KANTOOR VAN DIE

OKUREUR-GENERAAL

## OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL



## DEPARTEMENT VAN JUSTISIE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE REPUBLIEK VAN SUID-AFRIKA . REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

增量 'Prokgan'

333-9350 x 266 Mrs AgrellaVerwysing/Reference

1/4/9/1 (9/90)

The Director-General: Justice Private Bag X81 PRETORIA 0001

Privagtsak/Private Bag JOHANNESBURG 2000

**X8** 

31 December 1992

EXTRADITION: R O HILL Your 9/11/3 Hill R O (RIL) dated 29/12/92 refers

- 1 I have received your facsimile containing an additional facsimile received from the Head Consular at the South African Embassy in Washington.
- It would seem that the information contained in Consular's facsimile contradicts materially averments made by the attorney of Mr Hill. It appears that the warrant was issued in New York where sister of Mr Hill resides and has not been set aside, which has the effect that no claim for damages could have been lodged or granted.

However, a cautious approach would be expedient at present and the suggested program would be to establish whether the Federal Court of the United States possibly did set aside the warrant of arrest for Mr Hill on the 21st August, 1992. If this is the correct position then it would be important that the warrant of arrest for Mr Hill be re-instated and to this end an application should be brought as a matter of extreme urgency. If possible, copies of all the documents lodged and any order made with regard to application must be obtained and forwarded in order that the position may be examined in more detail.

Your earliest advices are awaited.

K M APRIMELL ACTIVA AMECON