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1969-70: Rhodesian intelligence chief Ken Flower sets up network of Mozambicans to spy on Frelimo guerrillas.

25 June 1975: Frelimo assumes power from Portuguese.

18 April 1980: Rhodesia becomes Zimbabwe. Renamo transferred to South African control.

January 1981: SA troops attack Maputo killing 13 SA exiles.

May 1983: SA forces attack Maputo suburb, killing six people.

16 March 1984: Mozambique and SA sign Nkomati accord.

3 October 1984: Ceasefire between Mozambique and Renamo. "Pretoria Declaration" never implemented.

July 1985: Zimbabwean troops enter central provinces of Mozambique and overrun Renamo HQ at Casa Banana.

October 1986: President Machel killed in plane crash. Succeeded by Joaquim Chissano.

18 July 1987: Renamo massacres 400 civilians at Homoine.

December 1987: Chissano offers amnesty to Renamo fighters.

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