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Request for hearing

Letter dated 18 October 1990 from the Director, South Africa Programs,
Interfaith Center on Corporate Responsibility, addressed to the
Chairman of the Special Political Committee*

New York

The Interfaith Center on Corporate Responsibility would very much like to be permitted to be heard by the Special Political Committee of the General Assembly on the question of apartheid. Our South Africa Program continues to co-ordinate the efforts of religious groups promoting corporate responsibility by working to end apartheid by depriving the system of its international corporate and financial support. We have devoted particular attention to the role of multinationals in South Africa, the impact of economic pressures there, and strategies for change including severing financial ties, the oil embargo, corporate campaigns to end equity and non-equity ties to South Africa, and selective purchasing/sanctions legislation.

We would be most honoured to be heard by the Committee, and look forward to your response.

(<u>Signed</u>) Donna KATZIN Director, South Africa Programs

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