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Liberation Radio [Clandestine] in Vietnamese to South Vietnam 0030 GMT 21 Apr 75 SG

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Hesitation means committing crimes against the fatherland and courting disaster.

Brothers, refuse to set out to bomb, strafe and kill the people and oppose the liberation armed forces! Take antiwar action, achieve merits and fly your aircraft to the liberated zone. Use aircraft, bombs and munitions to smash the den of the Nguyen Van Thieu clique. Protect your aircraft, storage facilities, workshops and all technical equipment and prevent the enemy from destroying them when fleeing.

The South Vietnam PLAF Command acclaims all of your wise actions that are beneficial to your families and the country. Brothers, the revolution will guarantee your life and property if you return to the people and will appropriately commend and reward those who have achieved merits. Those who deliberately continue to oppose the people and the liberation armed forces will certainly be punished.

20 April 1975

The South Vietnam PLAF Command.

Appeal to RVN Navy To Turn 'Antiwar'

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[20 April Appeal of the South Vietnam PLAF Command to "officers of all ranks, NCOs and sailors of the Nguyen Van Thieu Administration's naval force"]

[Text] Nineteen provinces and five cities in South Vietnam have been completely liberated. The high tide of offensive and uprisings of the South Vietnamese people and troops is rising seethingly and is fiercer than ever before. The country-selling Nguyen Van Thieu clique is nearing its doom. No matter how stubborn it may be and no matter if it is writhing frantically, it will certainly be unable to avoid total collapse.

The South Vietnam PLAF Command urgently calls on the officers of all ranks, NCOs and sailors of the Nguyen Van Thieu puppet administration's naval force to be clear-sighted and aware of the present situation and promptly separate themselves from the tragic and shameful fate of the country-selling Nguyen Van Thieu clique. For the sake of the great national cause and the supreme interests of the fatherland, let the brothers respond to the PRG/RSV's seven-point policy, rise up to save yourselves and your families and score merits to save the country and contribute to the glorious national liberation.

Hesitating to act at this moment means committing crimes against the people and the fatherland and endangering one's own life. Be determined to prevent the Thieu clique from using gunboats to open fire on the people, to resist the PLAF troops or to force the people to evacuate. Turn antiwar, bring your boats and ships to the liberated areas, hold fast to the new opportunity to rise up and coordinate with the liberation armed forces in annihilating the enemy troops and liberating South Vietnam. Protect ships, boats, warehouses, workshops and ports from being destroyed by the Thieu clique upon its retreat.

The South Vietnam PLAF Command acclaims all of your wise acts that benefit the people and the country. The lives and personal property of those officers of all ranks, NCOs and sailors who have returned to the people will be completely and safely protected, and their merits will be appropriately commended and rewarded.

UPI quoted Nguyen Ba Can as saying to this American: I want to learn from you the best way to have foreign newsmen report the real developments in Vietnam.

Of course, these foreign newsmen must report the real developments in Vietnam according to the wishes of the Thieu clique.

Previously, commenting on Thieu's decision to designate Nguyen Ba Can, chairman of the lower house, to the post of prime minister AFP said on 4 April: Can's appointment has surprised political observers because they believe the present situation requires a more outstanding personality. Another source said: Can only needs to do his work in the government to the same degree as that of the district-level job he performed previously.

VNA CITES 7 APR STATEMENT BY ANTI-THIEU GROUPS IN SAIGON

Hanoi VNA in English 0714 GMT 20 Apr 75 BK

[Text] Hanoi VNA April 20--Thirteen different political organisations and several personalities in Saigon on April 7 issued a joint statement demanding the immediate ouster of Nguyen Van Thieu, according to sources from Saigon. The sponsors included the "Popular Front for the Implementation of the Paris Agreement", the "Committee for Improvement of [the] Prison Regime", the "Committee for Protection of Labourers' Interests," the "Vietnam Begging Nuns Association", the "People's Front Against Famine," etc. "The rapid decline of the Nguyen Van Thieu administration proves the complete failure of the U.S. design to impose a fascist client administration as instrument of U.S. neo-colonialism on South Vietnam" the statement pointed out.

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The revolution and the people are expecting you to return to the ranks of the Vietnamese people who are winning victories. Those who stubbornly resist the liberation armed forces and continue to perpetrate crimes against the compatriots will certainly be punished.

