

Class: Geography 101

Term: Fall 1991

Instructor: Lane Transit District

- 1) Define the following:
 - A) Tundra
 - B) Tropics
 - C) Topographical Mapping
 - D) Travelogue
 - E) Turkestan
- 2) If it is 3:15 p.m. in Pensacola, what time is it in Sanaa?
- 3) Where would you find these three regions
Dordogne, Lot, Tarn?
- 4) Compare and contrast the Gobi,
the Kalahari,
and the Mojave.
- 5) You are in Eugene, Oregon.
You can ride an LTD bus anywhere.
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How does this compare with the other
great transit systems of the World?

BONUS

- 6) Take the bus
from Amazon Park to Armitage Park.
Describe the terrain in 500 words or less.

Bush approves more exports to South Africa



WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush on Thursday opened the way for increased exports to South Africa as well as International Monetary Fund assistance to the country, the State Department announced.

Bush declared that South Africa had made "significant progress toward the elimination of apartheid," a declaration required before U.S. Export-Import Bank assistance can be given to U.S. exporters to South Africa.

"A healthy economic situation in South Africa is of critical importance as a new non-racial constitution is being negotiated," said State Department spokeswoman Margaret Tutwiler.

She said the United States "wants to be as helpful as possible" and is prepared to consider a proposal for an IMF loan for South Africa.

The United States lifted five years of economic sanctions against South Africa in July. But many U.S. exporters have been reluctant to do business with South Africa without Ex-Im Bank insurance or credits.

Earlier Thursday, Tutwiler declined to give any U.S. reaction to the dramatic announcement by South African President F. W. de Klerk of a whites-only referendum on ending apartheid. The vote is seen as a test of white support for de Klerk's moves toward a multi-racial democracy.

"The specifics of the transition to a new constitution are for the people of South Africa to decide among themselves," Tutwiler said, adding that the calling of a referendum is "an internal matter."

She made no mention of de Klerk's action in announcing Bush's decision to allow the Ex-Im Bank to insure and provide credits for exports to South Africa.

The U.S. government will encourage exports to non-government South African importers who practice fair labor standards, Tutwiler said. The law requires certification from the U.S. secretary of state that a company meets the standards. Companies owned by a majority of non-whites are exempt from the requirement.

Tutwiler noted that both Bush and Secretary of State James A. Baker III have talked in recent weeks with de Klerk and with African National Congress President Nelson Mandela, who she said both "indicated their concern with South Africa's economic future."

Assisting U.S. exports to South Africa would help create jobs in the United States, she said, and fulfill agreements reached at the July economic summit in Bangkok, Thailand, to assist South Africa "in those areas where the majority have long suffered deprivation: education, health, housing and social welfare."

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