

similar activities, Mr. Heap called "on the Government of Canada to honour the UN boycott of South Africa and the decree of the Council for Namibia, and halt this greedy and illegal practice by Canadian companies." As the debate over Canadian policy toward South Africa intensified in the summer of 1986, New Democrat Howard McCurdy suggested that:

There is one area in which Canada has failed to get plaudits. That concerns the complicity of this country with respect to the American alliance with South Africa vis-à-vis Namibia....

Mr. McCurdy asked:

why has the Government not resigned from the Contact Group as a clear signal that we will not be a handmaiden of American complicity in South African oppression?⁹

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