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[Signed] The South Vietnam PLAF Command

Appeal to RVN Tank, Armored Unit Personnel

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[20 April Appeal of the South Vietnam PLAF Command to "officers, NCOs and enlisted men of the tank and armored units of the Nguyen Van Thieu puppet administration"]

[Text] The country-harming and people-betraying Nguyen Van Thieu clique is suffering very heavy defeats and will certainly be unable to avoid complete collapse. Its situation is extremely critical. The Central Highlands, the Tri-Thien area, central Trung Bo, southern Trung Bo and many vast areas in Nam Bo have been completely liberated. The country-selling Nguyen Van Thieu clique is nearing its doomsday.

The South Vietnam PLAF Command urgently calls on the brothers of the tank and armored units of the puppet Nguyen Van Thieu administration to be clear-sighted and aware of the present situation and quickly separate themselves from the tragic and shameful fate of the country-selling and people-selling Nguyen Van Thieu clique. Hesitating to take prompt action now means committing crimes against the fatherland and compatriots and endangering one's own life.

Let the brothers tell each other to refuse to be sent to the battlefields and to support the military operations by the Thieu clique. Do not fire on the compatriots or fight back the liberation troops. Stage mutinies and drive tanks or armored cars to the liberated areas. With tanks or armored cars, cooperate with the liberation troops in annihilating the enemy, earn merits and return to the people. Protect vehicles, storage facilities, and workshops and prevent the enemy from destroying them before fleeing.

The opportunity is very favorable for the brothers to earn merits and return to the fatherland.

The South Vietnam PLAF Command welcomes all of your wise acts that are profitable to the country. Those brothers who return to the people and the revolution will have their honor, lives and property guaranteed. Those who have earned merits will be commended and rewarded and those who deliberately continue to oppose the compatriots and the liberation forces will be punished.

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HUYNH TAN PHAT LEADS NFL-PRG DELEGATION TO DALAT 14 APR

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[Text] On 13 April, a delegation of the NFLSV Central Committee and the PRGRSV headed by President Huynh Tan Phat visited the Dalat compatriots.

For the first time in 30 years of continuous struggle for independence and freedom, on the afternoon of 14 April, 12,000 Dalat compatriots had the opportunity to publicly express their joy and enthusiasm and to freely get together to welcome their sole genuine representatives.

The Dalat stadium was splendidly decked out with innumerable, brilliant and multi-colored flags, flowers and banners bearing slogans. Thunderous applause resounded when President Huynh Tan Phat and members of his delegation, the chairmen of the People's Revolutionary Committees of southern Trung Do and Tuyen Duc Province, and the chairman of the Dalat People's Revolutionary Committee made their appearance.

Mr Mai Xuan Ngoc, chairman of the Dalat People's Revolutionary Committee, on behalf of the Dalat people, delivered a speech welcoming the delegation and reporting to it on the achievements scored by the Dalat people and on the post-liberation situation in the city.

President Huynh Tan Phat cordially addressed the compatriots.

After conveying to the Dalat people the heartfelt feelings and profound concern of the NFLSV Central Committee and the PRGRSV, President Huynh Tan Phat recalled the heroic moments through which the Dalat people lived during the August 1945 uprising and in the course of the subsequent, continuous struggle movements, especially those conducted by the workers, laborers and merchants who closely united with the college and high school students, intellectuals and Buddhist compatriots in struggling against the dictatorial, fascist and bellicose U.S.-puppet regime. Most noteworthy were the uprisings staged in 1965 and 1966, when the Dalat people controlled more than half of their city for 3 months; the armed uprising during the Mau Than Tet holidays that resulted in the establishment of the revolutionary administration in a number of areas of the city; and the attacks against the Americans and their puppets during the 1972 strategic offensive.

Exposing the schemes concocted by the U.S.-Thieu clique, which has sabotaged the Paris agreement, prolonged the war and committed countless, towering crimes against our compatriots in the liberated areas and in the areas under its temporary control, President Huynh Tan Phat pointed out the determination of the southern armed forces and people to appropriately punish these criminal acts and to punish the enemy right in his staging areas.

He said: The time has come for the compatriots in the urban areas and other areas under enemy control to rise up, overthrow the stubborn and bellicose Nguyen Van Thieu lackey clique, and seize power. Thus, in March this year, our armed forces and people completely recaptured 16 provinces embracing nearly 9.5 million compatriots, putting out of action more than 270,000 enemy troops. The Dalat people, seizing the opportunities and in close coordination with the PLAF, smashed the enemy's yoke of domination and liberated their beloved city.

President Huynh Tan Phat praised the Dalat compatriots for their victories and cited the results that the local administration has achieved, in coordination with the Dalat revolutionary mass organizations, in mobilizing and organizing the people to protect