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CDP shocked at attack on Portuguese media contingent
“We are shocked and dismayed at the news of the robbery of a Portuguese media team in a four star guest house near Fourways,” says Christian Democratic Party (CDP) leader, Theunis Botha. Botha is also the acting chair of the Christian Democratic Alliance (CDA).

"Even before the opening ceremony of the World Cup, tourists are being welcomed to South Africa, the land of opportunity, for the criminal. With the Central Drug Authority expecting 40 000 additional prostitutes, mostly from Zimbabwe, in the Johannesburg area alone (background report hereunder) one may well state that the country, once a land of milk and honey, has now become the land of crime and prostitution.”

"Three journalists from Portugal, staying at a lodge in Magaliesberg were robbed of their cameras, laptops, passports etc. with one being held up at gun-point and the other two sleeping through the ordeal. The CDP wants to take this opportunity to offer an apology, on behalf of the sane inhabitants of the country to the victims for their loss of property and to appeal to owners who are lodging guests from overseas to warn them beforehand of the perils that might await them. Maybe the police will now put their money where there mouth is by making a quick arrest and recovering the stolen goods."

“Considering the adverse publicity South Africa is currently subjected to in the press abroad, mostly related to prostitutes, Zuma’s sex life and Malema’s antics, news like this is something the country can well do without. We trust that government will realise that crime, and not the Afrikaner or Christians or whomever is targeted for some form of discrimination, are the real enemies of the country.”

CDP geskok oor aanval op Portugese mediakontingent
“Ons is geskok en met afgryse vervul met die nuus dat ‘n Portugese mediaspan in hul vier ster gastehuis naby Fourways beroof is,” sê ds. Theunis Botha, leier van die Christen-Demokratiese Party (CDP) en waarnemende voorsitter van die Christen-Demokratiese Alliansie (CDA).

“Nog voor die Fifa-toernooi se amptelike opening, word toeriste aan die land verwelkom asof dit die land van geleenthede – vir die misdadigers - is. Die Sentrale Dwelmagenskap verwag 40 000 prostitute net in die Johannesburg-omgewing alleen, meestal uit Zimbabwe. (Agtergrondberig hieronder). Dit noop ‘n mens om te sê die land wat eens die land van melk en heuning was, is nou die land van misdaad en prostitusie.”

“Drie joernaliste van Portugal wat in ‘n gastehuis by Magalliesburg ‘tuis’ was is van hul kameras, skootrekenaars, paspoorte ens beroof. Die een moes in die loop van ‘n vuurwapen vaskyk, terwyl die ander twee tydens die voorval geslaap het. Die CDP maak van die geleentheid gebruik om namens die Suid-Afrikaners wat by hul volle positiewe is, die slagoffers om verskoning te vra en besoekers vooraf te waarsku wat moontlik op hulle wag. Moontlik sal die polisie nou ‘n slag daad by die woord voeg en die misdadigers aankeer en die gesteelde goedere terugvind.”

“As die negatiewe publisiteit waaronder Suid-Afrika nou oorsee deurloop as maatstaf geneem word, en wat meestal verband hou met prostitute, Zuma se sekslewe en Malema se manewales, is hierdie nuus dit waarsonder die land goed kan klaarkom. Ons vertrou dat die regering nou sal besef dat misdaad, en nie die Afrikaner of Christene of enige groep wat vir diskriminerende praktyke uitgesonder word nie, die land se werklike vyande is.”