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made the following comments about effects of the air raids, the costs of evacuating his dependents from the city and other financial complaints:

a. "At the present time, Haiphong is daily being subjected to United States attack. This wild and savage bombardment by the American imperialists, particularly against Haiphong, has resulted in the large scale evacuation of the factories and population, and in turn has brought extreme poverty to the people.

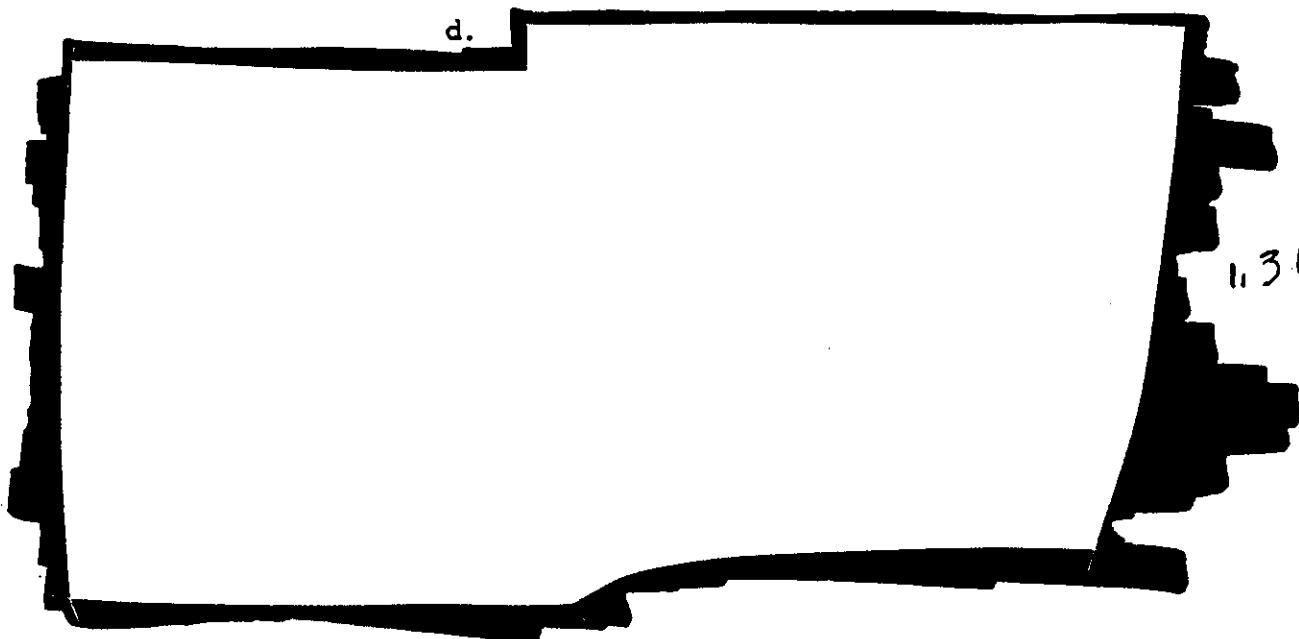
b.

c. "We have not been able to send all of our children to safety in the countryside. Three have gone with their school evacuation group but their monthly board and lodging costs 100 dong. Since I have been unemployed since March (1967), I grow deeper in debt. With no income and no reasonable work, I have volunteered to work in the forest, but while waiting for action on my application, I have been without a cent of income."

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[REDACTED] North
Vietnam does not feel a need for peace. He said North Vietnam advocated support of the four principles of the North Vietnamese and the five principles of the National Front for the Liberation of South Vietnam as a means to settle the war.

1.3(a)(4)

(all)

Regarding the effects of bombings of North Vietnam,

a. There was no restriction on the use of electricity in Hanoi.

b. On 12 August the Long Bien Bridge was bombed and destroyed. [REDACTED] although the Ham Rong Bridge had been attacked 700 times and was a twisted mess, it was still usable.

c. On 13 August two waves of bombers attacked the Hanoi area and [REDACTED] an American plane shot down.

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d. [REDACTED] Hung Yen Province, 1.3B(4)
South of Hanoi, [REDACTED] peasants, almost all of them women
or children, were working the land in broad daylight in spite of
continuous and intense air activity overhead.

e. There were no signs of a food shortage.

f. All industrial plants had been evacuated from
urban areas. The 38 spinning plant outside of Hanoi was running
at 20 percent of its original capacity.

[REDACTED] several missiles mounted on mobile frames
being transported at night. Unguarded missiles [REDACTED]
parked on roads. [REDACTED] almost all the missile launchers
in North Vietnam are mobile. 1.3(a)(4)

[REDACTED] Haiphong
Harbor was filled with British, Italian, Greek and Chinese Communist
freighters. [REDACTED] trucks from East Germany, tank trucks from
Poland and repair trucks from Rumania being unloaded. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] if Haiphong Port were attacked, North Vietnam
would suffer greatly.

[REDACTED]
the National Front for the Liberation of South Vietnam representatives
in Hanoi, [REDACTED] took the same line as the North Vietnamese
regarding the war. 1.3(a)(4)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]