

# Kruger frees

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### Pretoria Bureau

Six of the 32 detainees released yesterday have been restricted, including Mrs Winnie Mandela, wife of Robben Island prisoner, Nelson Mandela, and East London journalist, Miss Tenjiwe Ntstintso.

Stringent house arrest and banning orders have been placed on Mrs Mandela, Mr Rashid Meer, son of banned Durban sociologist, Mrs Fatima Meer and Mr Mohammed Timol, a member of the Johannesburg-based Human Rights Committee.

They are restricted to their magisterial districts and are not allowed to leave their homes at night or at weekends.

Mrs Mandela is also not allowed to leave the precinct of her home in the Orlando area of Soweto.

### WORKER

An Institute of Race Relations worker from Durban, Mr Govan Reddy, and a member of the Umlazi Residents Association, Mr George Sithole, have also been banned.

East London Daily Dispatch reporter, Miss Tenjiwe Ntintso, who was released from Terrorism Act detention in late November, allowed to go home, and then re-detained under the Internal Security Act, has been restricted to Orlando East in Soweto.

In a statement released in Pretoria today in reaction to the release of Mr Peter Magubane, a photographer on the Rand Daily Mail, the president of the South African Society of Journalists, Mr John Hobday, said:

"The fact that none of the journalists released this month, now faces charges, confirms suggestions that their detention was intended to limit their professional activity.

### JOURNALISTS

"The society is greatly relieved that today there are no journalists being held in terms of the Internal Security Act.

"This is because the freedom of the Press is in no way different from the right of any individual to have access to matters of public interest and, any curtailment of Press freedom is a curtailment, too, of every individual's freedom," he added.