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As someone who has been very active in promoting the realization of freedom and liberation in Southern Africa you are someone we especially want to have join us in the Boston Chapter of TransAfrica at a very special (by invitation only) breakfast program we are hosting in order to aid the movement here to understand current developments of great import to the future of this struggle. The breakfast will be held from 7:30 to 10 am, April 19, at the Tufts University Club at 100 Federal St., downtown Boston.

We will be privileged to interact with Mr. Moeletsi Mbeki, someone very close to the top leadership of the African National Congress of South Africa. Mr. Mbeki is a top journalist in Harare, Zimbabwe, with The Herald, the principal daily newspaper there. Currently, he is a Nieman Fellow at Harvard. His father, Govan Mbeki, was and remains imprisoned with Nelson Mandela, as one of the principal leaders of the A.N.C.. His brother, Thabo Mbeki, is a chief political spokesperson for the organization.

Mr. Mbeki is well placed to share with us his sense of the current developments in the organization, and in the struggle for freedom within South Africa itself, along with some assessments of developments pertaining to Namibia. In the days following the breakfast, we will have an opportunity to learn of the situation in Mozambique from Mr. Marcelino Dos Santos, the President of the People's Assembly there, who will participate in several events sponsored by the Mozambique Support Network. These events should renew our energies and resolve and give us appropriate direction.

Please let us know by April 9th whether or not you can come to the breakfast, by leaving a message on TransAfrica's recording machine at 617-436-1306.

Ours in the struggle

Pearl T. Robinson  
President