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SPECIAL BRANCH

11th day of October 1984

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Special Report

SUBJECT

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Anti-Apartheid Movement

Reference to Papers

400/84/110

- Between 1.00 pm and 1.40 pm on Thursday 11th October 1984 approximately twelve people held a peaceful demonstration outside the Foreign Office, Whitehall, SW1. The demonstration was organised by the Anti-Apartheid Movement (AAM) to draw attention to the plight of the three leaders of the United Democratic Front (UDF) in the British Consulate in Durban, South Africa, and the arrest of three of their colleagues by the South African Police last Saturday.
- The demonstration was used as a publicity stunt by the Labour MP Donald ANDERSON, who is shortly to embark on a fact finding tour of South Africa. Assisted by Bob HUGHES, MP, he held a short press conference in front of the demonstration.
- The demonstration passed off without incident. Uniform Police maintained a discreet presence throughout. It was organised by Kate CLARKE, and also attracted supporters from the City of London Anti-Apartheid Group (CLAAG). The customary Anti-Apartheid banners were displayed. Attached to this report are the handouts distributed by demonstrators.
- Special Branch references:-
  - Kate CLARKE - RF 405/77/131
  - Donald ANDERSON - MP
  - Bob HUGHES - MP
  - AAM - 400/84/100
  - CLAAG - 400/84/112
  - UDF - Mentions

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