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SUBJ: Official NVN Reaction to US Military Activities against NVN in Nov 70. (U)

(C-Jun 71) Item 1: (3 pages, typewritten; B-3) Letter, issued in Hanoi on 10 Dec 70 by the Central Executive Committee ((of the NVN Lao Dong Party)) and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam, addressed to compatriots and servicemen, appeals to them to heighten their combat vigilance against new US military operations against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam. Document states that the US aggressors have been defeated in their past attempts to conquer Vietnam. However, they have implemented the Vietnamization and Pacification programs in order to prolong the war in SVN. They have also escalated the special war in Laos with continuous efforts to encroach upon the liberated areas of the ((Pathet)) Lao. In Cambodia, US troops trampled the independence, neutrality, and peace of that nation. The US Imperialists have displayed the severest acts of war against NVN. Recently, they has increased air reconnaissance, bombing, and Special Forces activities, thus committing more crimes in various areas in NVN, including the areas surrounding Hanoi Capital. In addition, to conceal its war crimes, the Nixon administration used various tricks to deceive the public by its peace proposals while it continued the war and prevented progress at the Paris peace negotiations. It even concocted the story of "secret agreements" ((between the US and NVN)). The American aggressors also continued to try to prevent NVN from aiding the resistance war in SVN. However, nothing can prevent NVN from fulfilling this sacred obligation. The leaders in the White House and the Pentagon even threatened war and proposed new military ventures against the Democratic Republic of Vietnam. The Vietnamese people fully realize that such acts of madness will never make the US aggressors stronger, but will prove that they are experiencing serious failures in the Vietnamization program. The document concludes by appealing to all the people in NVN to fully realize the new US conspiracy and unite to smash it. They were to compete with one another in farm production. The people and servicemen in ((NVN)) Military Region IV were to accomplish the mission assigned to them by the Party in supporting the front line ((meaning the war in SVN)). The people and servicemen in SVN were to carry on their mass uprisings and attacks to destroy the pacification program and the Vietnamization program. Vietnamese residents in foreign countries were to double their contributions to the war against the US aggressors for national salvation. The document thanks the socialist countries.