

FPLM Forces Report Manica, Zambezia Clashes
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[Text] A joint Mozambican-Zimbabwean force took an armed bandit camp some 10 km south of Ruvue, in Manica Province, on 30 July. The force freed 236 people living under the yoke of the armed bandits.

Our forces killed 12 armed bandits and captured another 3 in Manica Province on 4 August. Our forces also captured 19 weapons and freed 134 defenseless civilians from bandit captivity. *10/8/88* *D 3*

The FPLM forces destroyed yet another enemy hideout on 3 August near Gorongosa, where our forces killed one criminal and captured an informer.

A military unit stationed in northeast Zambezia Province killed 12 armed bandits and captured an assortment of military equipment.