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## EDITORIAL NOTES

As we approach our eighth year in publication, we intend to generate a continuing debate on *imperialism* as it relates to *Africa*. We are seeking publishable material in the related subject matter; and it should be clear, to the point, bold and progressive. As a journal we intend to remain *independent* and *non-sectarian*. We shall continue to be a forum for innovative and radical perspectives in African studies. We are opposed to *apartheid* and *imperialism* in Africa on principle. Consequently, we discourage *reactionary* discussion about it.

We hope to continue to bring you well researched and documented articles focusing on past and present Africa. Such articles with a "lot of meat" made *Ufahamu* famous: its subject matter can be anything related to Africa and its peoples.

The forthcoming issues will continue to be organised around certain themes. For this particular issue we chose to link Africa with the *Third World* struggles. We chose to reflect on the past and present struggles of the developing countries. In this issue we also bring you some announcements and information in the form of excerpts from other journals, magazines, and newspapers. The section on *reviews* of books, journal articles, other publishable materials, and even *films* will be resumed in the next issue in strength.

Volume VIII Number 3 will re-examine more critically the problem of Southern Africa and *Imperialism*. The issue will be dedicated to *Steve Biko* and the *political prisoners* who have died or are still in the jails of South Africa.

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*The African Activists Association and the Editorial Board of Ufahamu wish to extend their deep gratitude to I.N.C. Aniebo for successfully carrying out his responsibility of editing the journal for the past year and a half.*

*Out of genuine appreciation rather than custom we all say a big: THANK YOU !*