

Zimbabwe anti-government radio on Mugabe's "war against Renamo" A Radio Truth commentary on 12th March said that Zimbabwean President Mugabe's "declaration of war against Renamo" was "bound to provoke retaliation and bring the Mozambican civil war onto Zimbabwean soil". Innocent Zimbabwean citizens were suffering as a result of this "intervention in our neighbour's affairs" as armed insurgents from Mozambique entered the country. Deploring the violence inflicted "by all sides" in the Mozambican civil war, the commentary said Harare's reliance on armed force was simply prolonging the war; Defence Minister Enos Nkala had recently announced the extension of such "madness" by saying Zimbabwe's operations would continue until the MNR was eliminated. "Just as Angola is becoming the Soviet Union and Cuba's Vietnam, so Mozambique is a death for ZANU-PF," the radio said.

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