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UCT current affairs commentary list

(Xenophobia, land redistribution, climate change and water shortage)

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