GLOSSARY OF TERMS

**Aldeamentos:** Villages for black people built by the Portuguese authorities to isolate the guerrillas.

**Bila:** Floodplain environment.

**Circunscrição:** Administrative division of rank immediately below district in the colonial period.

**Concelho:** The same as Circunscrição.

**Dunyi:** Swampy area.

**Lhavathi:** Sandy Alluvium.

**Lidonga:** Riverbank.

**Lobolo:** Bride price.

**Machambeiro:** A colonial black, middle-scale farmer.

**Livala:** Marshy land used as pasture.

**Mestço:** A person of mixed race.

**Machongo:** Hydromorphic soil.

**Marhangavene:** Agricultural fields located in steep slopes usually under groundnut cultivation.

**Muganga:** Network or cluster of households belonging to the same site.

**Mussava:** Land, sands.

**Ordenamento:** Zoning of an area for development purposes.

**Posto Administrativo:** Administrative post.

**Posto sede:** The posto administrativo located in the capital of a Circunscrição.
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<td>An administrative division immediately below the Posto Administrativo which was ruled by African authorities under customary law.</td>
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<td>A person who is in charge of a <em>regulado</em>.</td>
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<td><strong>Tico</strong></td>
<td>Land, cluster of sites.</td>
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<td><strong>Vale</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Xintlavani</strong></td>
<td>Sandy alluvium, mixture of sand and clay.</td>
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