

# Hove discourages contacts with MNR

SOME people living in areas along Zimbabwe's border with Mozambique trade illegally with MNR bandits and this frustrates the efforts of the Zimbabwe Defence Forces to clear these areas of banditry, Parliament heard yesterday.

Replying to points raised by Members of Parliament during the Presidential debate, the Minister of Defence, Cde

Richard Hove, said the defence forces would spare no effort to "clear every inch of our border with Mozambique of MNR bandits".

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"Unfortunately their efforts are not matched by the vigilance of our people. Some of our people trade illegally with these bandits, and MPs must discourage them from this."

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