



ANTI-APARTHEID FRINGE MEETING

# SOUTHERN AFRICA AT WAR!

*Chair*

**ROBERT HUGHES MP (Chair AAM)**

*Speakers*

**JACOB HANNAI**

**(South West African Peoples Organisation)**

**ESSOP PAHAD**

**(African National Congress)**

**LORD GIFFORD QC**

**(Mozambique Angola Committee)**

**GLENYS KINNOCK**

**recently returned from Harare**

***Date:* TUES, 29th SEPTEMBER**

***Time:* 12.30 pm**

***Venue:* COPPERFIELD ROOM, BEDFORD  
HOTEL, KINGS ROAD, BRIGHTON**

## SANCTIONS NOW!

**PERFORMING TONIGHT — ONE SHOW ONLY!**

**“THE LONG MARCH”**

The story of 950 black workers sacked by British multi-national  
BTR, told in song, mime and dance, as performed by the  
SARMCOL WORKERS COOPERATIVE

***Venue:* CO OP HALL, LONDON ROAD**

***Doors open:* 7.30pm, PERFORMANCE STARTS 9.00pm**

***Tickets:* £2 — £1 concessions**

# ALL OUT ON OCTOBER 24th

## **No government has done more to protect the Botha regime from sanctions than Mrs Thatcher's.**

In the EEC, Britain has repeatedly frustrated efforts to isolate apartheid South Africa by means of sanctions. Earlier this year Thatcher and Howe refused even to condemn the racists! In the Commonwealth, Mrs Thatcher has persistently blocked effective action against Botha. Even when the Eminent Persons Group said sanctions were necessary to avert a blood-bath, she stuck stubbornly to appeasement.

## **Thanks to the support of Britain, the US and West Germany, P.W. Botha has felt free to:**

- renew the State of Emergency and to detain and torture his opponents by the thousands — including children under the age of 12;
- tighten the media bans to keep his crisis off our TV screens;
- ignore the UN plan for Namibia's independence, and push ahead with a phoney Transitional Government;
- intensify the raids on neighbouring states and support for the terrorist activities of UNITA in Angola and the MNR in Mozambique.

## **None of this has made the heroic peoples of South Africa and Namibia give up their struggle for freedom.**

Under the leadership of the ANC and SWAPO, they have not only survived every new wave of oppression, but come back stronger and more resolute, especially on the trade union front.

But Thatcher's role in appeasing apartheid has cost them dearly. In Southern Africa as a whole, some 3/4m. people have lost their lives since 1980 in the struggle to resist and overthrow apartheid. Thatcher and her allies in the City of London may be indifferent to this unfolding tragedy, but the British people are not. Both at home and abroad, Mrs Thatcher is isolated on the issue of sanctions.

## **Thatcher can and must be forced to change direction.**

That's why the Anti-Apartheid Movement is calling for massive support for the SANCTIONS NOW March and Rally on Saturday 24 October.

### **All out on 24th October! All out for Sanctions Now!**

- Please send me more copies of this leaflet: \_\_\_\_\_ (no.)
- I would like to join the Anti-Apartheid Movement (£10 p.a. for individuals, £13 for 2 people at same address, or £6.50 for students, £4.50 for pensioners, unwaged and school students)
- Enclosed is my cheque/PO for £ \_\_\_\_\_ (please make cheques payable to A.A.M.)
- I enclose a donation of £ \_\_\_\_\_ to help towards the cost of the demonstration.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

