



EFF STATEMENT ON THE 43rd COMMEMORATIVE ANNIVERSARY OF CASSINGA MASSACRE

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The EFF joins the people of sister country Namibia, the rest of Africa and the world to commemorate the 43rd anniversary of the brutal killing and genocide by white settler troops of Botha and Malan against innocent people of the then occupied Namibia.

Those generals and paratroopers who hovered the sky of the refugee camp of South West African Peoples Organisation unashamedly massacred more than 600 souls and injured more than a thousand more. To date, the culprits of genocidal former defence force of the white settler regime together with their accomplices, UNITA and Koevoet. The Truth and Reconciliation Commission has not provided justice to the people of Namibia.

We call on the South African government to investigate and identify the mercenaries that were involved in this heinous crime and be brought to book and those families be compensated as a form of atonement.

We call on Africa and the world to recognize this genocide like all other genocides of the rest of the world and similarly, pursue with same vigour the prosecution of those involved.

May the souls of the victims of the Cassinga Massacre rest in peace and power.

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