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Subject: Radio Station

Upon my return to Haiphong I called upon Mr. Luat and asked him if he had received word from Saigon on the above subject. He had, and the word indicated that he was to remove all the station. I told him we had approval for only the American Aid part, and wished to take that before any other effort was made on their part.

I then saw Col. Riner, and he held me to the five day notice. He did agree to use French air for shipping the items to Hue. The exact date has not yet been given, but it will be about the 21st. I explained to him that we wanted our technician to ensure safe packing, and he concured. I will wire you as soon as a date is firm so that Trout can come north.

Incidentally, the Vietnamese plan to ship the entire station by sea to Saigon. Needless to say, I will have nothing to do with it.

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