

Similar to their letter drafted, & sent to Comms Dept.
Delivered to EK. Moorcroft (MP Albany) 31 July 84

Glenmore Residents

Committee

P/B. x 1964

Grahamstown. 6140

Dear Mr Moorcroft.

We the Residents of Glenmore have heard that the Government is planning to move us to Peeldie. We had a general meeting on Tuesday 14th July 1984 to discuss this matter.

We all feel very strongly that we do not want to go to Peeldie.

We do not know how we are going to live in Peeldie, because already we are suffering at Glenmore.

And there are no jobs at Peeldie because we have relatives originally from Kammiskraal who live at Peeldie

We are asking you Mr Moorcroft to urge the Government to allow us go back home R.S.A.

Some of us have already got jobs in Port Elizabeth, Grahamstown and Alexandria as well.

The problem is this we are spending money on transport, going from work to our families at Glenmore. And when can we live a good family life, unless we have our families with us?

If we are forced again to Peeldie, as we were forced into Glenmore in 1979, we would rather die, than to go to Peeldie. Because when we were removed in 1979 to Glenmore, our possessions were broken and lost. We were promised that we would have everything replaced

And we never get one cent in compensation. All ~~at~~ our Cattle died even some people died of hunger. We were promised school up to matric. But even now five years later, our primary school is the only school and it is far too small. We have almost 500 primary level children who can not get into that school.

With this letter we append a list of Glenmore Residents, who are opposer to going to Peddie, and who want to go back home R.S.A.

We appreciate your support and appeal to you to do everything you can for us.

Yours faithfully
Members of the Glenmore Residents Committee.

W.M. Gqamane (Secretary)
~~B. Magoorag~~ (Vice Chairman)
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A list of 514 household representatives was attached (plus one who had ticked in favour of Peddie)