2 Injured in Hand Grenade Explosion in Maputo MB0810184588 Maputo Domestic Service in Portuguese 1755 GMT 8 Oct 88

[Text] A police source told AIM today that a hand grenade exploded in Maputo city this afternoon slightly injuring two people. The source added that the explosion took place between 1430 and 1500 near the Princesa Pastry Shop along 24 July Avenue in Maputo.

The police source also pointed out that the explosive was placed inside a trash can in an area where children were playing. The injured people were two adults who were passing by at the time of the explosion.

Meanwhile, the police authorities in Maputo immediately launched investigations to obtain further details.