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[Text] In operations carried out in Maputo Province in the past 15 days, Mozambique Armed Forces destroyed six armed bandit bases. Speaking to NOTICIAS newspaper, the provincial military commander, Colonel Jorge Hussene, said that the bases were destroyed in Cachane, Malengane, Macandane, Marracuene, and Matongomane. The source added that 24 armed bandits and large quantities of military equipment were captured during the operations. Hundreds of citizens, who had been abducted by the gangsters, were freed.

Meanwhile in Maputo Province, 13 armed bandits have surrendered. They have been reintegrated into society within the context of the amnesty law.