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2 Buchan Rd., Newlands, 7700.

30th June, 1981.



Mr. P. Brown.

Dear Peter,

I have a moment to spare, so thought I'd send you these copies of photos of Maggie, George and the Nododiles. I'm sorry to say I haven't had word of him recently. I sent some money which came from Adrienne Whisson (Panel) some weeks ago (transferred it through the Bank), but didn't hear from the Nododiles in response to my note informing them.

I had a letter published in the Cape Times to-day deploring the death of Barend van Niekerk. (They cut out a bit - where I quoted his actual words calling on lawyers and judges to speak about the terrors of the Terrorism Act.). I didn't realise he was only 41 yrs. Was his death natural?

Isn't it awful the way "they" are going on using this terrible banning and detention weapon? I don't want to believe that with the Christian basis of the SA Constitution and our great Roman-Dutch/English common law tradition, a legal argument cannot be made out that these actions are unconstitutional. I see they are about to repeal the High Court of Parliament Act - would that make a legal difference to what points one could raise about the validity of the law? I know you are not a legal brain, but maybe you have friends... Mine are all terrified of me!

David is all right. Dorothea is soon to have their child. It ought to be a beauty. Perhaps another fortnight now. It was good to read of the lifting of the bans on Peter R. and Cedric Mayson.

Must go. Best wishes,

Yours,

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P.S. In the photo of the 3 you can see where b N's trousers are open to permit the tube from the catheter to pass. J.