

MNR claims 50 civilians killed in Zimbabwean napalm attack An MNR statement, reported by Johannesburg radio on 31st December, said at least 50 civilians, including 25 women and children, were killed on the 23rd in a napalm attack by Zimbabwean aircraft on and around MNR bases in the central Mozambican province of Sofala. The statement also said the MNR had killed nine Zimbabwean soldiers and wounded 23 others in a recent series of cross-border raids, including an attack on a military post near the town of Marondera.

Lisbon radio on the 30th reported an MNR statement as rejecting the amnesty law passed recently by the Mozambican People's Assembly and denying that MNR members were surrendering to the Mozambican authorities.