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**Mozambican-South African security commission discusses terrorism and sabotage** The joint security commission met in Maputo on 15th November, with the delegations headed by Mozambican army commander Lt-Gen Tobias Dia and South African army chief Lt-Gen Kat Liebenberg, Maputo radio reported. It said this was the first meeting of the joint security commission since the Songo summit between Presidents Chissano and Botha. In a later report on the same day the radio said that in the joint communique issued at the end of the meeting, the commission noted "with profound concern the continuing acts of terrorism in Mozambique and undertook to make efforts to eliminate such acts".

Johannesburg radio on the 16th said the commission had decided to crack down on sabotage incidents along Mozambique's border with South Africa. Speaking at a news

conference on his return to Pretoria, carried by Johannesburg television on the 15th, General Liebenberg categorically denied allegations of continued South African support for the MNR movement in Mozambique. Liebenberg said that it was clear at the meeting that the majority of Mozambicans believed the MNR was still receiving South African support and he was determined to eliminate these misunderstandings.

Maputo radio on 15th November said the power line connecting the South African electricity network to the Maputo network had been sabotaged 18 km from Ressano Garcia, and that power was being supplied to Maputo from alternative sources.