

**Visit after bomb blast led to detention  
Grosskopf's friend held in  
Swoop**

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An old schoolfriend of Mr Hein Grosskopf (24), Cape Town University student and pacifist Mr Jurie Hans Moolman (22), has been detained by police for questioning in connection with the alleged ANC bomber's movements after Johannesburg's Drill Hall blast last year.

Brigadier Leon Mellet, press secretary to the Minister of Law and Order, yesterday confirmed Mr Moolman had been detained in Cape Town in terms of Section 29 of the Internal Security Act. He was arrested after a late-night swoop on Monday on a commune in Observatory, Cape Town.

The arrest is apparently linked to a visit Mr Grosskopf paid to Mr Moolman's family home in Johannesburg after the first blast.

Mr Moolman, a first-year BSc student, attended the prestige Afrikaans Linden Hogerskool and University of the Witwatersrand with Mr Grosskopf. Mr Moolman studied medicine at Wits for a year before switching to a course in photography. He then left Johannesburg to do a BSc in Cape Town.

Police are searching for Mr Grosskopf in connection with three car-bomb blasts, which killed seven people and injured 102 others in the Witwatersrand in the past year.

Mr Hein Grosskopf ... visited his friend, Mr Jurie Moolman, at his home in Johannesburg.

They include last week's killer blast in Krugersdorp, the car-bomb outside the Witwatersrand Command military headquarters and an explosion which killed four policemen outside the Johannesburg Magistrate's Court.

Mr Moolman's mother, United States-South Africa Leader Exchange Programme (Ussalep) director Mrs Hazel Moolman, told The Star she had been told officially her son was detained and that she was "absolutely devastated". Her son's

girlfriend had telephoned late on Monday night with news of the arrest. "I have absolutely no idea why they detained Jurie. He is a pacifist, very anti-violence and has firm political convictions. He would never condone violence as a means to solve the country's political problems," said Mrs Moolman.

"To link Hein's visit to our house to the Drill Hall blast in Quartz Street is preposterous," Mrs Moolman said.

She said she was now trying to gain access to her son, who had never had a high political profile.

Mrs Moolman, who used to be Mr Grosskopf's swimming coach, confirmed she was present when Mr Grosskopf visited her home last year.

"Yes, I was there. It was a very short visit but Hein did not appear to be haggard or on the run. There was nothing underhand or strange about it," she said.

Mrs Moolman said she and her son had a "very clear" understanding with Mr Grosskopf not to talk about why he left the country and joined the ANC.

She said she was unhappy about media coverage on Mr Grosskopf which accused him of being the bomber without even saying the claims were still allegations at this stage.

"He has not even appeared in court yet and they have already found him guilty," said Mrs Moolman.

O Sapa reports that Mr Moolman's sister Inge said her brother had told her after the Krugersdorp blast that he would be tempted to call the police if Mr Grosskopf tried to make contact. She said he had said he didn't believe killing innocent people would solve the country's problems.