

Hill faces charge of embezzlement

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Johannesburg police have confirmed that former National Front chairman Mr Ray Hill (39) had faced prosecution for allegedly embezzling R35 000 from Sons of England funds.

Mr Hill, who was secretary of the organisation at the time, has fled to Britain after jumping bail on another fraud charge.

He was to have appeared in a Johannesburg court on charges in connection with a R3 500 credit card fraud. Two days before the hearing he left South Africa with a duplicate passport, forfeiting R2 600 bail put up by his wife.

In March, Mr Hill, Mr George Lewis, and Mr Franck Hill were accused of misappropriating about R35 000 from Sons of England funds.

After an urgent application to the Rand Supreme

Court, a provisional order interdicted the three men from withdrawing funds and share certificates from accounts held in six banks and building societies.

These were funds of the Sons of England Patriotic and Benevolent Society, Grand Lodge of Africa, and the King George V Lodge, Sons of England