Amid a growing food crisis in the Sahel region in West Africa, the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) announced today that a large number of families in the Maradi region of Niger (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Six Things to Do on Mandela Day**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Janine ErasmusJohannesburg - The Nelson Mandela Institute and the Department of Basic Education have called on South Africans to use Mandela Day, 18 July, to make a difference by putting into pract (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: A Third of Children Chronically Malnourished**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Harare - Tinashe, a single mother of three living in Mbare township in Harare, the Zimbabwean capital, regularly misses a meal so as to stretch her US$90 a month income, and occasionally gives her ch! i (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Government Considers New Diamond Act**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Harare - Government is mulling a new Diamond Act that would make participation of the State in all alluvial diamond mining activities compulsory.Presenting the Mid-Term Fiscal Policy review on Wednesd (By News Poster)...

**East Africa: Uganda Forces Asylum Seekers Back to Rwanda**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Rosebell KagumireKampala - The Ugandan government is allowing the forceful repatriation of Rwandan asylum seekers back to Rwanda, a country where many fear persecution. The Minister of Relief and D (By News Poster)...

**Retail! Sales i n May Exceed Forecasts**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Mariam IsaJohannesburg - RETAIL sales accelerated at the fastest pace in more than two years in May, above expectations and boosting hopes of a stronger recovery in consumer spending, the economy's (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: A Step in the Right Direction Good, But What About Autonomy?**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Johannesburg - MUCH has been written about the changes to the justice system imp! lemented in preparation for the 2010 World Cup, which resulted in a marked

Ekpemupolo, alias Tompolo, yesterday, asked the abductors of the Lagos NUJ chairman, Wahab Oba, and (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Zuma Calls for Calm, Unity Around Xenophobic Threats**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Pretoria - President Jacob Zuma has appealed to South Africans as well as foreign nationals to unite and work together to isolate and report to the police any xenophobic threats.The Presidency is conc (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: UN Agency Deplores Forced Returns of Rwandan Refugees**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: The United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) today deplored the forced returns of Rwandans from Uganda, with reports of police brutality being used to deport the asylum-seekers.On Wednesd (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Cocoa Deserves Attention Like Oil, Obada**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Jimoh BabatundeThere was perceived apathy by the Federal Government towards the Cocoa sub sector of the agricultural industry since 2007 as the operations of the National Cocoa Development Committe (By News Poster)...

**Country Arrests! Five More Over Kampala Bombings (news)**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: Ugandan police have arrested five more people in connection with Sunday night's bomb attacks in Kampala that left 74 people dead. The arrests bring the number of those in detention to 12. They include (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: CBN Makes U-Turn On New Guidelines**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Babajide KomolafeAbuja - The Central Bank of Nigeria, CBN, has backpedalled on its directive that banks shou! ld disclose executive compensation and bonuses in their annual! account s.The apex bank, la (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: CEOs to Report to Minister After Deaths**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Allan SeccombeJohannesburg - CEOs of platinum companies will report to Mineral Resources Minister Susan Shabangu once a quarter on efforts to make their mines safer, after a spate of accidents in r (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Reign of Poverty**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Ochereome NnannaGOSPEL preacher, Pastor Chris Oyakhilome, once said something about poverty which opened my eyes wider on the subject. I started seeing the subject in a different light thereafter. (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Railway Transport Will Be Key to Resgen's Success in Waterberg Coal**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Allan SeccombeJohannesburg - A NEW pure coal play on the JSE, Australia's Resource Generation (Resgen), has secured a temporary solution to rail 6-million tons a year of thermal coal to customers o (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Few Participants Attend Outreach Meetings Matebeleland**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Tichaona SibandaConcern has been raised b! y the Constitution Parliamentary Committee (COPAC) over the low turnout of participants at outreach meetings in the two Matebeleland provinces.Out of 1000 m (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: ZESA Digs in On Defaulters**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: By Lloyd GumboHarare - ZESA Holdings is going ahead to switch off power supplies as directed by former Energy and Power Development Minister Elias Mudzuri on the eve of the 2010 Fifa World Cup.In a st (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Senior UN Official Urges Continent to Focus on Agriculture, Jobs and Social Services**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: A combination of investment in agriculture, basic social services and job creation is the key to ensuring that Africa can meet the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) - including slashing poverty, red (By News Poster)...

**S.Africa: Even blacks see the conspiracy of the "faceless" ones who are engaging in Xenophobia...**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: There was a brilliant letter in THE STAR yesterday by a black man. He referred to South Africa as a burning, dying country. He mentioned that it is terrible what

improvement in efficiency - and no little rel (By News Poster)...

**Science: A Medical specialist tells me: Exercise prevents: Cancer, AIDS, warts, ulcers, dandruff, etc...**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: I had a medical problem the past few months which I'd had on odd occasions before but this time my GP could not solve the problem. After 3 months it was as bad as before. So he sent me to a specialist (By Jan)...

blacks are doing to foreign blac (By Jan)...

**USA: Stock Markets: My Technical Indicator... might have to sell Gold short term... Markets fall HARD today...**
Friday 16-Jul-2010: I am catching up on the markets... Gold is so borderline when compared to My Technical Indicator. At this time, Gold has dropped through it for the 2nd time. The P&F charts show Gold as exceptiona (By Jan)...

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