

The United Front
on South Africa
Princeton University
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Robert F. Goheen,
President
Faculty
Trustees
Princeton University

Gentlemen:

The United Front on South Africa has carefully examined the statement presented by President Goheen to the university community on March 4, 1969. While we do not wish to minimize the significance of some of the proposals offered in response to our demands on the issue of divestiture, we must strongly emphasize our dissatisfaction with the manifestly insufficient progress made on our four substantive demands. Consequently, the United Front will remain firmly committed to the pursuit of their implementation.

We believe that Princeton University cannot continue to defend or minimize the implications of its complicity in apartheid economics without ultimately paying the price of forfeiting its own legitimacy and continued viable existence. However, until Princeton University forthrightly and publicly demonstrates its willingness to act from moral principle the United Front must and will remain apart from any "negotiations" on this issue. We cannot, therefore, nominate any persons to participate on the newly created South Africa Committee.

The United Front will now proceed to explore other activities commensurate with Princeton University's apparent commitment to racism.

Sincerely,

William Scott
Carl Spight