

MNR Claims Raid on Cahora Bassa Pylons

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[Text] Mozambican guerrillas say they have destroyed two power pylons linked to the Cahora Bassa hydroelectric dam. This comes 2 days after Mozambique, Portugal, and South Africa met in Lisbon where they agreed on a 150 million rand project to reconstruct the hydroelectric scheme in southern Mozambique. The three countries also agreed that Mozambique would set up a security force supplied with non-lethal logistical aid by South Africa.

In a statement released in Lisbon, the MNR says the pylons they destroyed are in (?Manica) and Gaza Provinces. There has been no independent confirmation of the claims.

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