

State Senate hearings  
start TUESDAY the 25<sup>th</sup> -  
PLEASE CALL IMMEDIATELY!

# YOU CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE RIGHT NOW: HELP WASHINGTON STATE BREAK ITS TIES WITH APARTHEID

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Dear friends of a free South Africa:

At this very moment, there is a lot of action in the state legislature in Olympia. It looks as though a bill requiring divestment of Washington State monies from companies doing business in South Africa MAY REALLY PASS, AND SOON! Washington State could be "apartheid free" within a matter of days.

You can help make this happen. Please read on:

Senate Bill #3226 and House Bill #1992 are both moving quickly through the various committees which will eventually take them to the full legislature. The House Bill is stronger, affecting 2 billion dollars of state money; the Senate Bill only affects about 11 million dollars, but it, too, is a step in the right direction.

Please call the legislative hotline in Olympia and tell your state senator and representatives that you want them to work for the strongest possible divestment bill.

HOTLINE 1-800-562-6000

This is a free call. It is even cheaper than writing letters (but write if you wish).

If you don't know who your representatives are, the hotline staff can tell you. Please don't wait; make your call now and be part of the victory when Washington State joins other states in doing something significant to help end apartheid.

Thank you for helping at this crucial time. If you want more information about divestment and the anti-apartheid movement, call Marilyn Chase or Randy Carter at AFSC, 206-632-0500 (in Seattle).