



Comment by Sandline International

16 April 2004: Closure of Sandline's operations

Sandline International wishes to announce that the company is closing down its operations forthwith.

The general lack of governmental support for Private Military Companies willing to help end armed conflicts in places like Africa, in the absence of effective international intervention, is the principal reason behind Sandline's decision. Without such support the ability of Sandline (and other PMCs) to make a positive difference in countries where there is widespread brutality and even genocidal behaviour is irretrievably diminished.

No further updates will be made to our website although it will continue to be accessible for the next couple of months for those interested in reading existing articles and reports. The "contact us" section of the website has been removed, however, for any specific inquiries pertaining to this statement please write to info@sandline.com.