

Mozambique: Government reports 79 MNR "bandits" killed in Zambezia and Gaza provinces (Text) The Mozambican armed forces have killed 35 MNR terrorists in the central Mozambican province of Zambezia. A communique from the provincial armed forces general staff said the incident took place on 4th June when the bandits were attempting to raid the Lioma state farm in Zambezia's northern district of Gurue. Before the armed forces intervened, the attackers set six vehicles belonging to the company on fire. (Maputo in English for abroad 1800 gmt 10 Jun 89)

(Text) Forty-four armed bandits were killed when they tried to attack the Machumane training centre in Gaza province's Manjacaze district on 9th June. This was reported by Colonel Ernesto Gulile, FPLM commander in Gaza province, during the recent Frelimo party provincial conference. (Maputo home service in Portuguese 1030 gmt 11 Jun 89)