"This is no time to engage in the luxury of cooling off or take the tranquilizing drug of gradualism."

Just this past Thursday, on March 27, 1986, at least 30, perhaps 40 black South Africans were killed in what was one of the largest single-day displays of government violence toward its black population in years.

Given this situation, why has Columbia seen fit to stall on its divestment?

- Last year hundreds of people blockaded Hamilton Hall to protest Columbia's $32 million invested in corporations doing business in South Africa.
- A year has passed and thousands of black South Africans have been killed. Yet, the university still has $28 million invested.
- The United Nations divested over one billion dollars in less than four months. What's taking Columbia so long?
- The current urgent situation in South Africa demands an urgent response. Columbia University must stop stalling on its divestment and rid itself of any connection with supporting apartheid... immediately.

How many more deaths before we fully divest?