

Support for Mozambique

Support for Mozambique and condemnation of the Rhodesian raid was expressed by many African countries including the **Somali Republic, Nigeria and Uganda** where President Amin called upon "free Africa to join the frontline states and freedom fighters to confront and uproot the racist and minority régimes of Smith and Vorster".

The Communist press also supported Mozambique. "Rhodesia's aggressive actions are also an attempt to take revenge for the defeat of colonialists in Angola, to raise the morale of the racialists that are trying to keep hold on the south of Africa", commented *Pravda* (USSR); while the *People's Daily* said that the "Chinese people resolutely stand on the side of the African people and support the just struggle of the Zimbabwe and Mozambican people".
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