
Attack on foreign workers' compound (Text of Johannesburg radio report) Our Africa desk reports that about half the technical work-force building a dam in southern Mozambique have packed up and left after a terrorist attack on the workers' compound at the weekend. About 30 Italian technicians and their families are now in Maputo after their living quarters were shelled for most of Saturday [13th October] night. There are still about 40 Portuguese nationals working on the project at the small Lebombo dam, which is about 80km from the capital. They are being protected by Frelimo troops. The report says it is not certain if the Italian nationals will return to the project or leave Mozambique in the wake of the attack, which was thought by observers to be the work of the Mozambique resistance movement. (Johannesburg in English for abroad 1500 gmt 16 Oct 84)